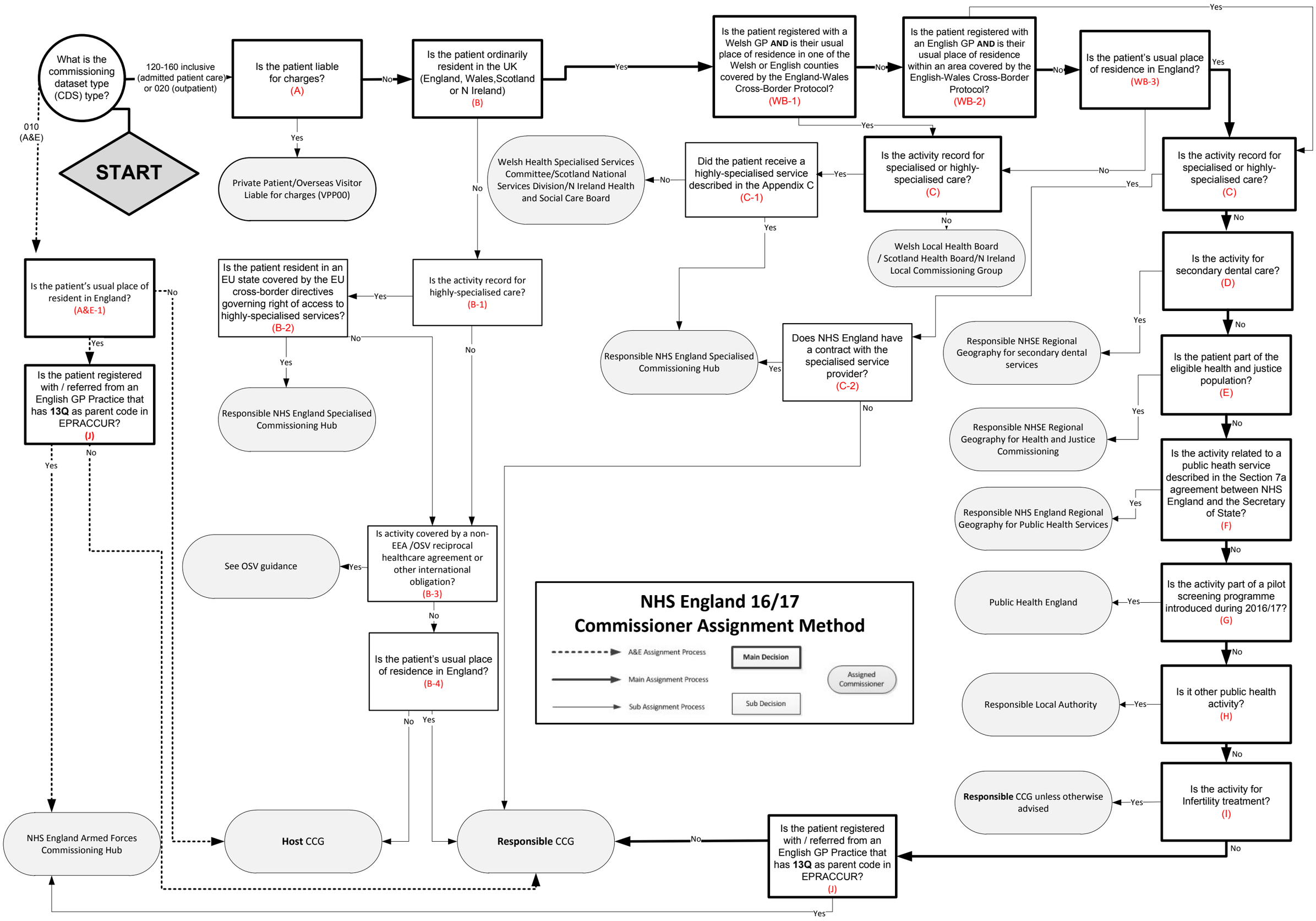
NHS England 16/17
Commissioner Assignment Method
A&E Assignment Process
Main Assignment Process
Sub Assignment Process
Main Decision
Sub Decision
Assigned Commissioner
START
What is the commissioning dataset type (CDS) type?
120-160 inclusive (admitted patient care) or 020 (outpatient)
010 (A&E)
Is the patient liable for charges? (A)
Private Patient/Overseas Visitor Liable for charges (VPP00)
Is the patient ordinarily resident in the UK (England, Wales,Scotland or N Ireland) (B)
Welsh Health Specialised Services Committee/Scotland National Services Division/N Ireland Health and Social Care Board
Is the patient registered with a Welsh GP AND is their usual place of residence in one of the Welsh or English counties covered by the England-Wales Cross-Border Protocol? (WB-1)
Is the patient registered with an English GP AND is their usual place of residence within an area covered by the English-Wales Cross-Border Protocol? (WB-2)
Is the patient's usual place of residence in England? (WB-3)
Is the activity record for specialised or highly-specialised care? (C)
Welsh Local Health Board / Scotland Health Board/N Ireland Local Commissioning Group
Did the patient receive a highly-specialised service described in the Appendix C (C-1)
Responsible NHS England Specialised Commissioning Hub
Does NHS England have a contract with the specialised service provider? (C-2)
Is the activity record for highly-specialised care? (B-1)
Is the patient resident in an EU state covered by the EU cross-border directives governing right of access to highly-specialised services? (B-2)
Responsible NHS England Specialised Commissioning Hub
Is activity covered by a non-EEA /OSV reciprocal healthcare agreement or other international obligation? (B-3)
See OSV guidance
Is the patient's usual place of residence in England? (B-4)
Is the patient's usual place of resident in England? (A&E-1)
Is the patient registered with / referred from an English GP Practice that has 13Q as parent code in EPRACCUR? (J)
NHS England Armed Forces Commissioning Hub
Host CCG
Responsible CCG
Is the patient registered with / referred from an English GP Practice that has 13Q as parent code in EPRACCUR? (J)
Is the activity record for specialised or highly-specialised care? (C)
Is the activity for secondary dental care? (D)
Responsible NHSE Regional Geography for secondary dental services
Is the patient part of the eligible health and justice population? (E)
Responsible NHSE Regional Geography for Health and Justice Commissioning
Is the activity related to a public heath service described in the Section 7a agreement between NHS England and the Secretary of State? (F)
Responsible NHS England Regional Geography for Public Health Services
Is the activity part of a pilot screening programme introduced during 2016/17? (G)
Public Health England
Is it other public health activity? (H)
Responsible Local Authority
Is the activity for Infertility treatment? (I)
Responsible CCG unless otherwise advised
Yes
No