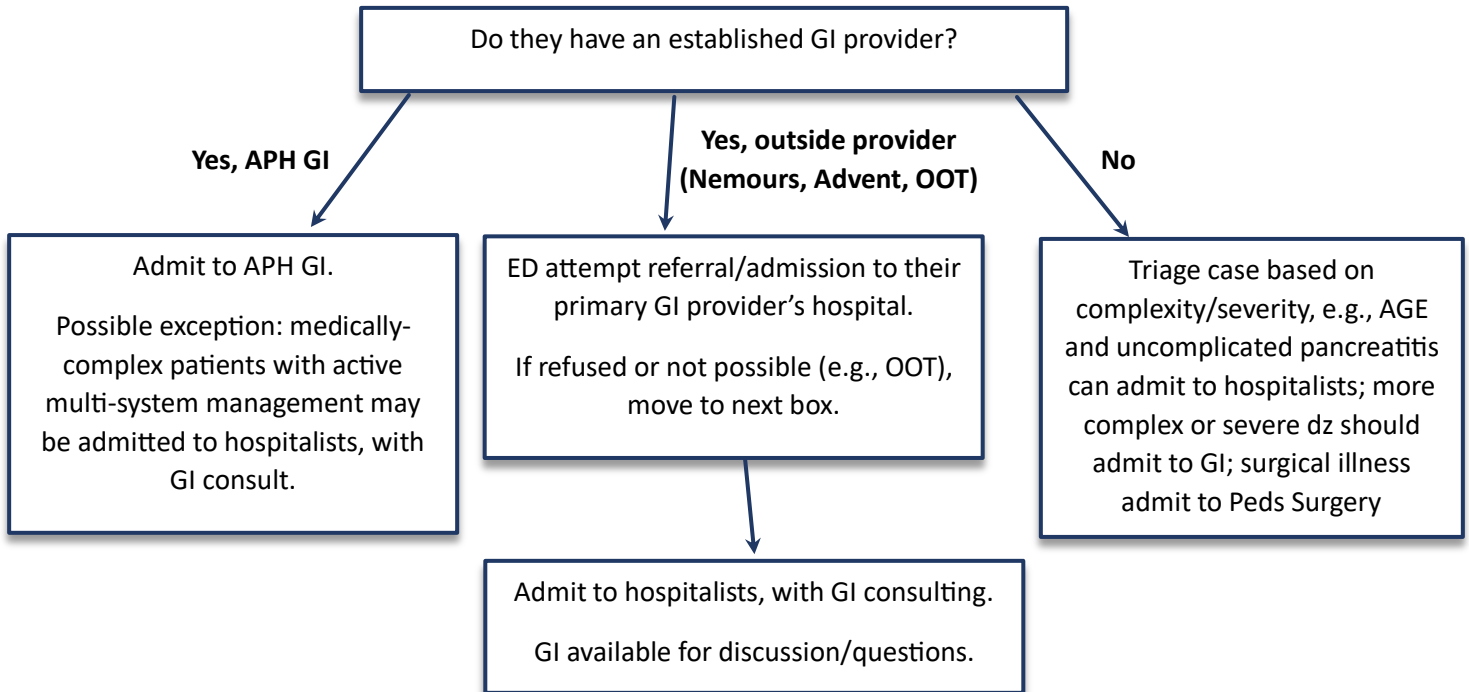


Admission of patients to APH with primary GI Dx

-----Patient with primary GI dx requires hospital admission-----



Additional Notes:

- The guidance regarding referral/admission to the primary GI provider's hospital applies to Transfer Center calls as well.
- If a patient/family wishes to transfer care to the APH GI service from another provider, this is a conversation for GI to handle. The ED and/or hospitalist should defer this discussion to the APH GI provider.
- The ED will consult services for admission and for questions pertinent to ED care or triaging of cases. If a patient is accepted to an inpatient service and the accepting physician has a question for a consultant, the accepting physician should contact the consultant.