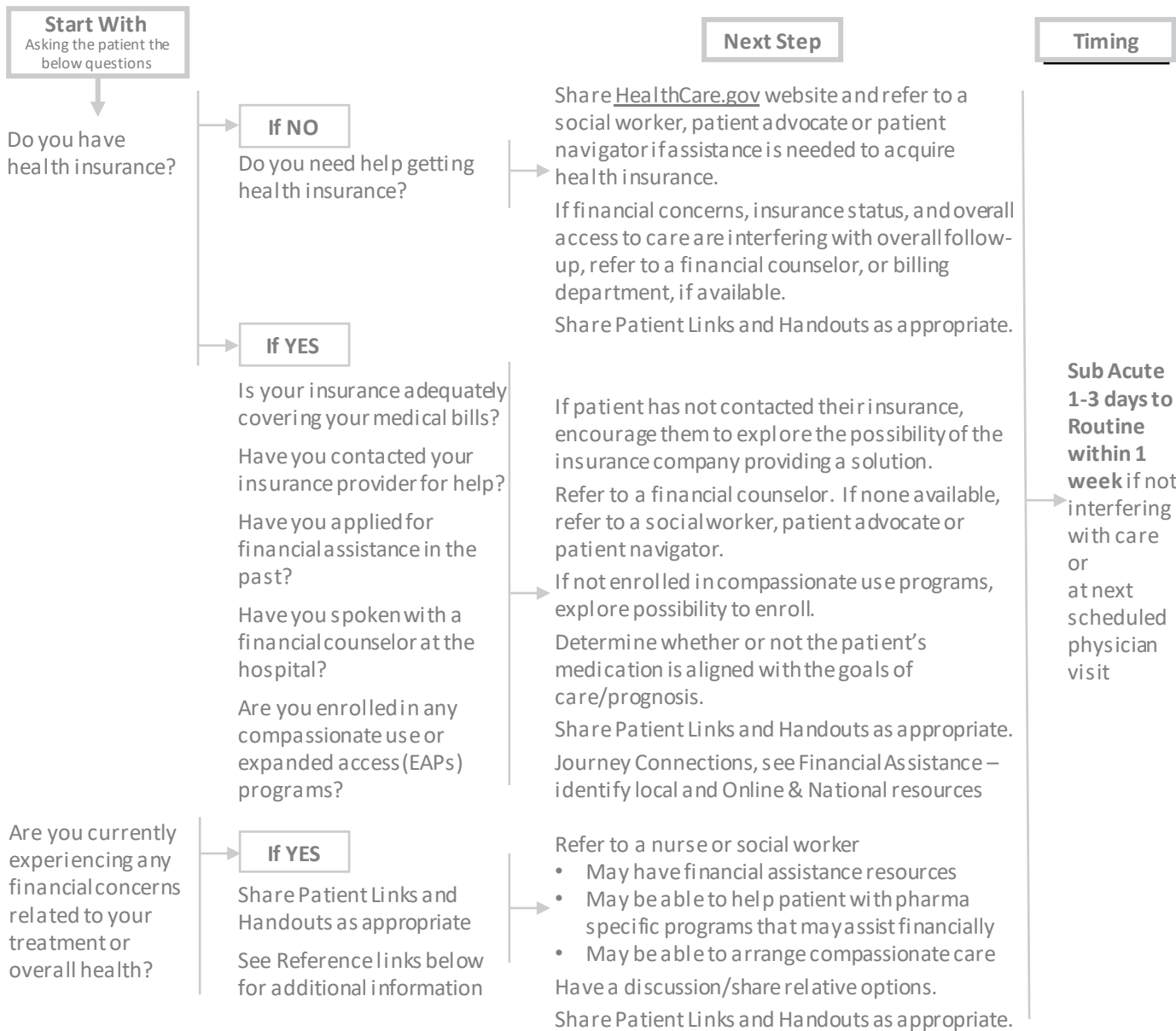


Clinician Follow Up Reference for Supportive Care

Practical Concerns –

“YES” to Paying for medications or medical care



Notes

Stage IV: Explore use of medication relative to patient goals; consider quality of life as an alternative to treatment. Patients need to understand the intent of any treatment or medications. Determine if patients acknowledge their prognosis and how medications and treatment how they will affect their quality of life.

Patient Links and Handouts:

- [HealthCare.gov, US Government Health Insurance Exchange](https://www.healthcare.gov)
- [NeedyMeds, Find help with the cost of medicine](https://www.needymeds.org)
- [PAN Foundation, help for underinsured](https://www.panfoundation.org)
- [Medicine Assistance Tool](https://www.medicareassistance.com)
- [Patient Advocate Foundation, Co-pay relief](https://www.patientadvocatefoundation.org)
- [HealthWell Foundation®, copay assistance for medication/therapy](https://www.healthwellfoundation.org)
- [American Cancer Society, Financial and Insurance Matters](https://www.americancancersociety.org)
- [American Cancer Society, Compassionate Drug Use](https://www.americancancersociety.org)
- [American Cancer Society, Help paying for Prescription Drugs](https://www.americancancersociety.org)
- [Social Security, Benefits for People with Disabilities](https://www.socialsecurity.gov)
- Coleman Foundation Follow Up Reference Document: [‘Practical Concerns – “YES” to Insurance coverage issues or no health insurance’](https://www.colemanfoundation.org)
- CSOC Patient Handout can be accessed at: <http://cancer-help.me/insurance>