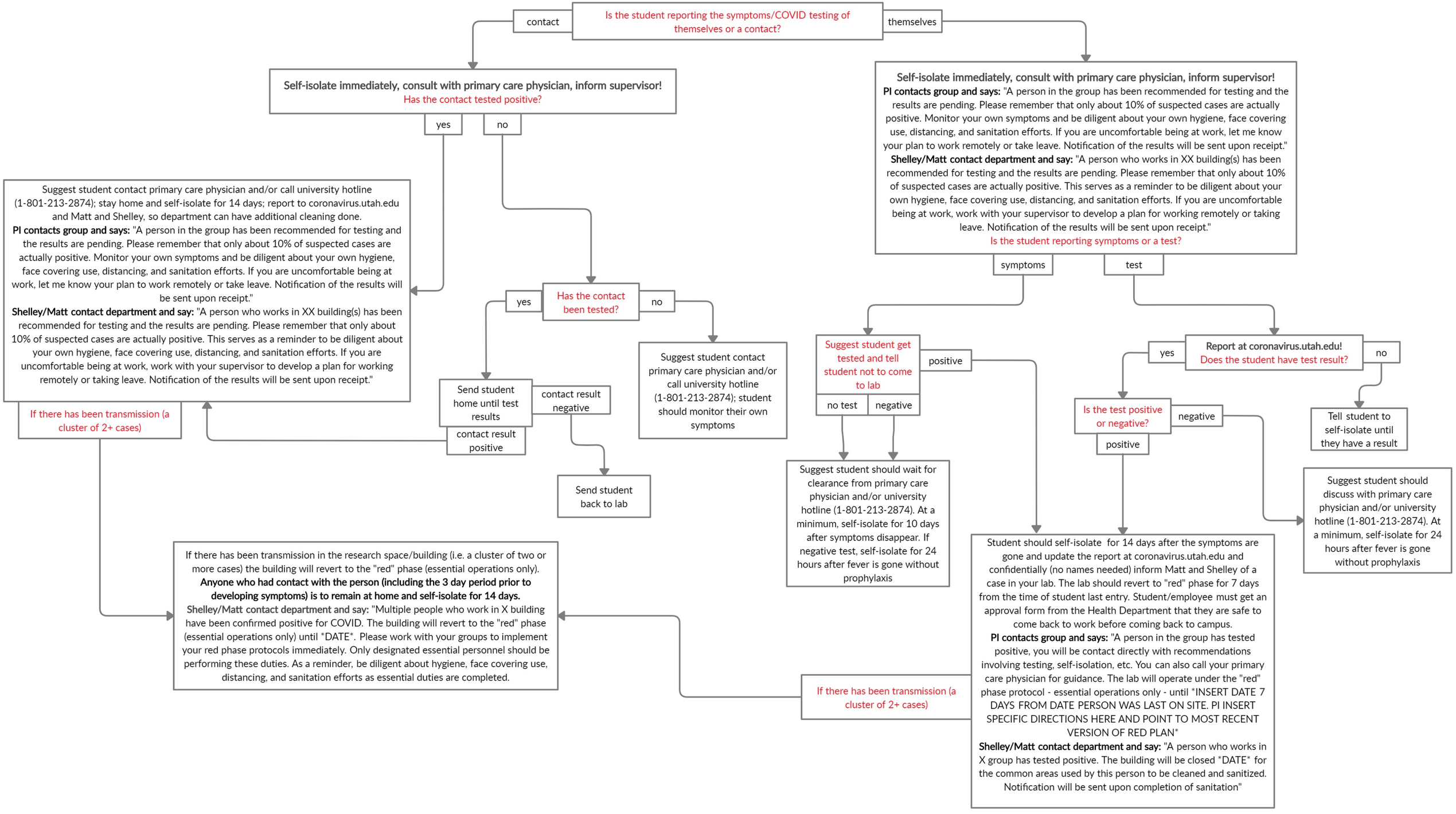
Is the student reporting the symptoms/COVID testing of themselves or a contact?
contact
themselves
Self-isolate immediately, consult with primary care physician, inform supervisor!
Has the contact tested positive?
yes
no
Suggest student contact primary care physician and/or call university hotline (1-801-213-2874); stay home and self-isolate for 14 days; report to coronavirus.utah.edu and Matt and Shelley, so department can have additional cleaning done.
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Shelley/Matt contact department and say: "A person who works in XX building(s) has been recommended for testing and the results are pending. Please remember that only about 10% of suspected cases are actually positive. This serves as a reminder to be diligent about your own hygiene, face covering use, distancing, and sanitation efforts. If you are uncomfortable being at work, work with your supervisor to develop a plan for working remotely or taking leave. Notification of the results will be sent upon receipt."
If there has been transmission (a cluster of 2+ cases)
Has the contact been tested?
yes
no
Send student home until test results
contact result negative
contact result positive
Send student back to lab
Suggest student contact primary care physician and/or call university hotline (1-801-213-2874); student should monitor their own symptoms
Self-isolate immediately, consult with primary care physician, inform supervisor!
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Is the student reporting symptoms or a test?
symptoms
test
Suggest student get tested and tell student not to come to lab
positive
no test
negative
Suggest student should wait for clearance from primary care physician and/or university hotline (1-801-213-2874). At a minimum, self-isolate for 10 days after symptoms disappear. If negative test, self-isolate for 24 hours after fever is gone without prophylaxis
Report at coronavirus.utah.edu!
Does the student have test result?
yes
no
Tell student to self-isolate until they have a result
Is the test positive or negative?
negative
positive
Suggest student should discuss with primary care physician and/or university hotline (1-801-213-2874). At a minimum, self-isolate for 24 hours after fever is gone without prophylaxis
Student should self-isolate for 14 days after the symptoms are gone and update the report at coronavirus.utah.edu and confidentially (no names needed) inform Matt and Shelley of a case in your lab. The lab should revert to "red" phase for 7 days from the time of student last entry. Student/employee must get an approval form from the Health Department that they are safe to come back to work before coming back to campus.
PI contacts group and says: "A person in the group has tested positive, you will be contact directly with recommendations involving testing, self-isolation, etc. You can also call your primary care physician for guidance. The lab will operate under the "red" phase protocol - essential operations only - until *INSERT DATE 7 DAYS FROM DATE PERSON WAS LAST ON SITE. PI INSERT SPECIFIC DIRECTIONS HERE AND POINT TO MOST RECENT VERSION OF RED PLAN*
Shelley/Matt contact department and say: "A person who works in X group has tested positive. The building will be closed *DATE* for the common areas used by this person to be cleaned and sanitized. Notification will be sent upon completion of sanitation"
If there has been transmission (a cluster of 2+ cases)
If there has been transmission in the research space/building (i.e. a cluster of two or more cases) the building will revert to the "red" phase (essential operations only).
Anyone who had contact with the person (including the 3 day period prior to developing symptoms) is to remain at home and self-isolate for 14 days.
Shelley/Matt contact department and say: "Multiple people who work in X building have been confirmed positive for COVID. The building will revert to the "red" phase (essential operations only) until *DATE*. Please work with your groups to implement your red phase protocols immediately. Only designated essential personnel should be performing these duties. As a reminder, be diligent about hygiene, face covering use, distancing, and sanitation efforts as essential duties are completed.