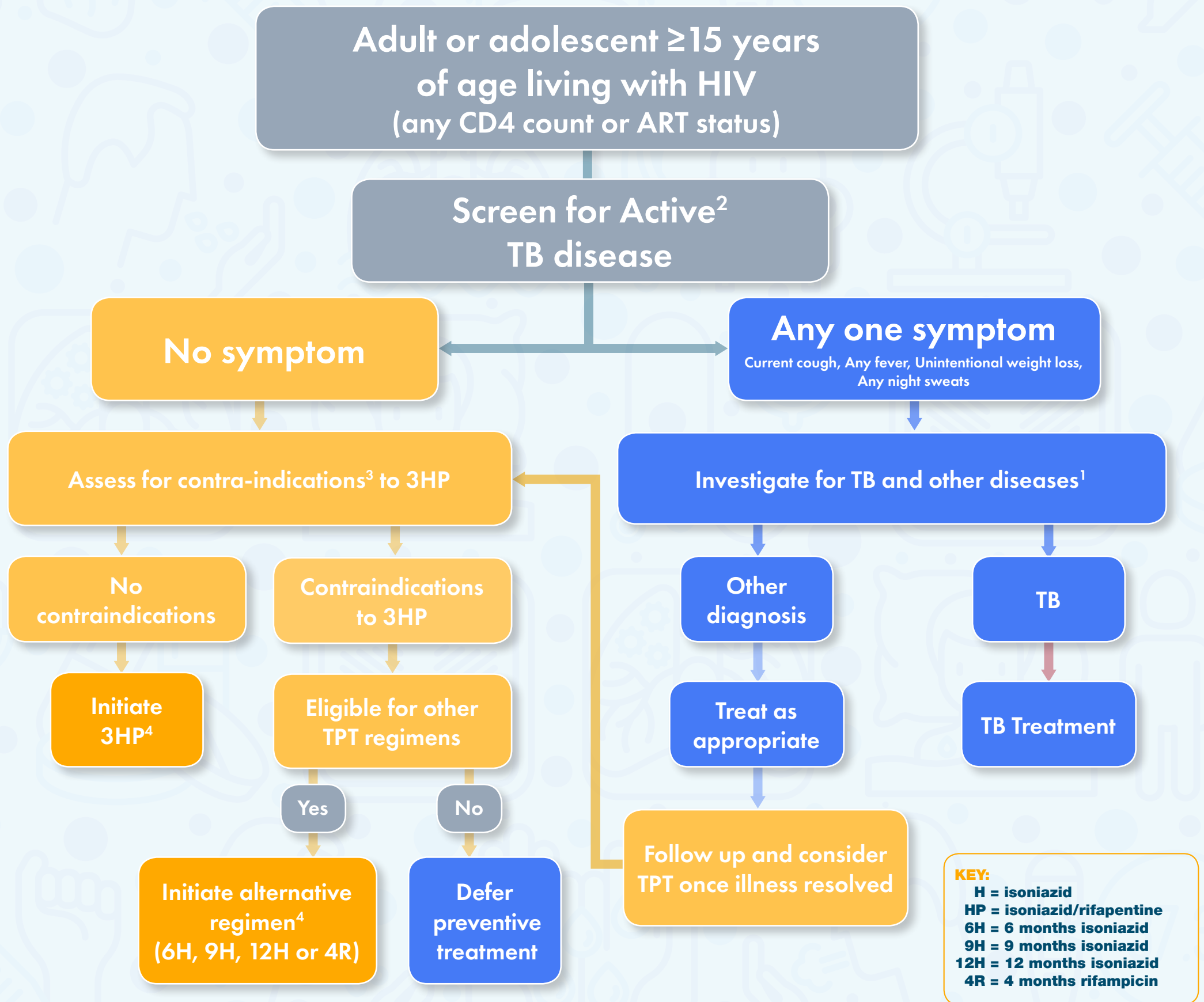


Adult and adolescents 15 years and above living with HIV



1. Follow appropriate national guidelines for investigation of TB disease

2. WHO recommends symptom screen (cough, fever, weight loss, night sweats to rule out TB.)

- No chest X-ray
- No proof of infection (TST/IGRA)
- These are therefore not necessary for TPT initiation except where mandated by national programmes

These are therefore not necessary for 3HP initiation except where recommended in national programs

3. Contraindications to 3HP/6H use:

- Active Hepatitis (acute or chronic)
- Elevated liver enzymes regardless of symptoms (AST/ALT > 3x upper limit of normal) if these are known at the time of initiation

- Regular & heavy alcohol use
- Severe peripheral neuropathy
- Pregnant and breastfeeding mothers
- Unwilling/unable to use non-hormonal forms of contraception (rifapentine only)
- On Protease Inhibitor – based ART (rifapentine only)

4. Patients on TPT should additionally receive vitamin B6/Pyridoxine to prevent neuropathy