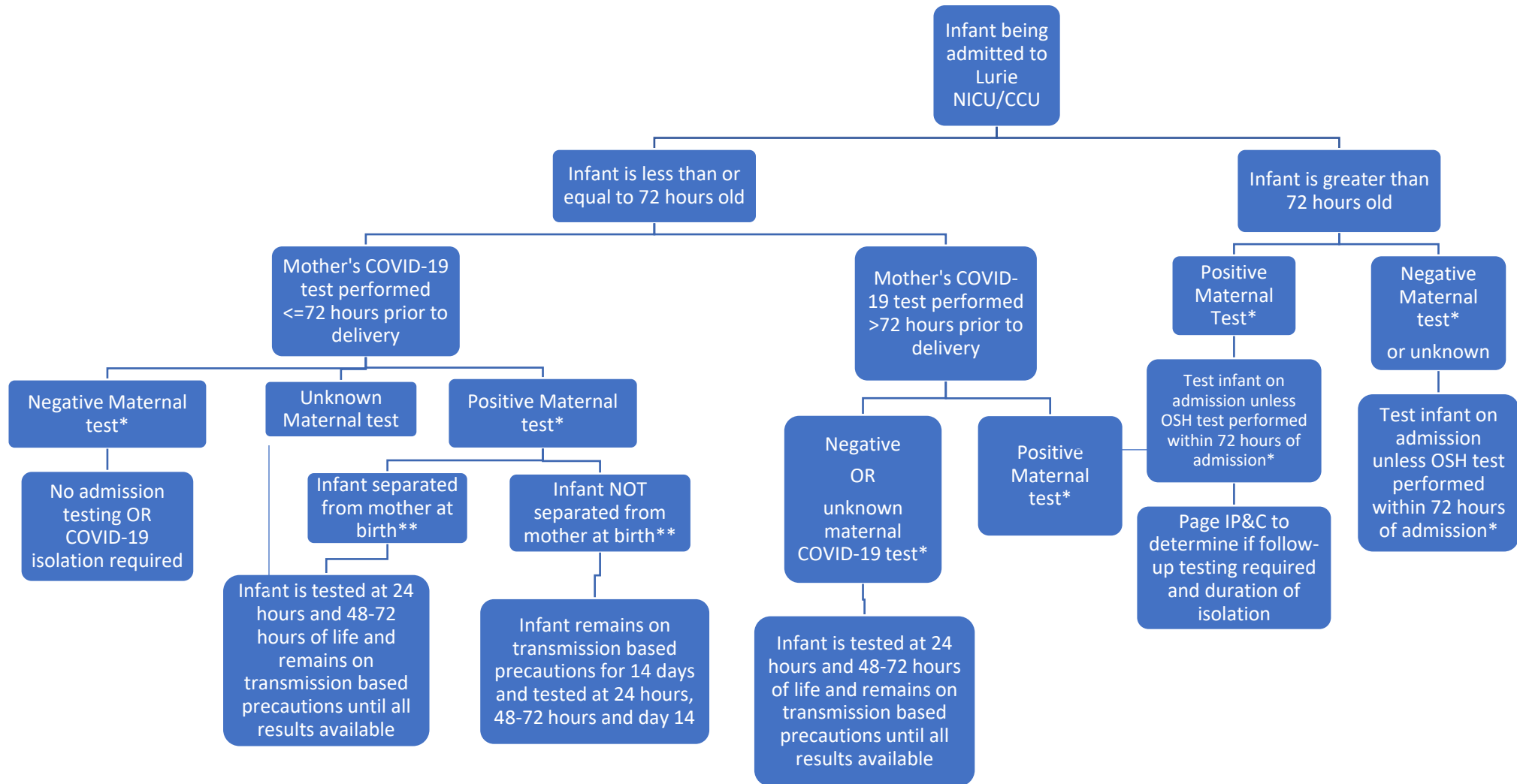


## Lurie Newborn (NICU/CCU) COVID-19 Patient Admission Testing Algorithm



**\*Only MOLECULAR (i.e., PCR, nucleic acid amplification test) tests will be accepted. All outside hospital molecular results will be accepted for mothers and infants (within 72 hours of admission)**

- 1) The molecular Abbott IDNow test will be accepted if performed at an inpatient hospital facility. However, the molecular Abbott IDNow test will NOT be accepted if performed at a doctor's office or urgent care.
- 2) Antigen based tests (e.g., Quidel antigen test) are not molecular tests and will NOT be accepted.

**\* The admitting provider team must verify all outside results by visualizing test result (and the specific test method) that is either faxed to them or viewed on Care Everywhere. For more details on testing guidance, see "Guidance for COVID-19 (SARS-CoV-2) Testing" posted on the AllConnect COVID site.**

**\*\*Separated from mother is defined as infant removed from care of mother after birth and mother has not visited infant.**

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