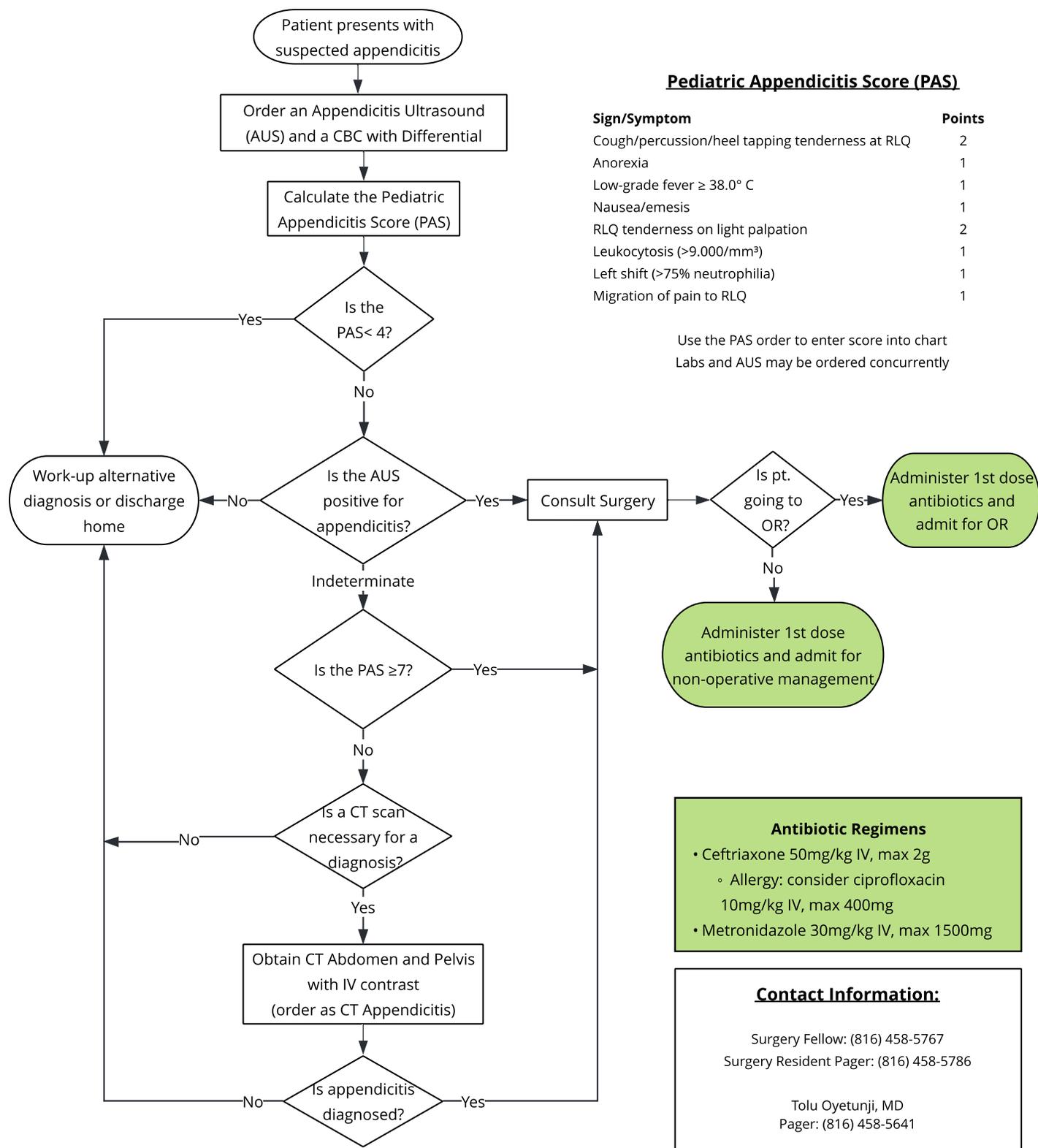




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Pediatric Appendicitis Score (PAS)

Sign/Symptom	Points
Cough/percussion/heel tapping tenderness at RLQ	2
Anorexia	1
Low-grade fever ≥ 38.0° C	1
Nausea/emesis	1
RLQ tenderness on light palpation	2
Leukocytosis (>9,000/mm ³)	1
Left shift (>75% neutrophilia)	1
Migration of pain to RLQ	1

Use the PAS order to enter score into chart
Labs and AUS may be ordered concurrently

Antibiotic Regimens

- Ceftriaxone 50mg/kg IV, max 2g
 - Allergy: consider ciprofloxacin 10mg/kg IV, max 400mg
- Metronidazole 30mg/kg IV, max 1500mg

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Abbreviations:

AUS = Appendicitis Ultrasound
PAS = Pediatric Appendicitis Score
RLQ = Right lower quadrant