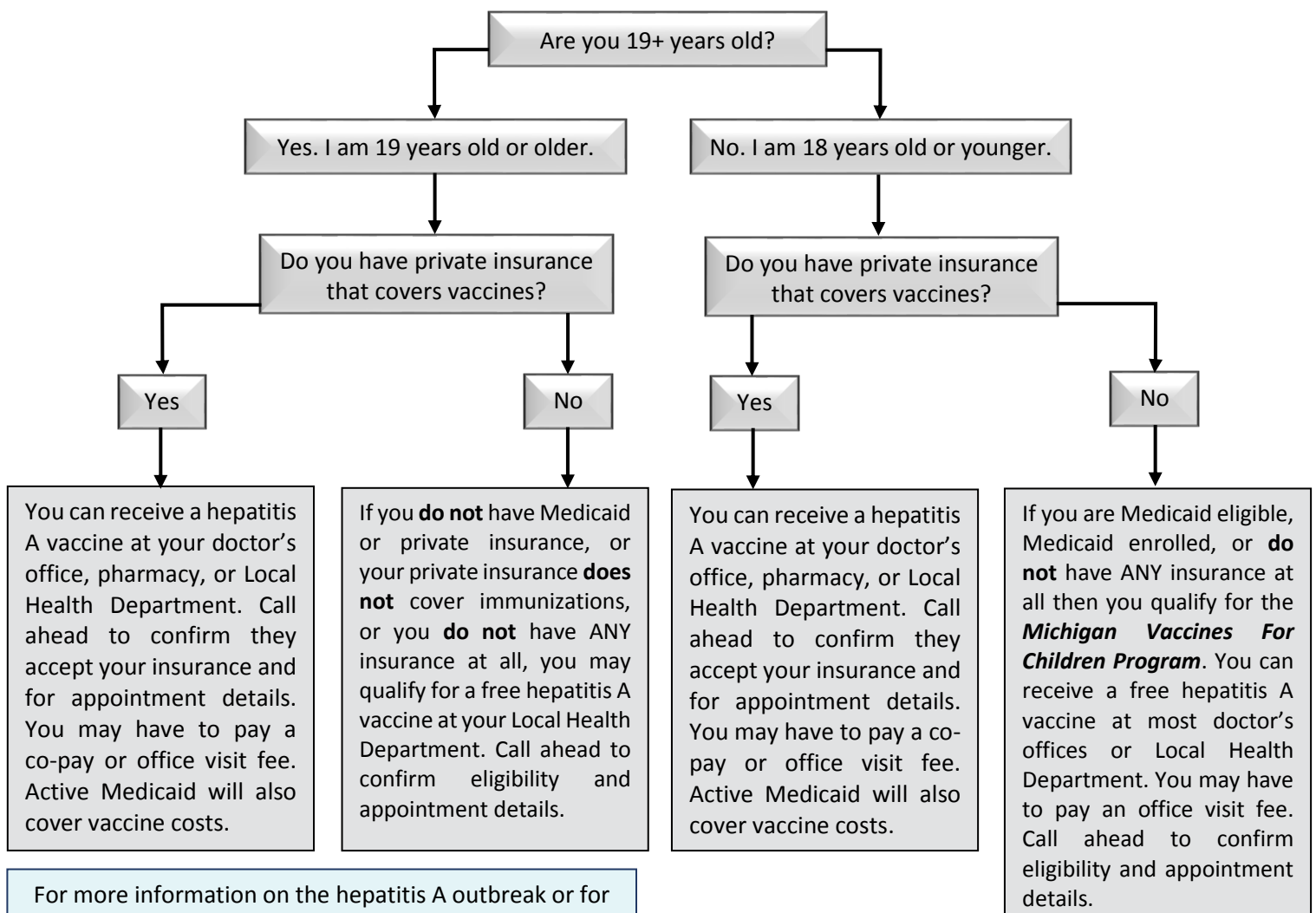


Where can I get the Hepatitis A Vaccine in Kalamazoo County?

What is happening in Michigan?

There is a large outbreak of hepatitis A throughout different parts of Michigan. People in the outbreak areas are at risk for serious illness, with nearly 9 out of every 10 people hospitalized after getting sick. In some cases people have died. Hepatitis A is a highly contagious liver disease. It is easily spread when a person eats, drinks or touches contaminated substances that have been exposed to the stool (poop) from an infected person. People who already have certain medical conditions, such as chronic liver disease, are at an even higher risk of getting sick. There is no medication to treat hepatitis A, but it can be prevented. The best way to prevent hepatitis A is to get vaccinated.

What if I need help paying for the Hepatitis A Vaccine?



For more information on the hepatitis A outbreak or for assistance when paying for vaccines, please visit www.michigan.gov/mdhhs and www.aimtoolkit.org

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