## **SPORTS CONCUSSION ALGORITHM**

Health care provider information



## Patient presents with signs, symptoms and/or a mechanism of injury consistent with a head injury



## **Assess for Red Flags**

- · Increasingly severe headache
- Prolonged loss of consciousness
- Seizure/convulsions
- Fluctuating states of consciousness
- · Slurred speech
- Increasing confusion
- · Repeated vomiting
- · Uncharacteristic behavior changes
- · Pupils unequal or unreactive
- Weakness/numbness in extremities
- Severe cervical pain

Migraines

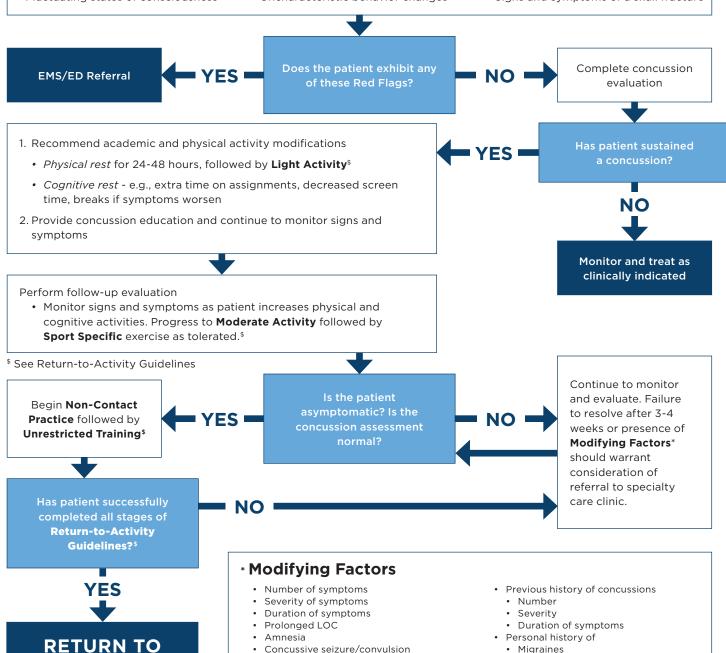
Seizures

· ADD/ADHD

Mental health disorders

· Learning disabilities

· Signs and symptoms of a skull fracture



Concussive seizure/convulsion

High risk activities/playing style

• Concussions occurring with less force

Medications

Age/Gender

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**FULL** 

**ACTIVITY**