

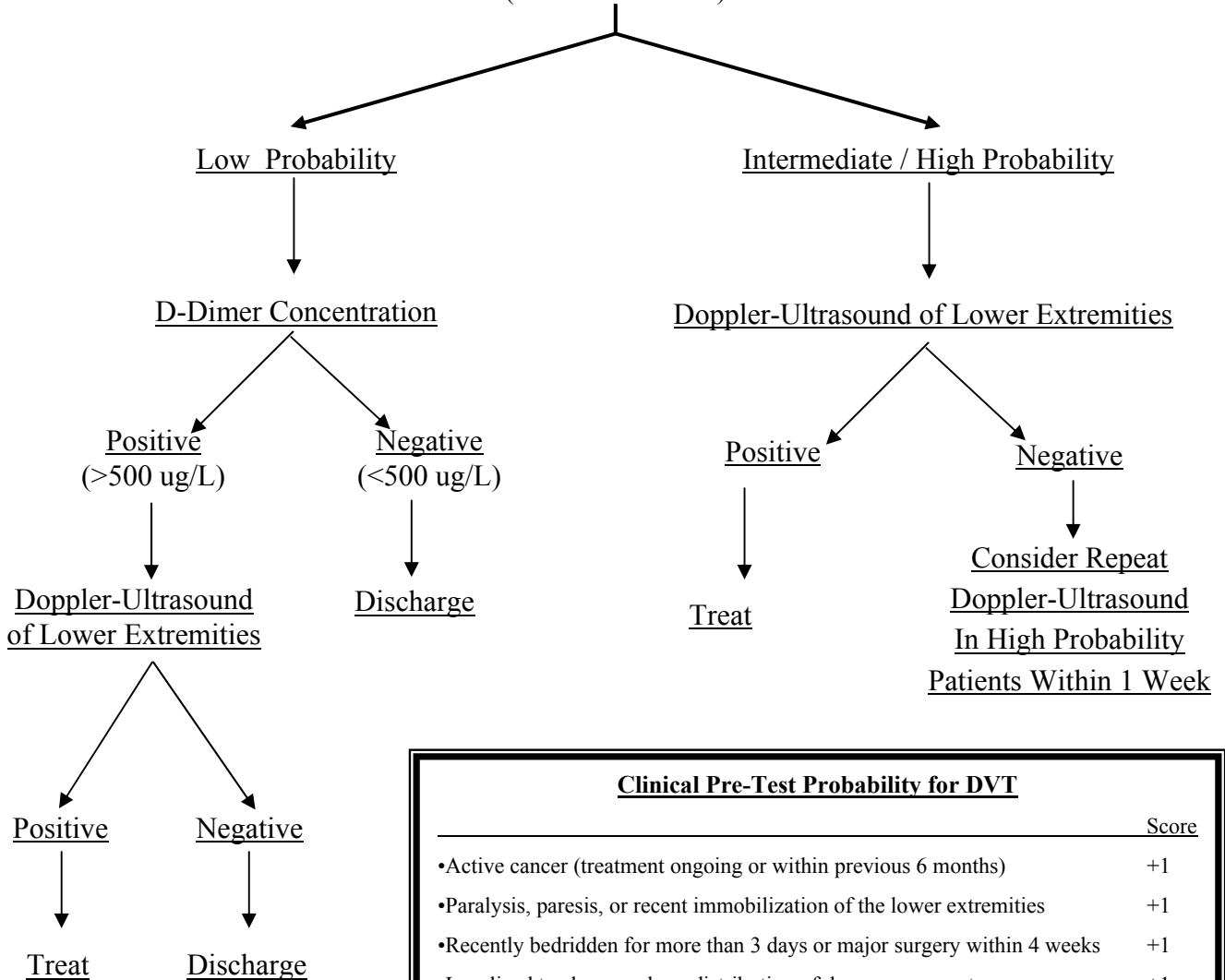
DVT Evaluation Guidelines

Exclusion Criteria

- Age < 16 Years
- On Coumadin/Heparin
- Hospital admit within past month

Assess Clinical Probability for DVT

(See Table Below)



<u>Clinical Pre-Test Probability for DVT</u>		Score
•Active cancer (treatment ongoing or within previous 6 months)		+1
•Paralysis, paresis, or recent immobilization of the lower extremities		+1
•Recently bedridden for more than 3 days or major surgery within 4 weeks		+1
•Localized tenderness along distribution of deep venous system		+1
•Entire leg swollen		+1
•Calf swelling by more than 3cm when compared with the asymptomatic leg (measure 10 cm below tibial tuberosity)		+1
•Pitting edema (greater in symptomatic leg)		+1
•Collateral superficial veins (non-varicose)		+1
•Alternative diagnosis as likely or greater than that of DVT		-2

High: (≥ 3) Intermediate (1-2) Low (≤ 0)