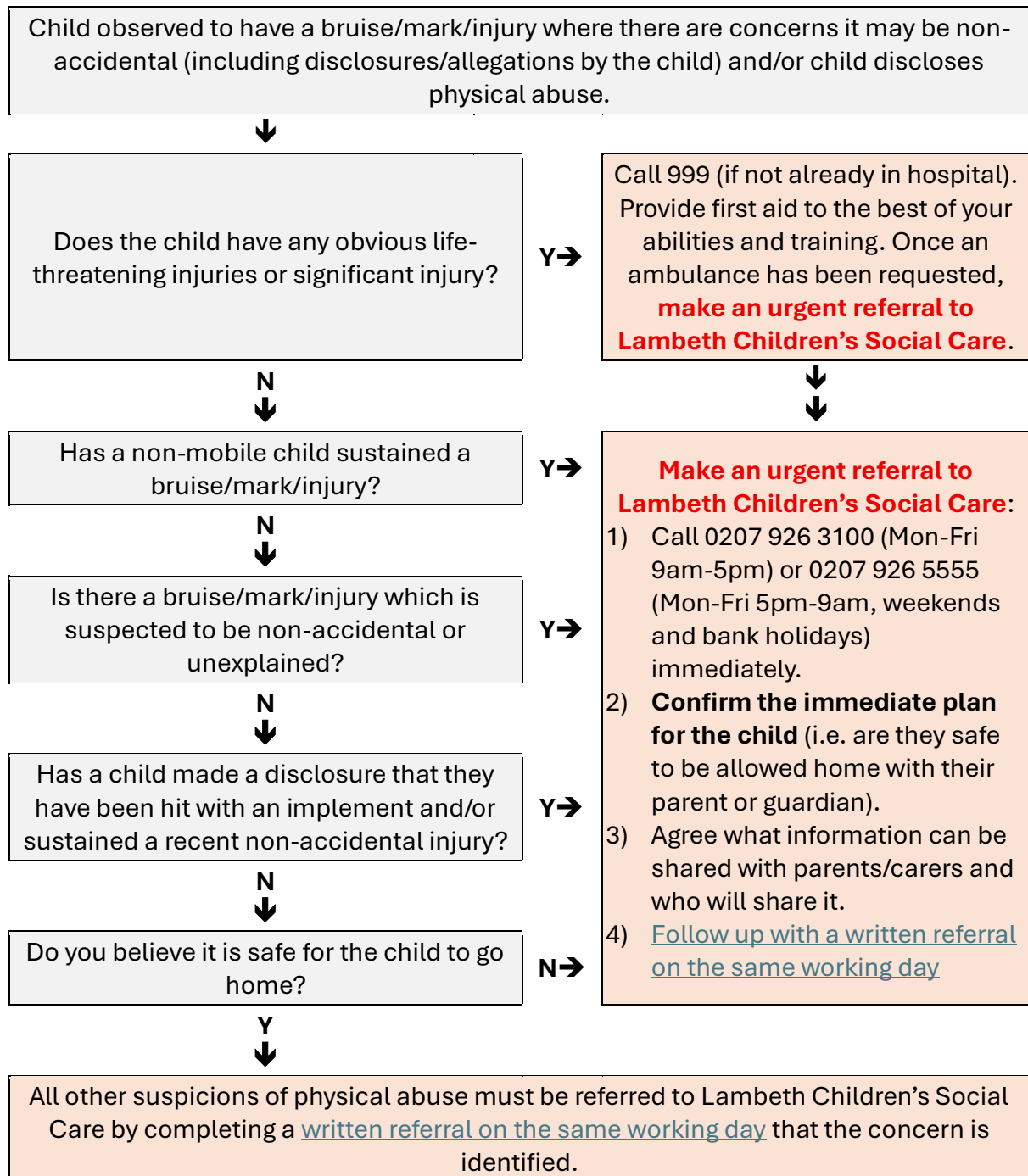


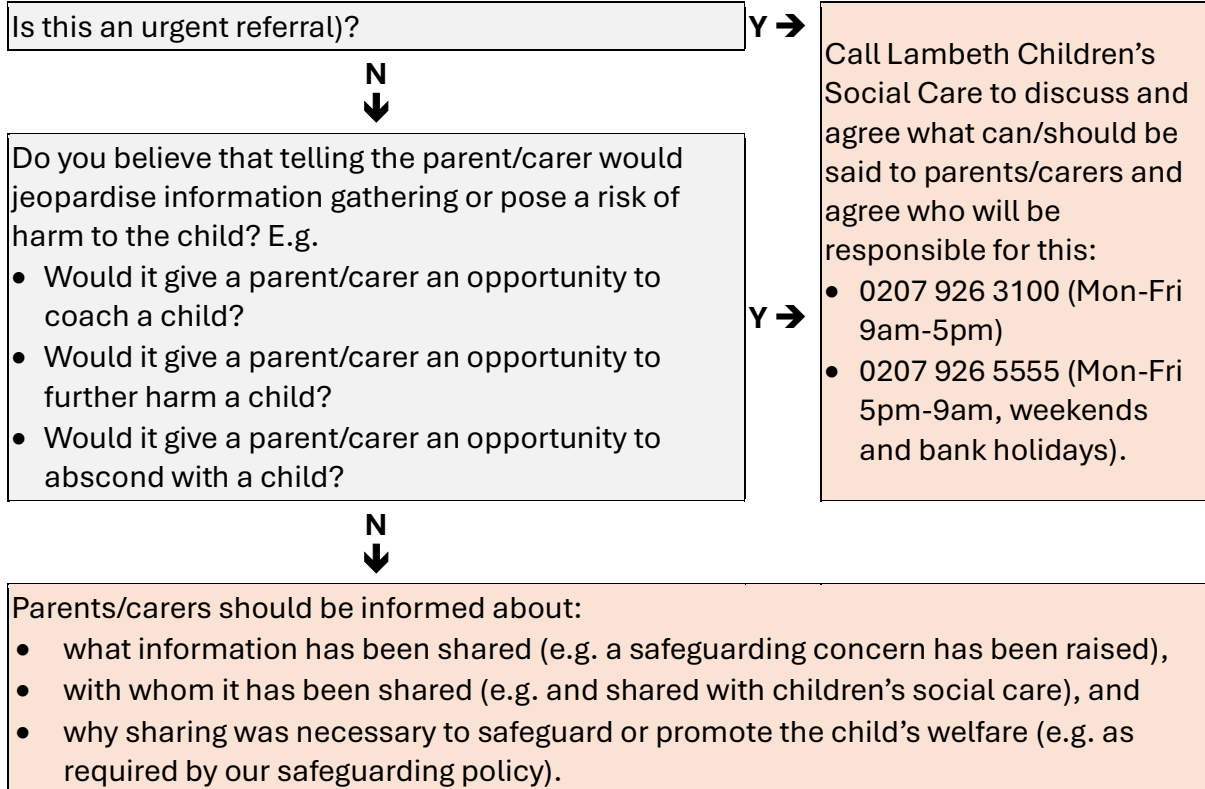
Required actions when concerned about physical abuse



Urgent referrals are required in any of the following circumstances:

- Children with life-threatening or significant injuries
- Bruises/marks/injuries in non-mobile children
- Bruises/marks/injuries suspected to be non-accidental or unexplained
- Disclosures of recent non-accidental injury and/or use of an implement
- Concerns for child's immediate safety

What should parents/carers be told about referrals?



If unsure about what to tell a parent/carer, please contact Lambeth Children's Social Care:

- 0207 926 3100 (Mon-Fri 9am-5pm)
- 0207 926 5555 (Mon-Fri 5pm-9am, weekends and bank holidays)