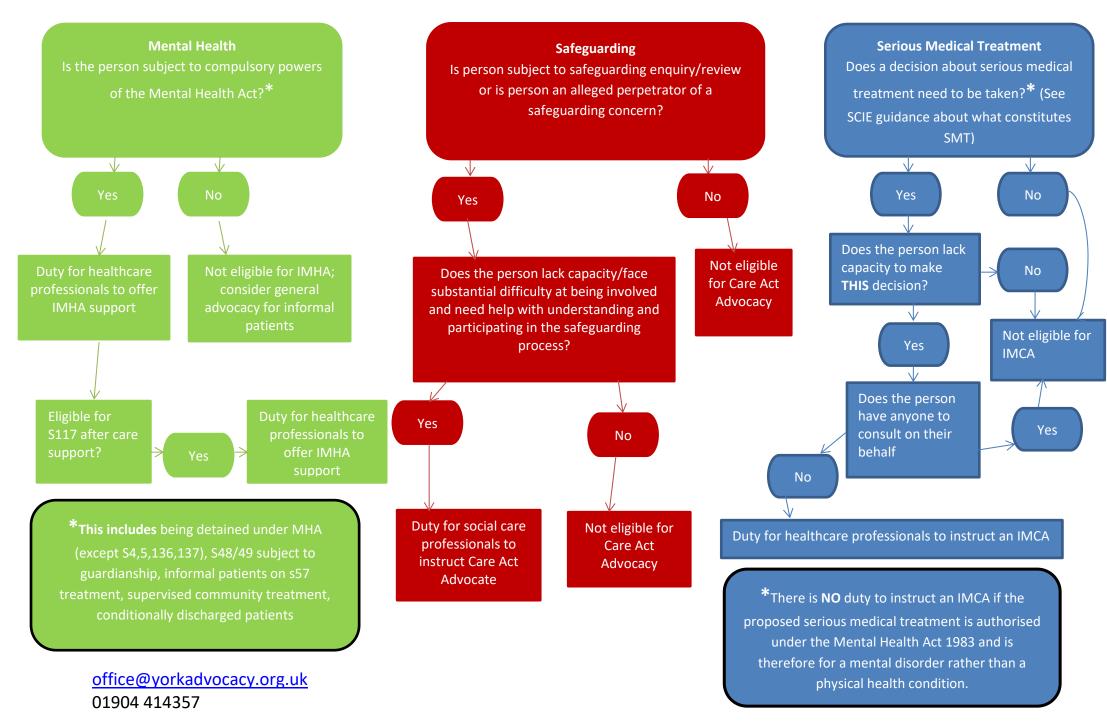
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Care Assessment, Care & Support Planning, or Review Does the person with care and support needs, or someone who is a carer of someone else, face substantial difficulty being involved in the process of care assessment, planning Not eligible for Care Act Does the person have anyone appropriate to support their Duty for social care professionals to instruct a Care Act Advocate Is there a dispute/conflict of interest in involving an 'appropriate person? Not eligible for Care

Change of Accommodation*

Could a care decision result in:

- An admission into hospital that is likely to be more than 28 days
- A move into a care home or other residential setting funded by the local authority or NHS that is likely to be more than 8 weeks

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Yes

Yes

Yes

Yes

Duty for social care

professionals to instruct

an IMCA

make **THIS** decision?

Does the person have anyone to consult on their behalf?

Is there a dispute/conflict of interest in involving an

'appropriate person?

No

No

No

Not eligible for an IMCA Does the person lack capacity to

> Do they face substantial difficulty in being involved regarding this decision?

No

Does the person have anyone to consult on their behalf?

Yes

Yes

Not eligible for an IMCA Duty for social care

No

professionals to instruct Care Act Advocate

*There is **NO** duty to involve an IMCA for short-term moves or if the person is required to stay in the accommodation under the Mental Health Act 1983.

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