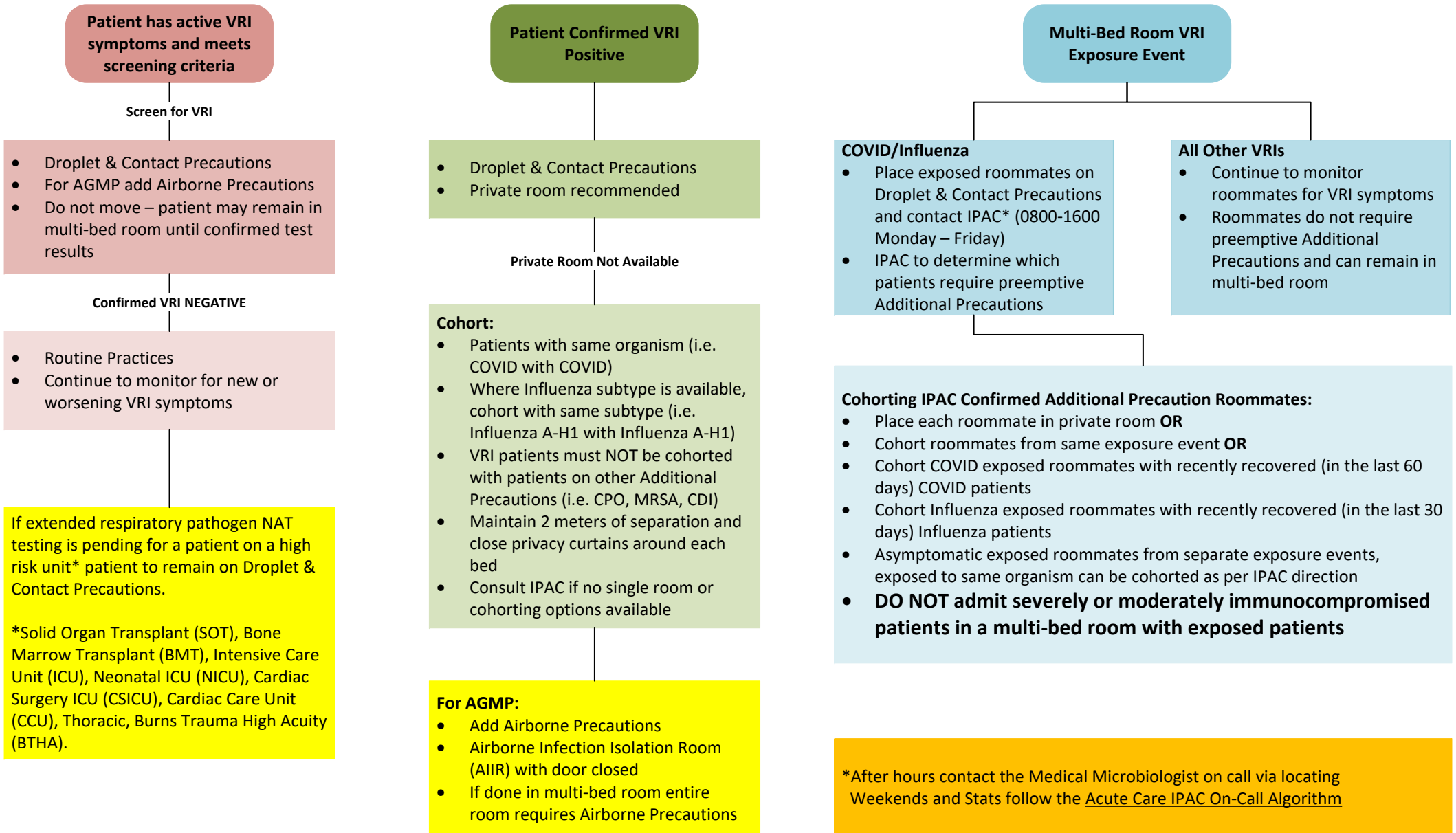


## Viral Respiratory Illness (VRI) Acute Care Patient Placement Algorithm



If extended respiratory pathogen NAT testing is pending for a patient on a high risk unit\* patient to remain on Droplet & Contact Precautions.

\*Solid Organ Transplant (SOT), Bone Marrow Transplant (BMT), Intensive Care Unit (ICU), Neonatal ICU (NICU), Cardiac Surgery ICU (CSICU), Cardiac Care Unit (CCU), Thoracic, Burns Trauma High Acuity (BTHA).

\*After hours contact the Medical Microbiologist on call via locating Weekends and Stats follow the [Acute Care IPAC On-Call Algorithm](#)