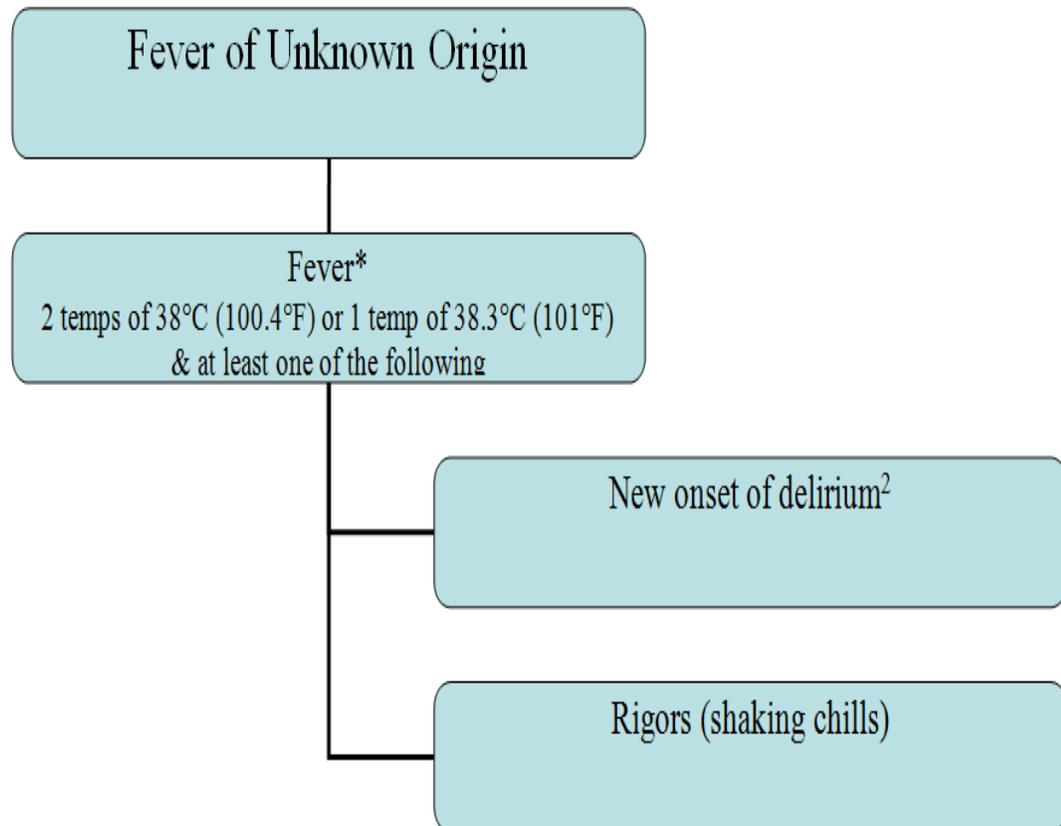


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Minimum Requirements for Antibiotic Initiation: McGeer Consensus Criteria¹



1. Loeb M, Bentley D, Bradley et al. Development of Minimum Criteria for the Initiation of Antibiotics in Residents of Long Term Care Facilities: Results of a Consensus Conference. *Infection Control and Hospital Epidemiology* 2001; 22(2):120-4.

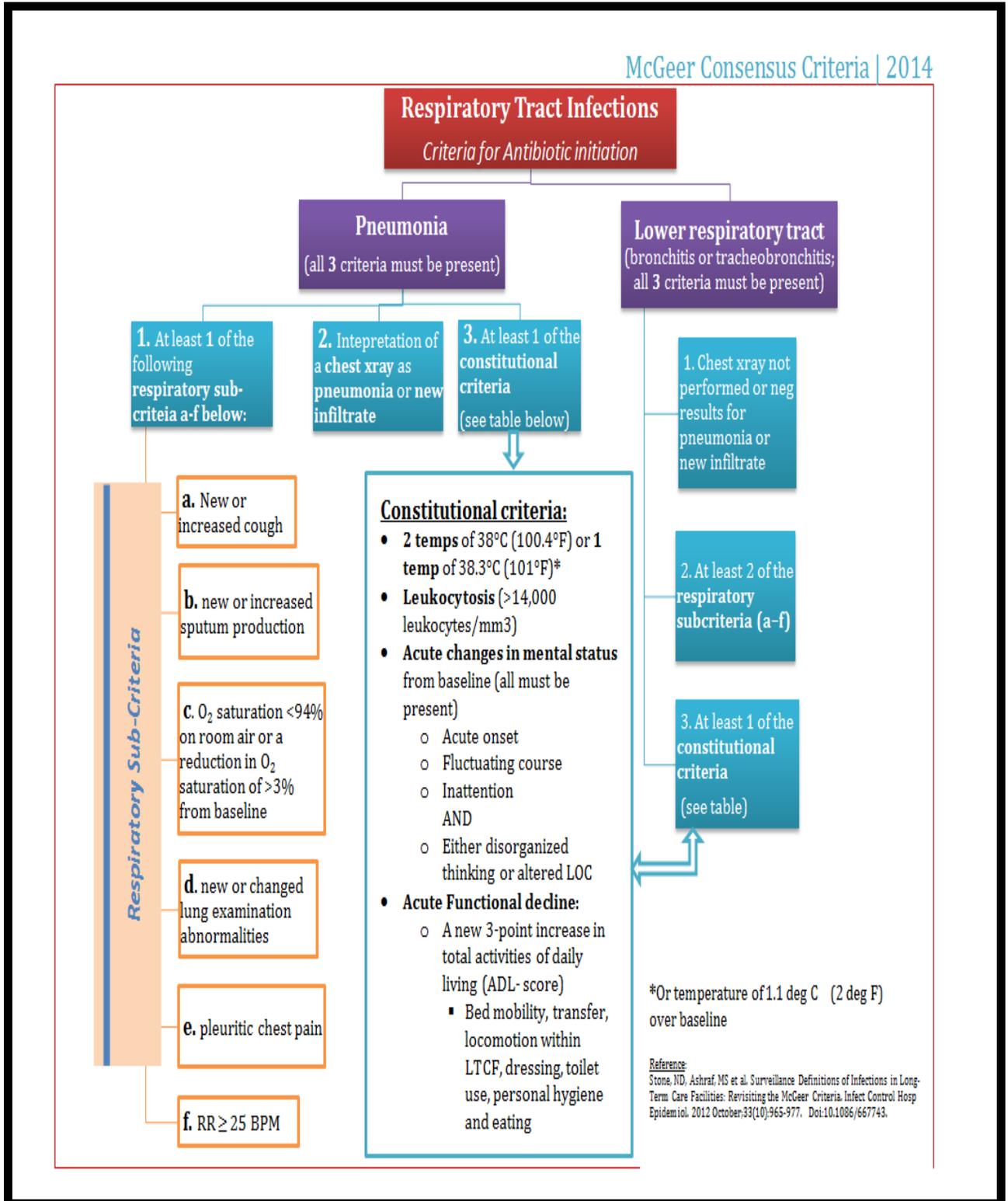
2: In this document, delirium refers to the definition of delirium in the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorder*, 4th edition²⁵; that is, disturbance of consciousness with reduced ability to focus, shift, or sustain attention; change in cognition (such as memory deficit, disorientation) or development of a perceptual disturbance not better accounted for by dementia; and development of symptoms over a short period of time, with a tendency to fluctuate during the day

***Note: Fever alone should be investigated (ie. check hx, labs, physical exam by MD)**

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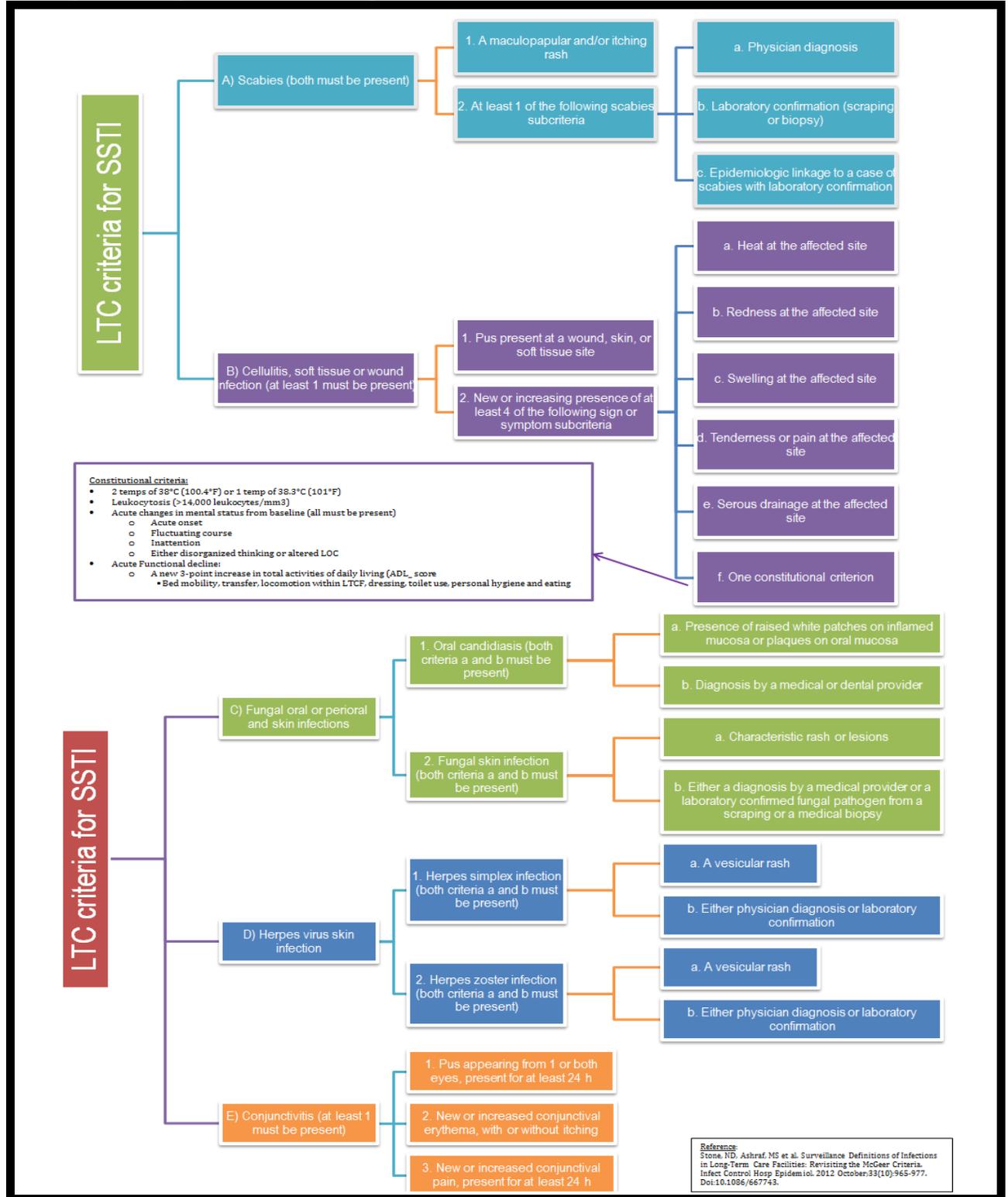
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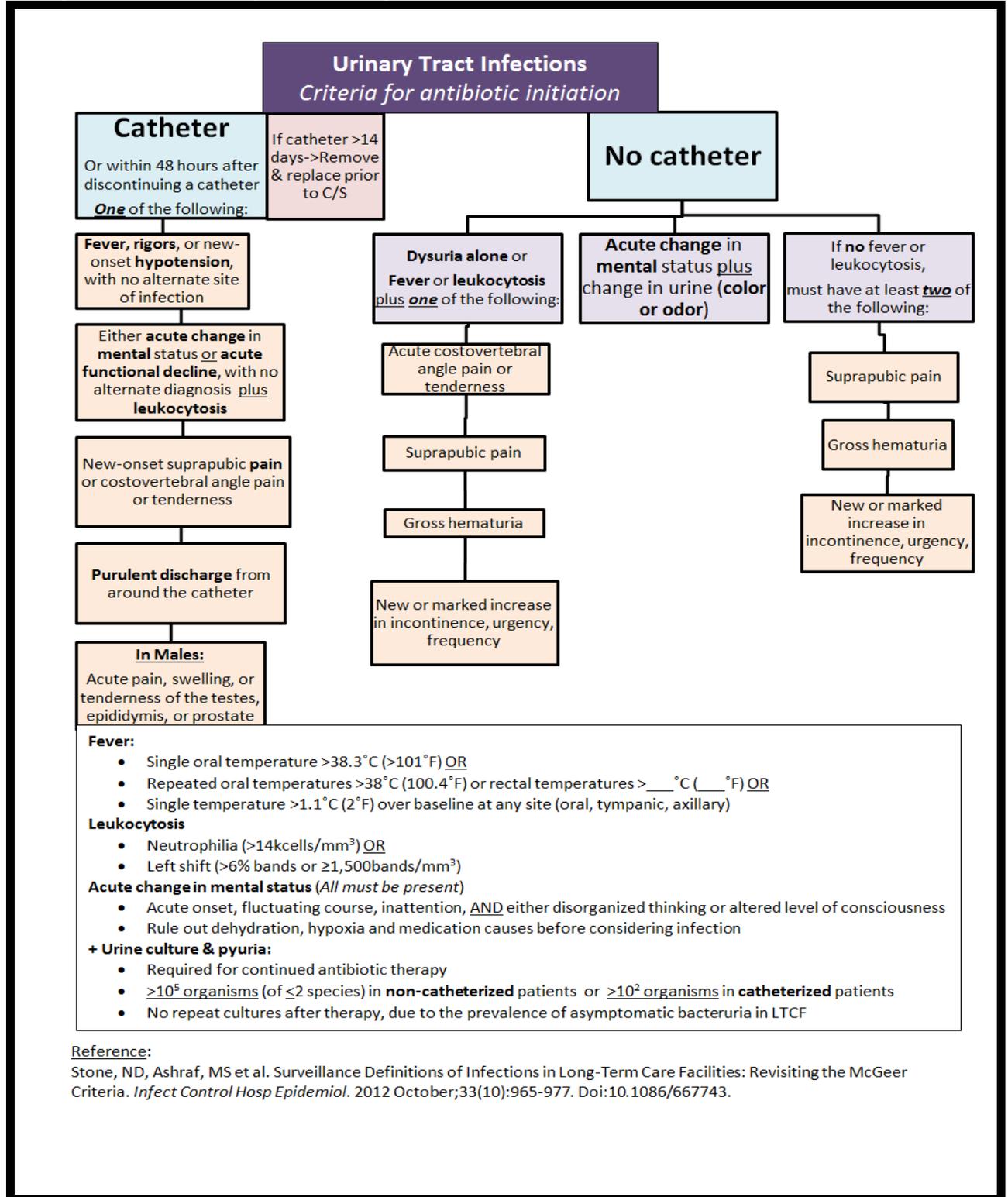
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