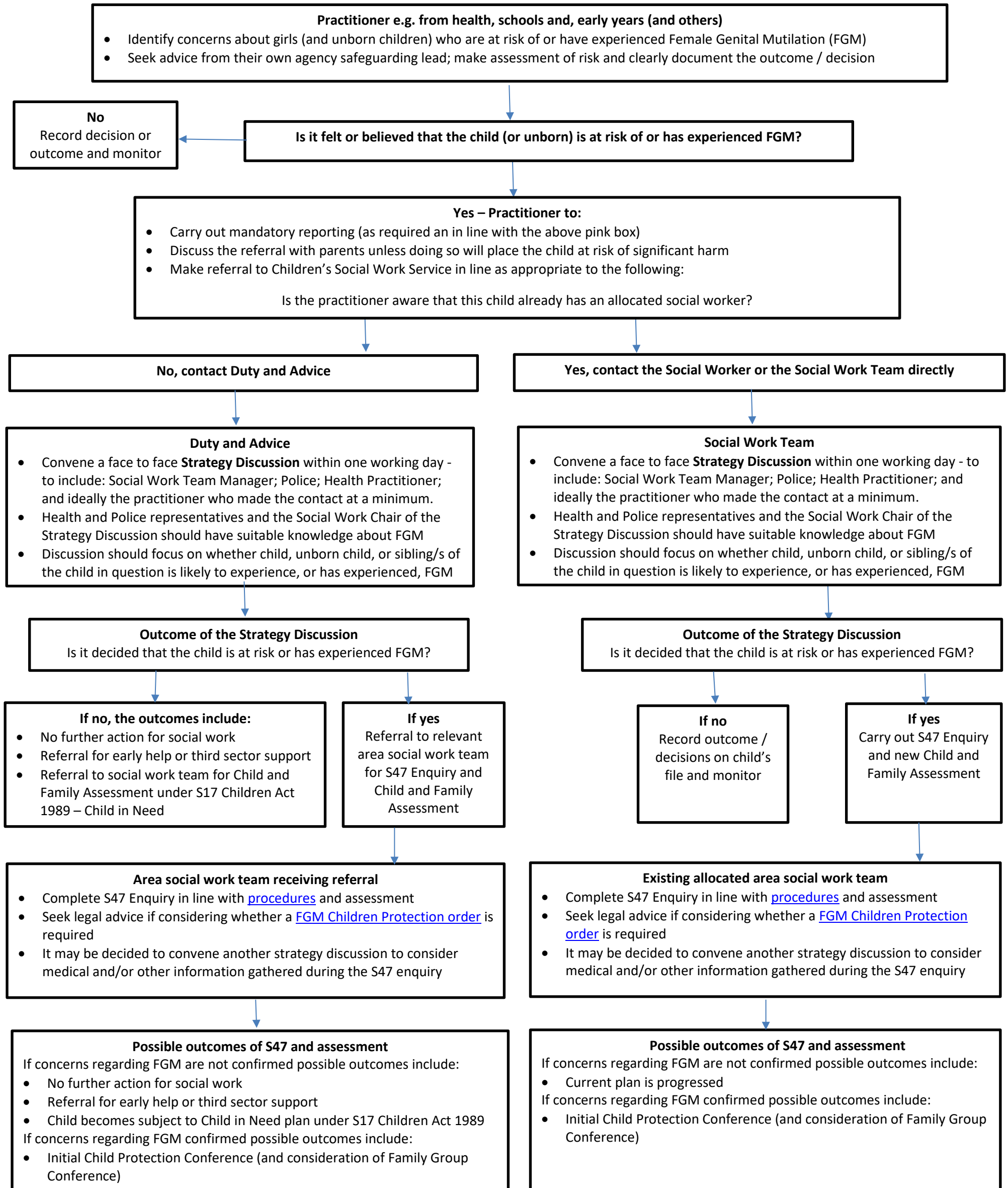


## Workflow for managing concerns regarding Female Genital Mutilation for under 18 year olds

Practitioners working in health, teaching and social work have a mandatory duty to notify the Police when they identify (informed by the girl or another person e.g. family member / practitioner or observe physical signs) that FGM has been carried out on a girl under 18 - [Serious Crime Act 2015](#) (unless a colleague in the same agency has already notified the Police in connection with the same act of FGM).  
Practitioners should complete the [West Yorkshire Police FGM Reporting Form](#) and email to [cib@westyorkshire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:cib@westyorkshire.pnn.police.uk) or call 101



### Resources to assist practitioners in undertaking Child & Family Assessment

[Department of Health FGM Risk & Safeguarding Guidance for Professionals](#) - consider questions in Annex 1 to help inform assessment  
[National FGM Centre Assessment Toolkit](#) – Consider completing toolkit