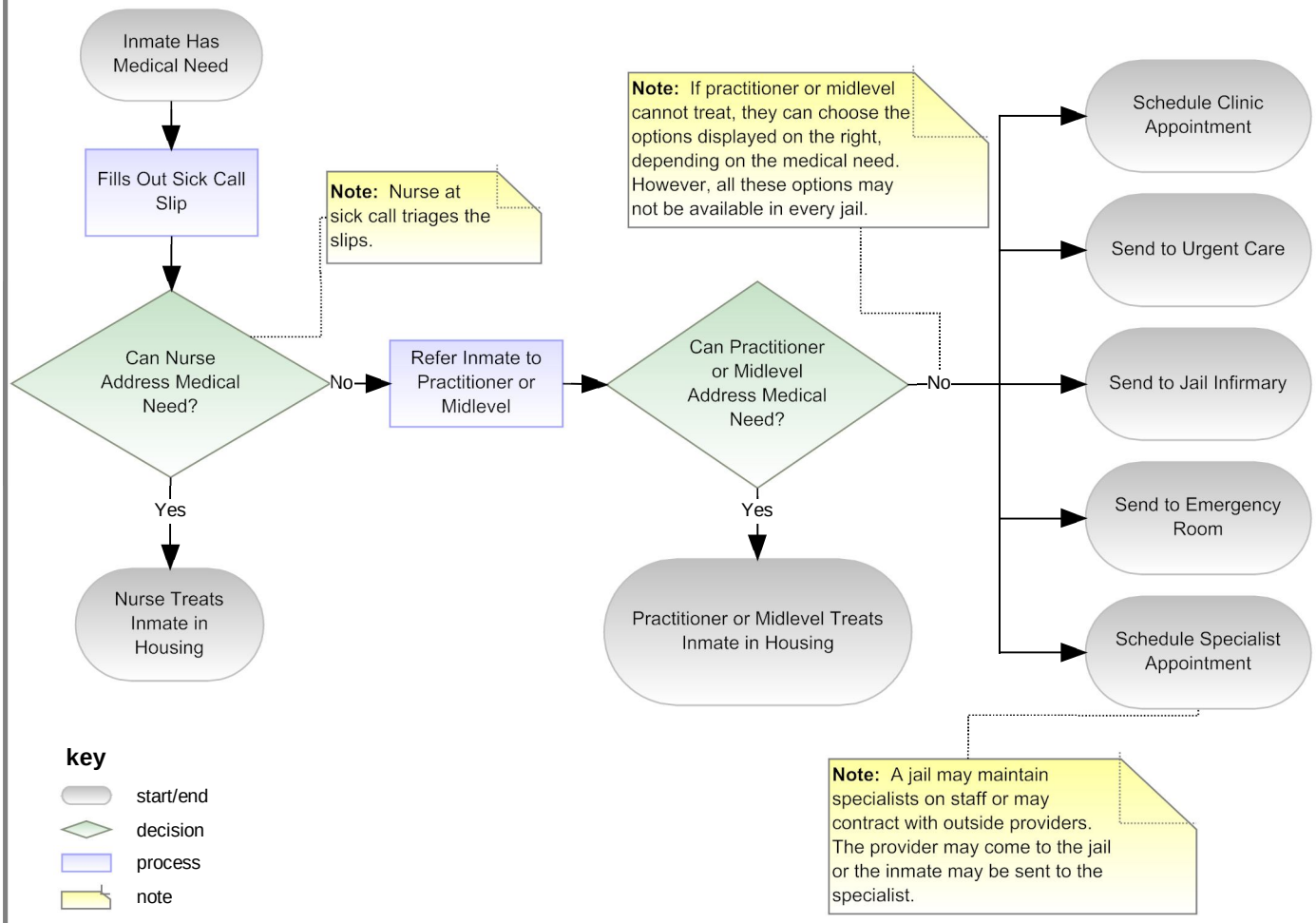
# SICK CALL


Inmate Has Medical Need
Fills Out Sick Call Slip
Note: Nurse at sick call triages the slips.
Can Nurse Address Medical Need?
No
Yes
Nurse Treats Inmate in Housing
Refer Inmate to Practitioner or Midlevel
Note: If practitioner or midlevel cannot treat, they can choose the options displayed on the right, depending on the medical need. However, all these options may not be available in every jail.
Can Practitioner or Midlevel Address Medical Need?
No
Yes
Practitioner or Midlevel Treats Inmate in Housing
Schedule Clinic Appointment
Send to Urgent Care
Send to Jail Infirmary
Send to Emergency Room
Schedule Specialist Appointment
Note: A jail may maintain specialists on staff or may contract with outside providers. The provider may come to the jail or the inmate may be sent to the specialist.
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start/end
decision
process
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