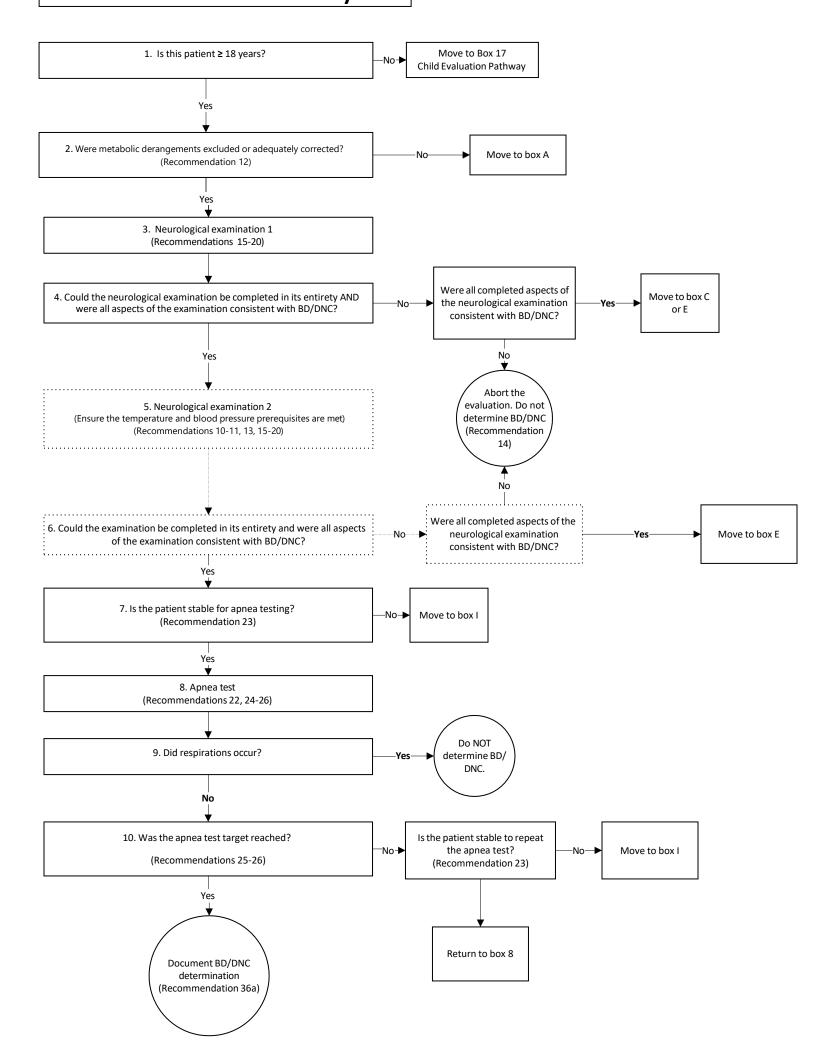
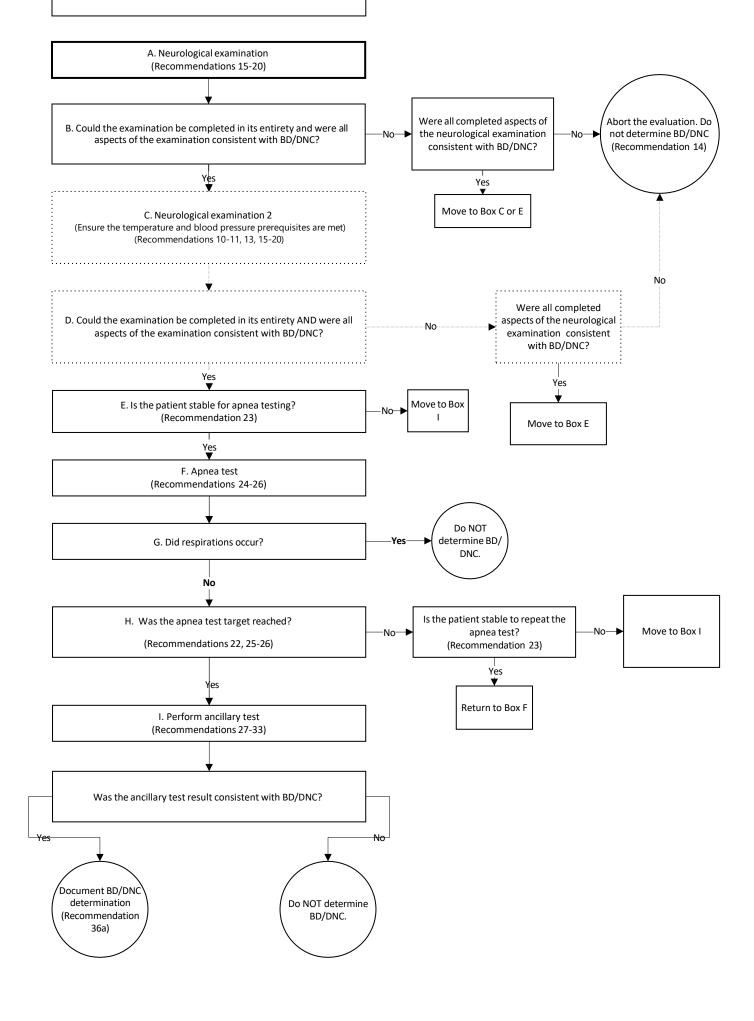


## **Adult Evaluation Pathway**



-----Dashed lines indicate optional steps for adults

## Adult Ancillary Pathway Do not start here. Go to Box 1



## **Child Evaluation Pathway** 17. Is the patient younger than 37 weeks corrected gestational age? Do not evaluate (Recommendation 2) for BD/DNC. Move to Box 1 18. Is this patient <18 years? -No-**→** Adult Evaluation Pathway 19. Have the prerequisite conditions been met? Move to Box J (Recommendations 10-12) 20. Neurological examination 1 (Ensure blood pressure and temperature prerequisites are met) (Recommendations 10-11, 13, 15-21) Were all completed aspects of 21. Could the neurological examination be completed in its entirety AND Move to Box L the neurological examination were all aspects of the examination consistent with BD/DNC? consistent with BD/DNC? Abort the evaluation. Do not 22. Is the patient stable for apnea testing? Move to Box P determine BD/DNC (Recommendation 23) (Recommendation 14) 23. Apnea test 1 (Recommendations 22, 24-26) Do NOT 24. Did respirations occur? determine BD/ DNC. Is the patient stable to repeat 25. Was the apnea test target reached? –No−► Move to Box P the apnea test? (Recommendations 25-26) (Recommendation 23) 26. 12-hour observation period Return to Box 23 (Recommendation 13d) 27. Neurological examination 2 (Ensure blood pressure and temperature prerequisites are met) (Recommendations 10-11, 13, 15-21) Were all completed aspects of the neurological 28. Could the examination be completed in its entirety AND were all ► Move to Box S aspects of the examination consistent with BD/DNC? examination consistent with BD/DNC? 29. Is the patient stable for apnea testing? (Recommendation 23) Abort the evaluation. Do not determine BD/DNC (Recommendation 14) 30. Apnea test 2 (Recommendations 22, 24-26) Do NOT 31. Did respirations occur? determine BD/ DNC. Is the patient stable to repeat 32. Was the apnea test target reached? Move to the apnea test? Box W (Recommendations 25-26) (Recommendation 23) Yes Return to Box 30 Document BD/DNC determination (Recommendation 36a)

## Child Ancillary Pathway Do not start here. Go to Box 17

