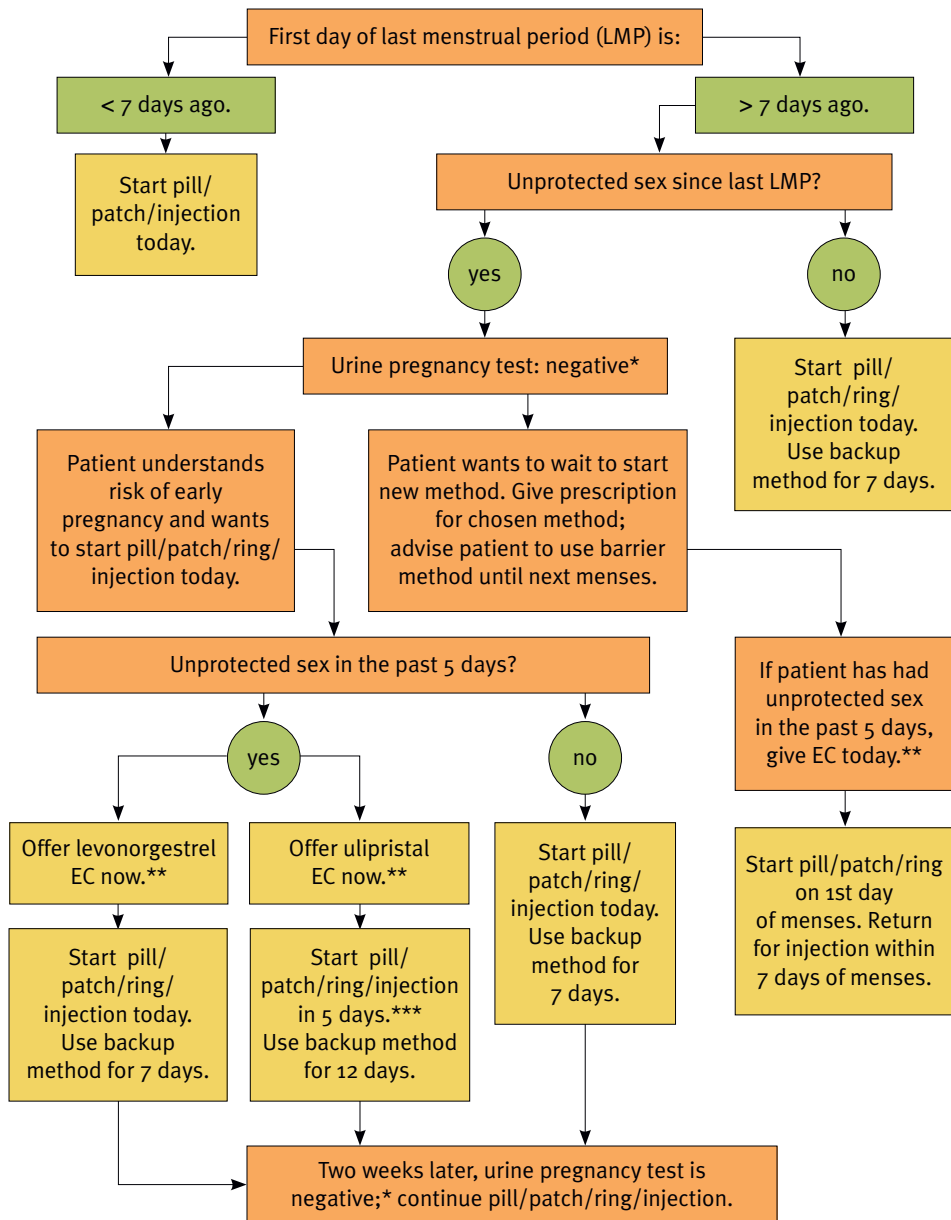
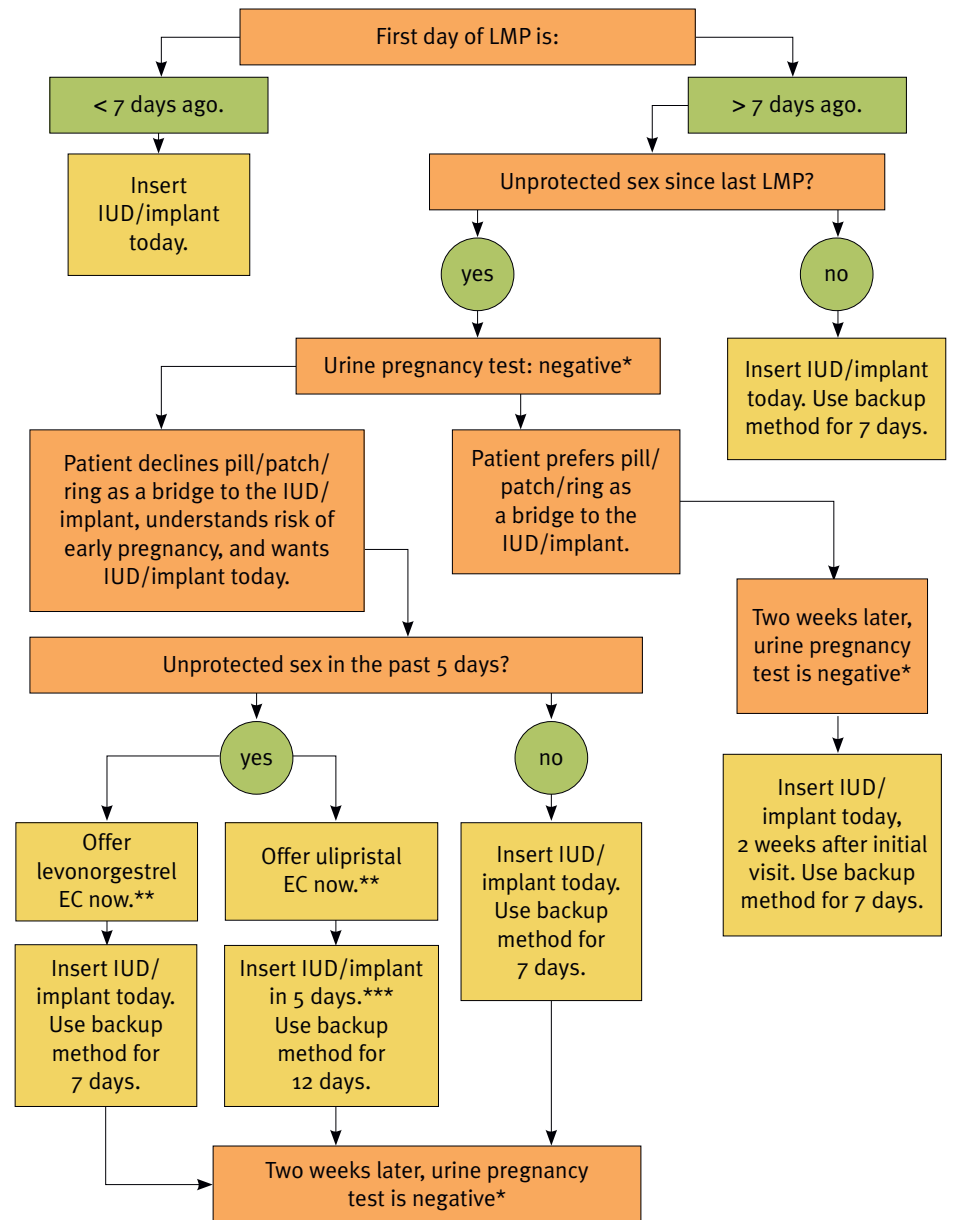


Quick Start Algorithm — Patient requests a new birth control method:

1. Pill, Patch, Ring, Injection



2. Progestin IUD or Implant

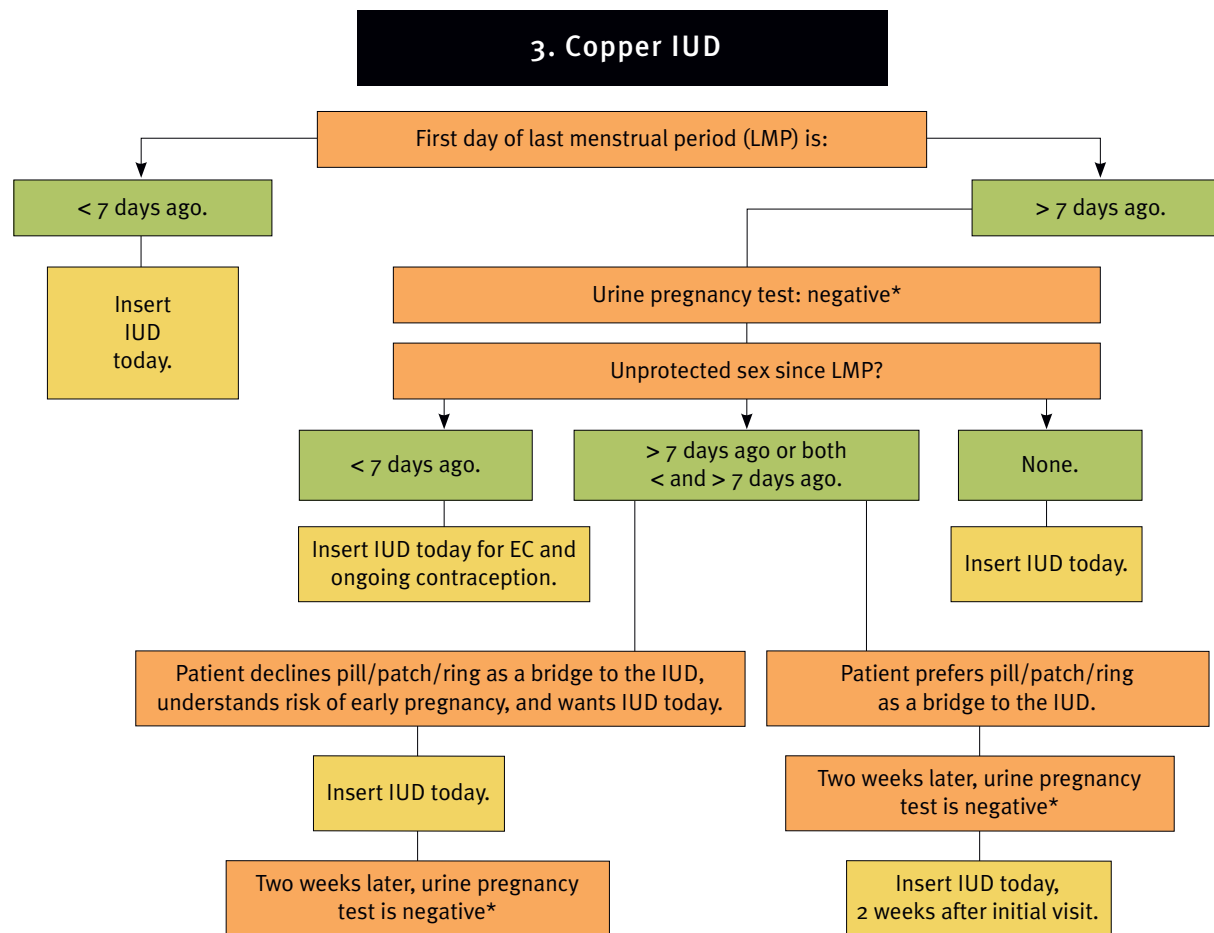


* If pregnancy test is positive, provide options counseling.

** For patients with body mass index over 25, levonorgestrel EC works no better than placebo. For those who had unprotected sex 3-5 days ago, ulipristal EC has higher efficacy than levonorgestrel EC.

*** Because ulipristal EC may interact with hormonal contraceptives, the new method should be started no sooner than 5 days after ulipristal EC. Consider starting injection/IUD/implant sooner if benefit outweighs risk.

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