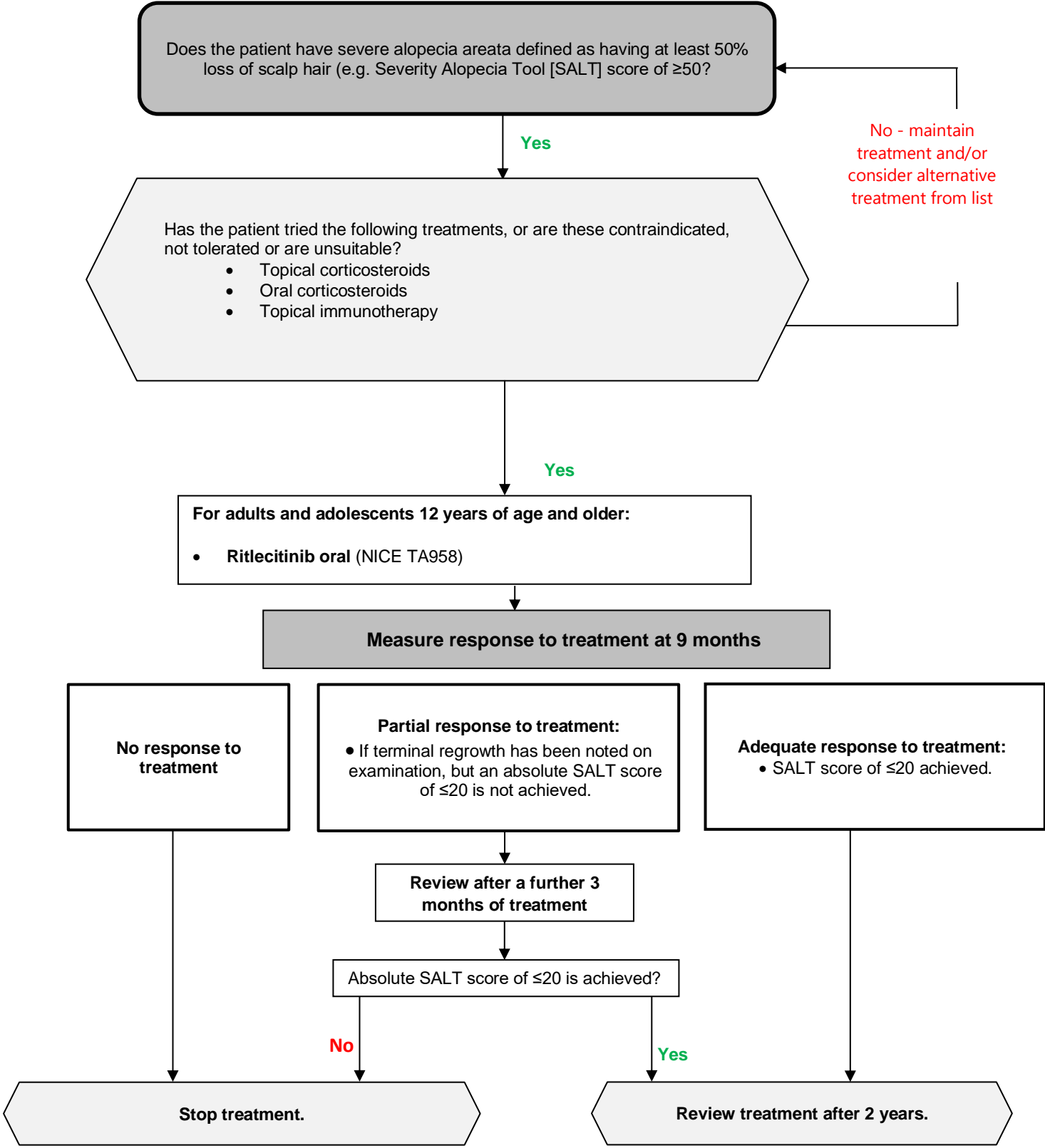


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Appendix 1: Dosing schedule

Biologic		NICE TA	Loading dose	Maintenance dose	Response measured	comments
Ritlecitinib (oral)	JAK Inhibitor (reducing the activity of enzymes called JAK3 and TEC kinases)	TA958	-	50mg once daily	SALT score reduced to ≤ 20 at 9 months plus 3 months as per above	Monitor platelets and lymphocytes before treatment initiation, 4 week after initiation and thereafter according to routine patient management. See SmPC for further details of thresholds to stop treatment.