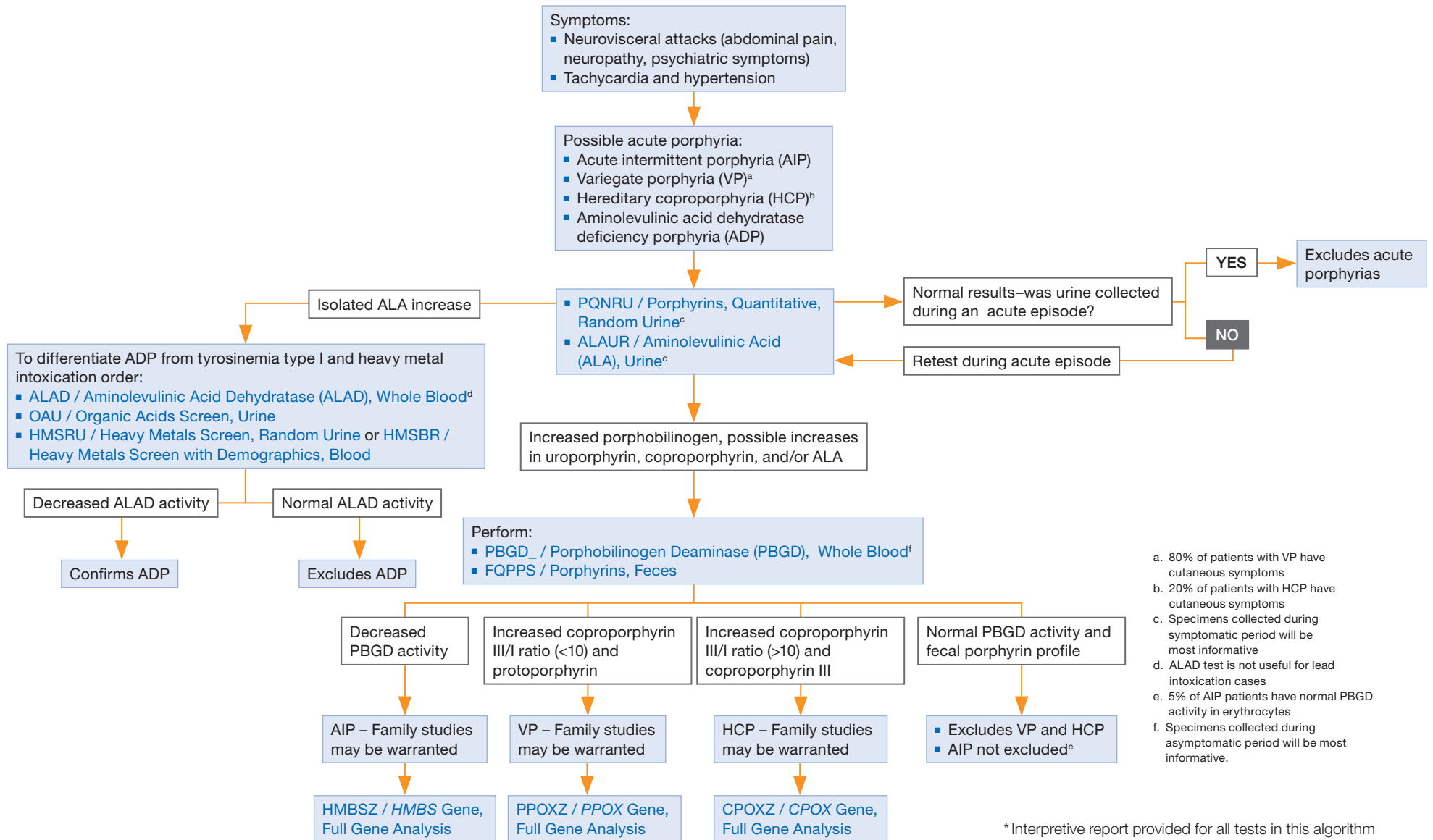


Porphyria (Acute) Testing Algorithm*



- a. 80% of patients with VP have cutaneous symptoms
- b. 20% of patients with HCP have cutaneous symptoms
- c. Specimens collected during symptomatic period will be most informative
- d. ALAD test is not useful for lead intoxication cases
- e. 5% of AIP patients have normal PBGD activity in erythrocytes
- f. Specimens collected during asymptomatic period will be most informative.

* Interpretive report provided for all tests in this algorithm