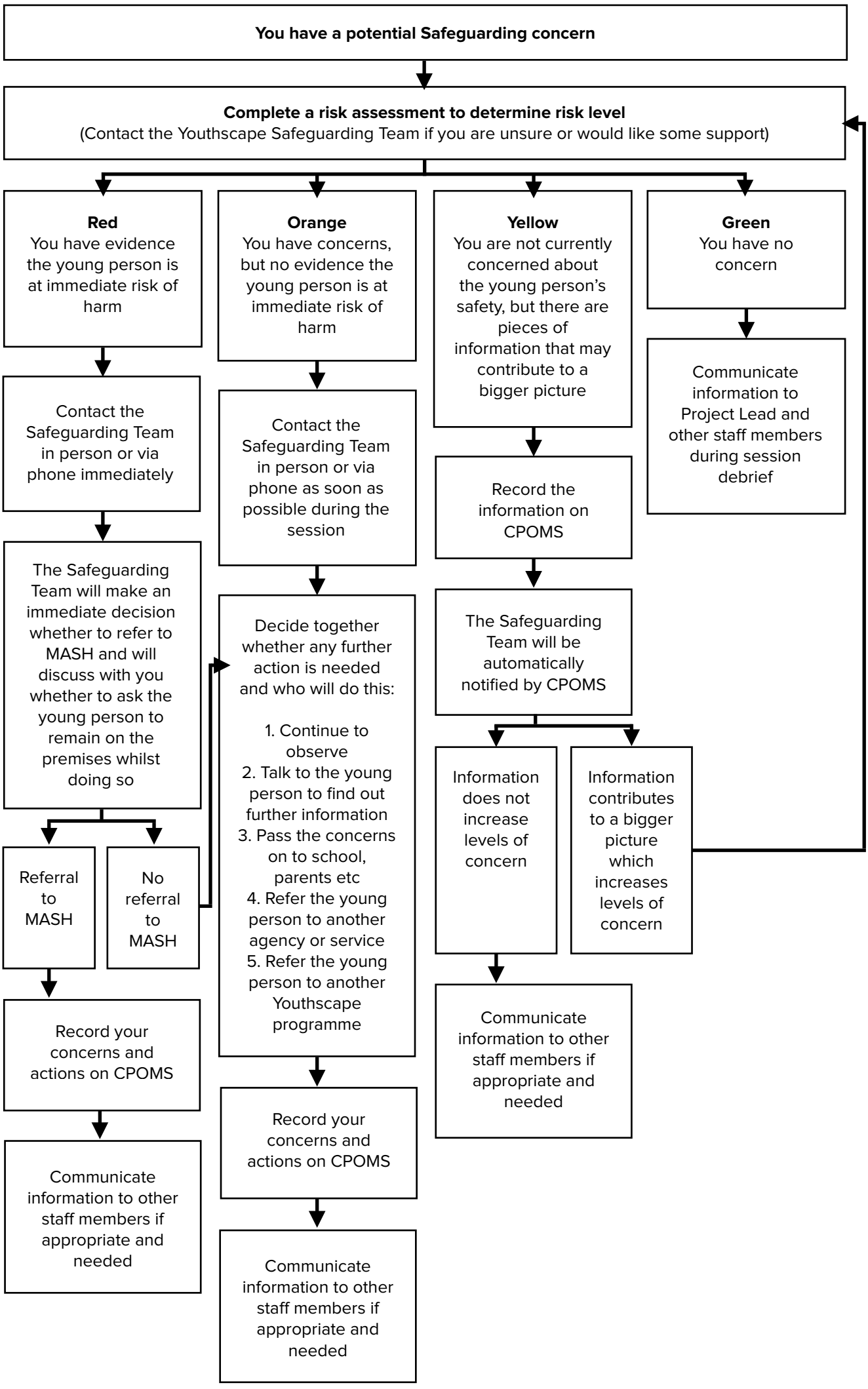
You have a potential Safeguarding concern
Complete a risk assessment to determine risk level
(Contact the Youthscape Safeguarding Team if you are unsure or would like some support)
Red
You have evidence the young person is at immediate risk of harm
Contact the Safeguarding Team in person or via phone immediately
The Safeguarding Team will make an immediate decision whether to refer to MASH and will discuss with you whether to ask the young person to remain on the premises whilst doing so
Referral to MASH
No referral to MASH
Record your concerns and actions on CPOMS
Communicate information to other staff members if appropriate and needed
Orange
You have concerns, but no evidence the young person is at immediate risk of harm
Contact the Safeguarding Team in person or via phone as soon as possible during the session
Decide together whether any further action is needed and who will do this:
1. Continue to observe
2. Talk to the young person to find out further information
3. Pass the concerns on to school, parents etc
4. Refer the young person to another agency or service
5. Refer the young person to another Youthscape programme
Record your concerns and actions on CPOMS
Communicate information to other staff members if appropriate and needed
Yellow
You are not currently concerned about the young person's safety, but there are pieces of information that may contribute to a bigger picture
Record the information on CPOMS
The Safeguarding Team will be automatically notified by CPOMS
Information does not increase levels of concern
Information contributes to a bigger picture which increases levels of concern
Communicate information to other staff members if appropriate and needed
Green
You have no concern
Communicate information to Project Lead and other staff members during session debrief