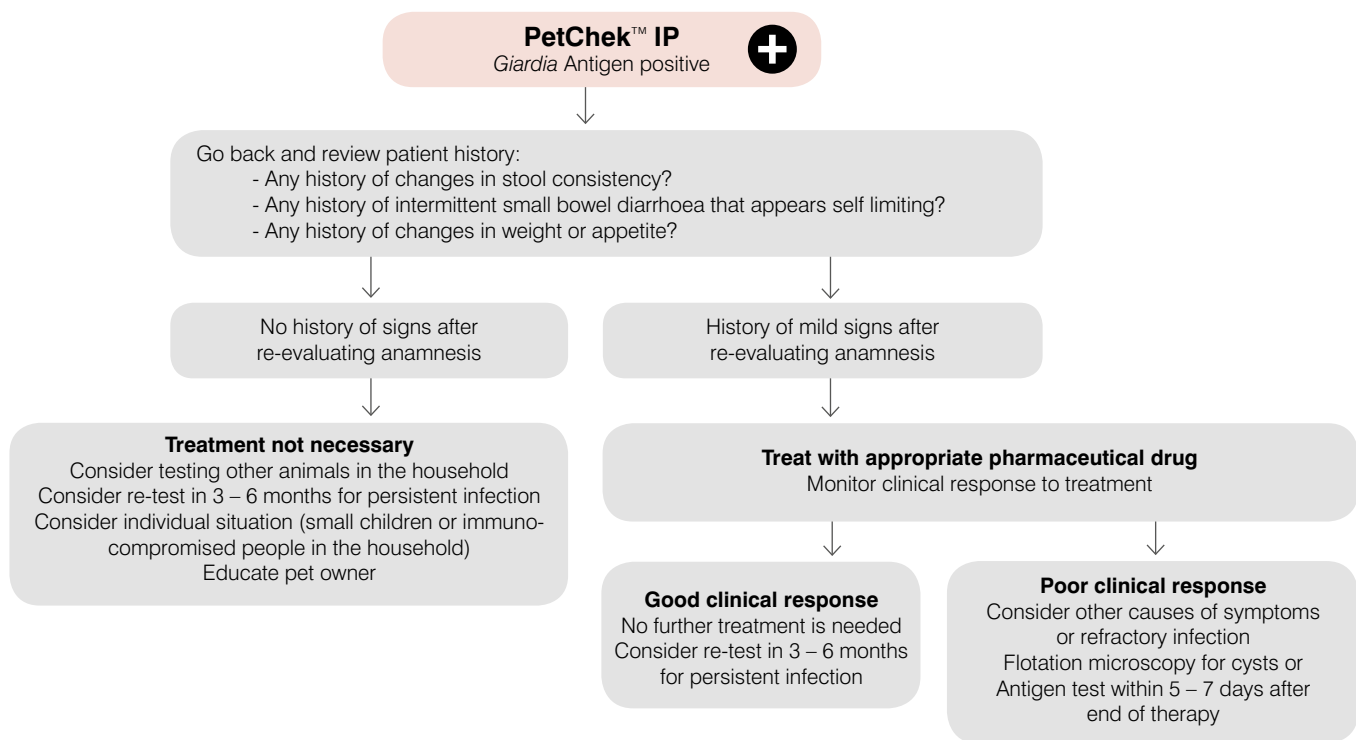
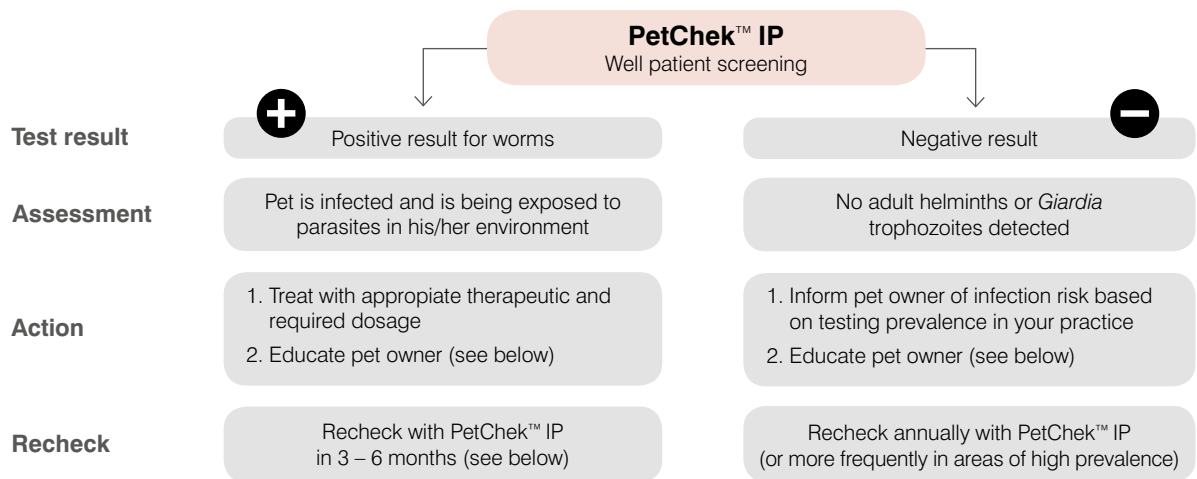


# Guidelines for PetChek™ IP

How to interpret and handle the result.



## Educating pet owners on positive animals\*:

- Good hand hygiene should be encouraged, especially in children
- Where possible, sandpits/boxes should be covered when not in use
- Fruit and vegetables intended for uncooked human consumption should be washed thoroughly before use
- Feeding pets unprocessed raw meat diets should be discouraged and fresh water should always be made available.
- Faeces should be picked up immediately when walking a dog and gardens should be cleared of faeces on a daily basis. Do not compost dog and cat waste if compost is intended for edible crops. Hands should be thoroughly washed after disposing of faeces.

## Retesting:

- A recheck at 3 – 6 months allows time enough to assess whether the animal has been re-infected via a contaminated environment or if the course of treatment was effective that is influenced by pharmaceutical choice, dosage and owner compliance.
- If clinical signs develop or are present, consider additional testing options

\*based on ESCCAP Guideline 01