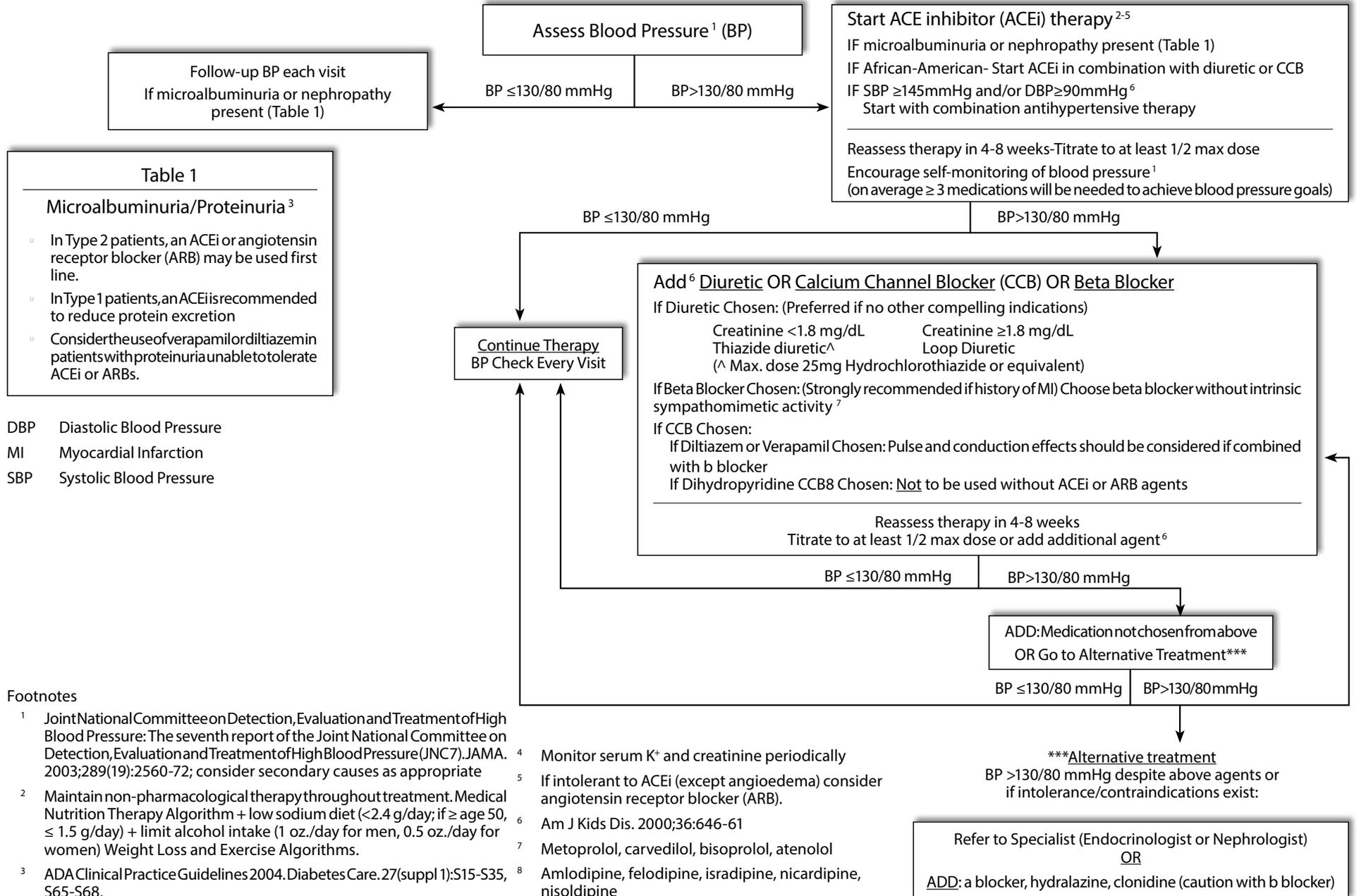


Hypertension Algorithm for Diabetes in Adults



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Proper blood pressure assessment

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