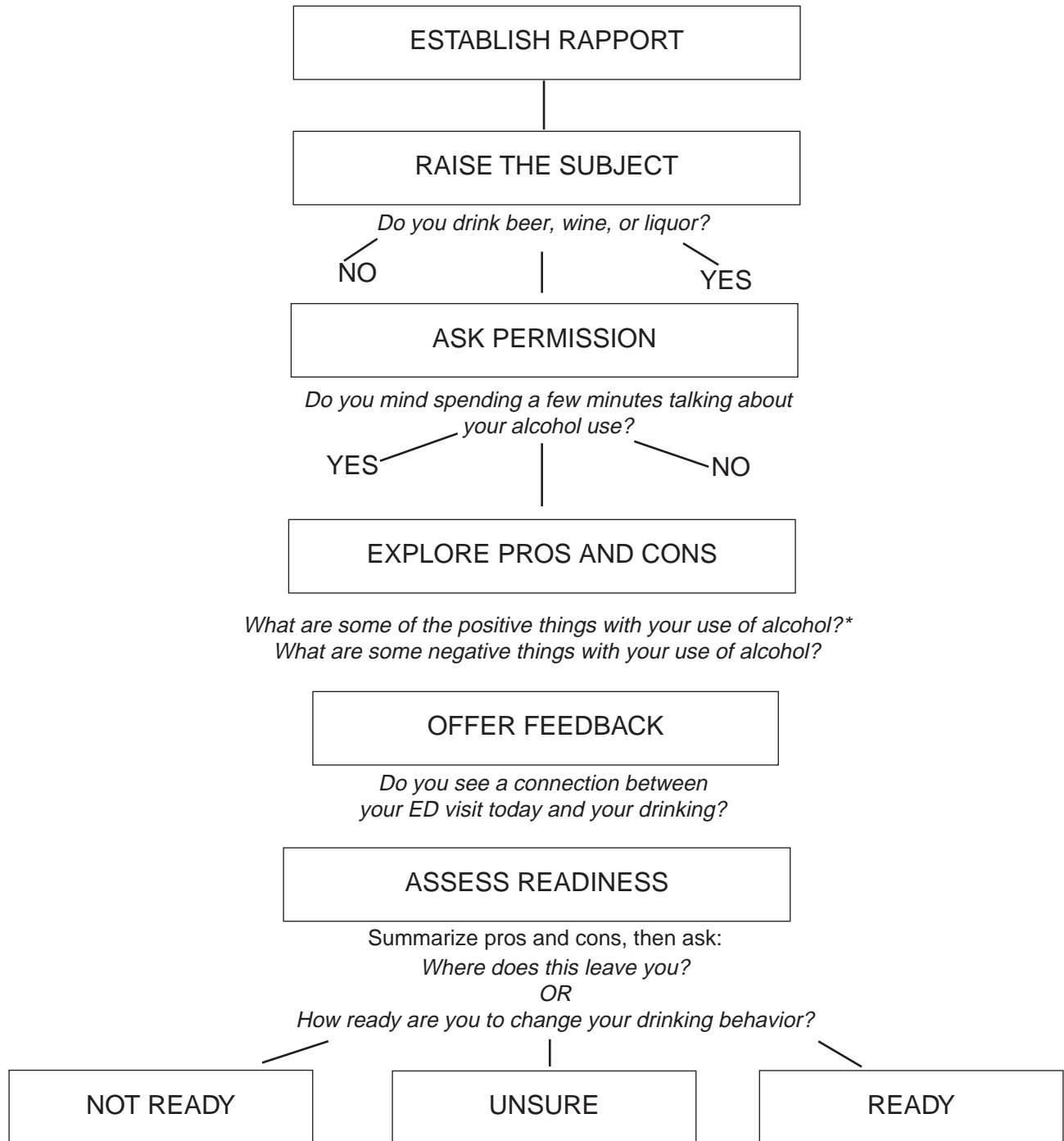


Detection and Intervention of Problem Drinkers in the ED — Brief Negotiation Interview (BNI) Screening Tool



1. Express concern.

2. Offer education and information for follow-up, including recommendations, e.g., "Do not drink and drive."

1. *What will it take to get you ready?*

2. Offer education, information for follow-up, and recommendations.

1. Help patient identify resources.

2. Make an appropriate referral for treatment.

* If patient tests positively or has Hx of alcohol problems, assess for safe discharge with appropriate referrals and instructions.

Source: National Highway Traffic Safety Administration. *Developing Best Practices of Emergency Care for the Alcohol-Impaired Patient: Recommendations from the National Conference*. Washington, DC; 2001.