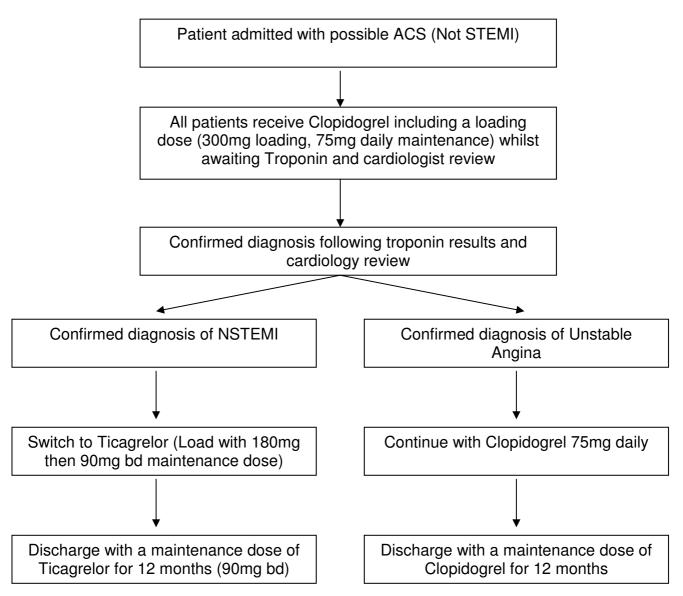


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Use of Ticagrelor in patients with possible Acute Coronary Syndrome (ACS)



NB

- All patients with a confirmed diagnosis of NSTEMI should receive Ticagrelor, unless contraindicated.
- The initiation of Ticagrelor should be restricted to cardiologists therefore cardiologist review should be facilitated.
- Ticagrelor should be given to this patient group regardless of any revascularisation strategy, usual strategy of ceasing anti-platelet therapy 7 days prior to CABG still applies.
- Ticagrelor should be given for 12 months post CABG.

This flowchart should be used alongside the different product prescribing information.