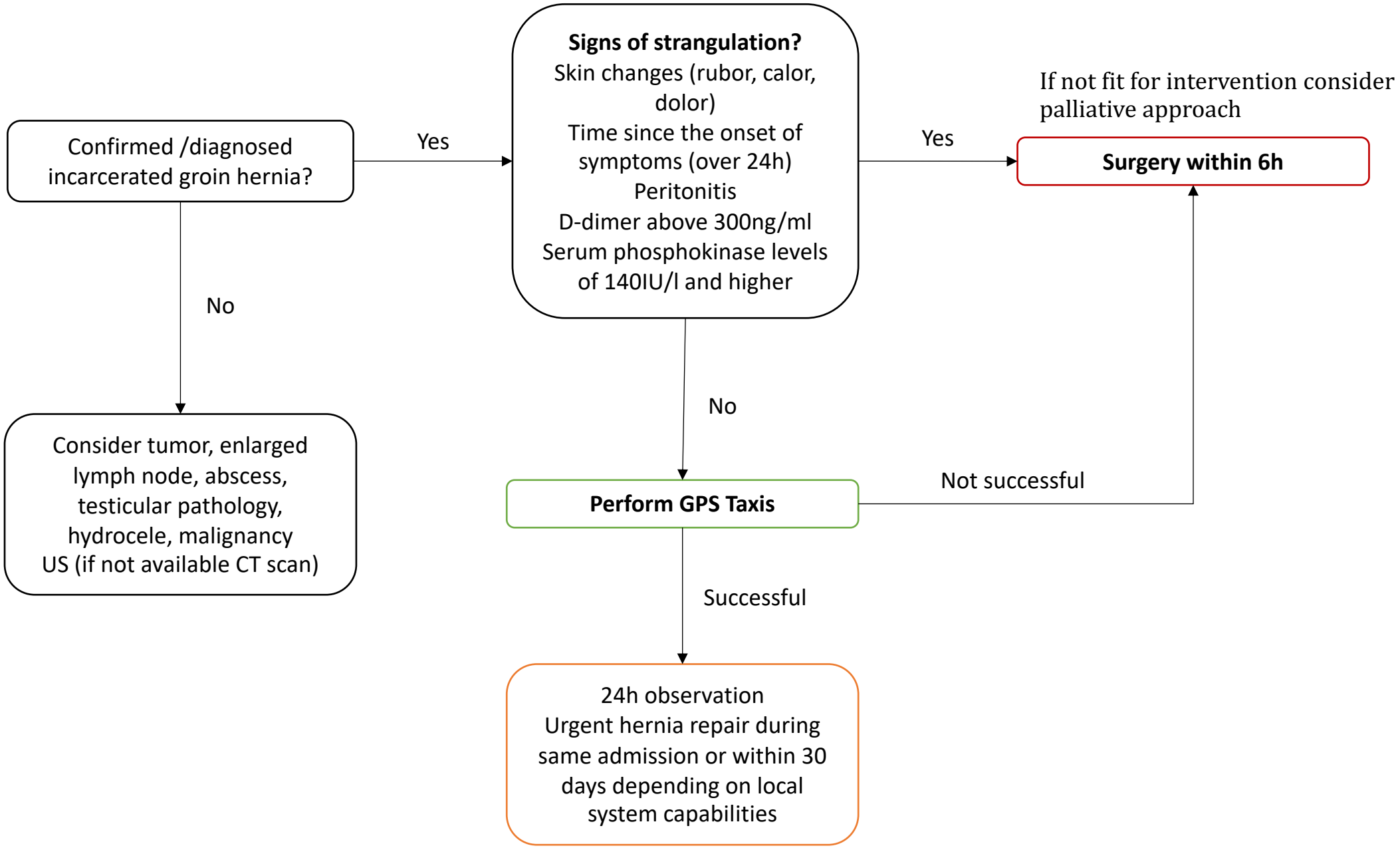
Confirmed /diagnosed incarcerated groin hernia?
Yes
No
Signs of strangulation?
Skin changes (rubor, calor, dolor)
Time since the onset of symptoms (over 24h)
Peritonitis
D-dimer above 300ng/ml
Serum phosphokinase levels of 140IU/l and higher
Yes
If not fit for intervention consider palliative approach
Surgery within 6h
Consider tumor, enlarged lymph node, abscess, testicular pathology, hydrocele, malignancy
US (if not available CT scan)
No
Perform GPS Taxis
Not successful
Successful
24h observation
Urgent hernia repair during same admission or within 30 days depending on local system capabilities