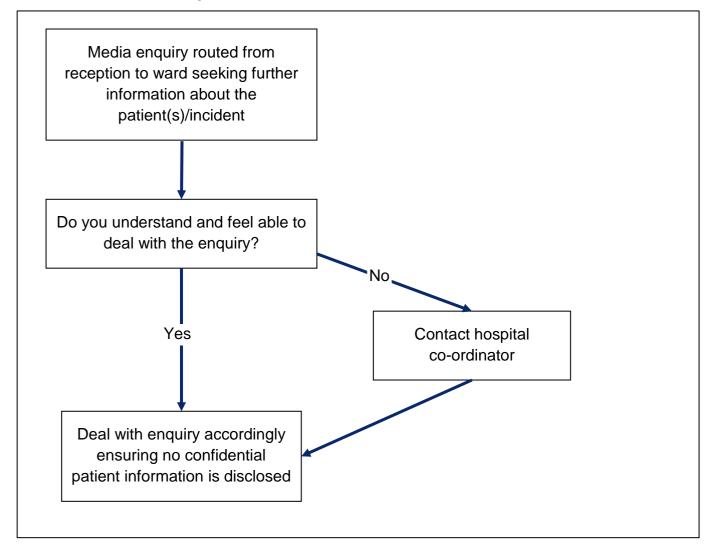


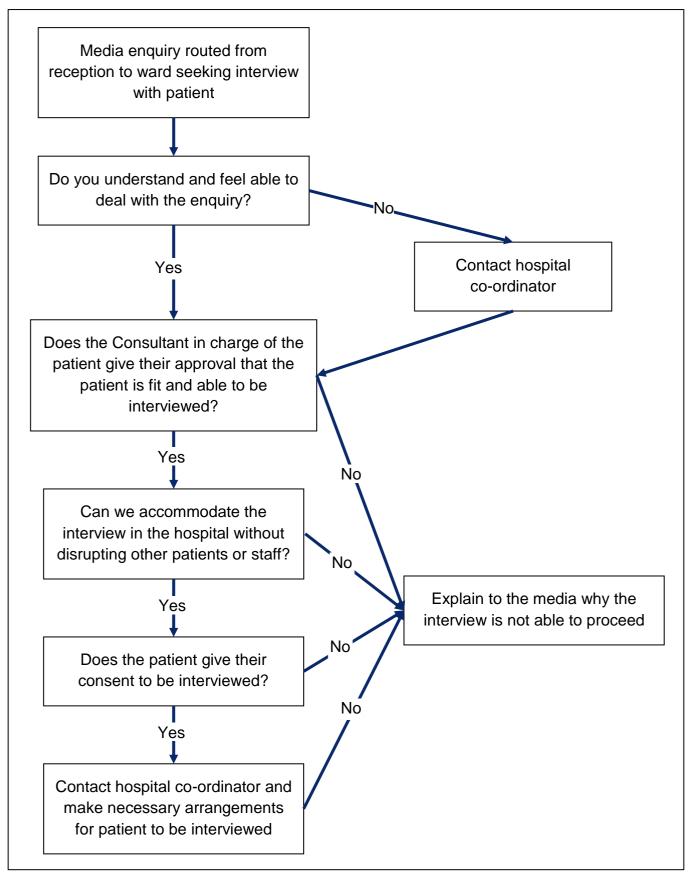
## Communications Policy Appendix 3 – Guidelines for responding to Patient Condition Enquiries

The media will occasionally contact the hospital to either seek further information about a patient(s) or to ask to interview a patient(s), usually following the patient's involvement in an incident. The following flowcharts outline the steps to be taken by staff:

## **Condition statement request**



## **Request to interview patient**



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