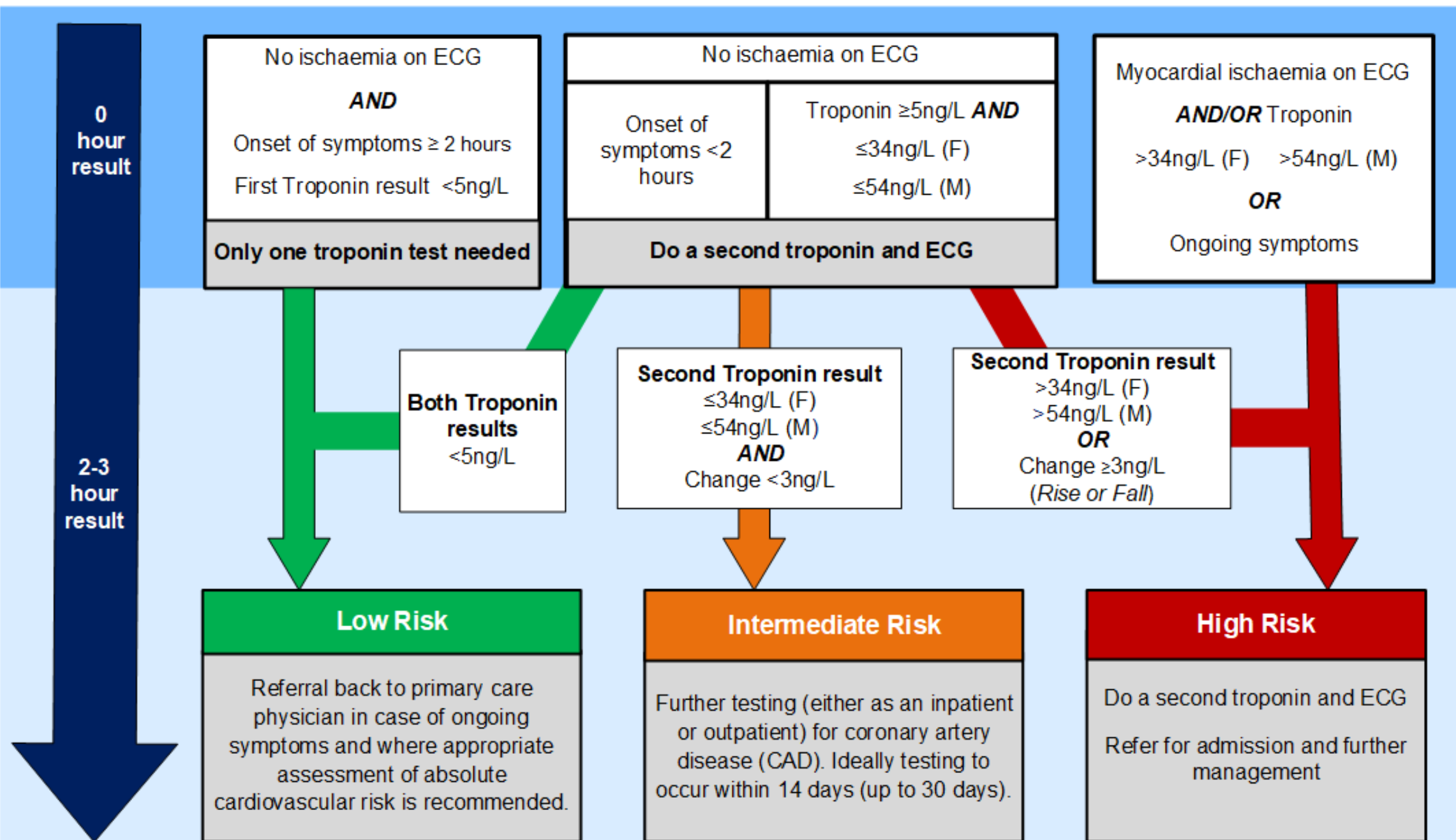


# New Troponin Assay: ED pathway

## Suspected ACS: recommendations for ED clinical use

ALWAYS consider other life-threatening causes of symptoms e.g. Aortic dissection, PE  
 Clinical pathways never replace clinical judgement. Care outlined on this pathway must be altered if not clinically appropriate for the patient



\*All patients with initial value  $\geq 5\text{ng/L}$  require a second troponin test 2-3 hours after the first test