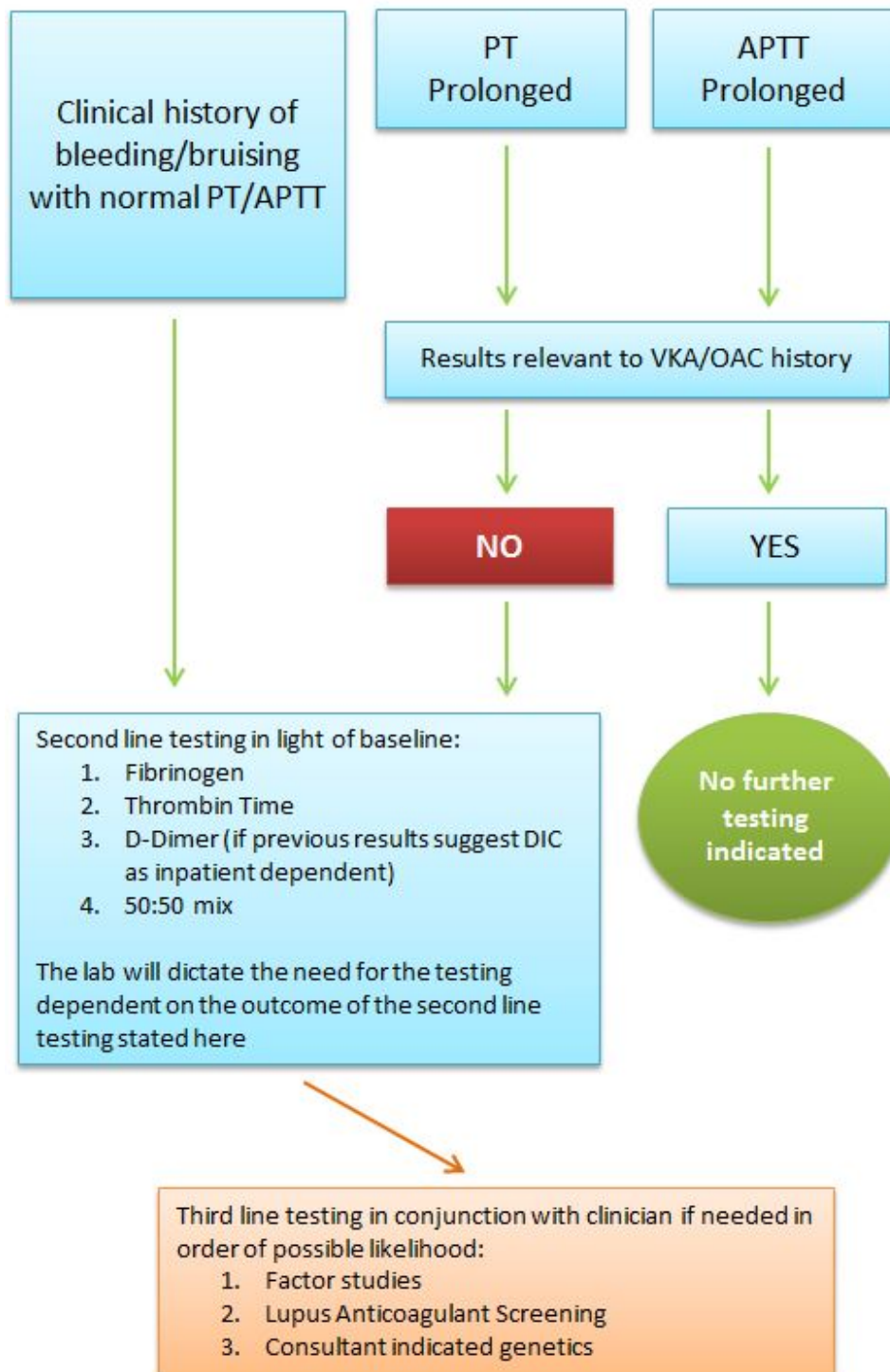


Changes From Haematology You Need To Be Aware Of

From 24 June 2019, the Haematology Department at King's Mill Hospital will no longer be performing a Thrombin Time (TT) as part of a routine clotting screen. The Thrombin Time will have the potential to be performed by laboratory staff as a second line test depending on the results of base line investigations.

As always, please provide clinical details and any anticoagulant therapy the patient may be taking (e.g. Warfarin, Rivaroxaban, Apixaban and Dabigatran). This information is vital for the interpretation of laboratory results.

The diagram below represents the test process that can indicate and highlight the need for a Thrombin Time:



For further information please call the Haematology laboratory on extension 3615