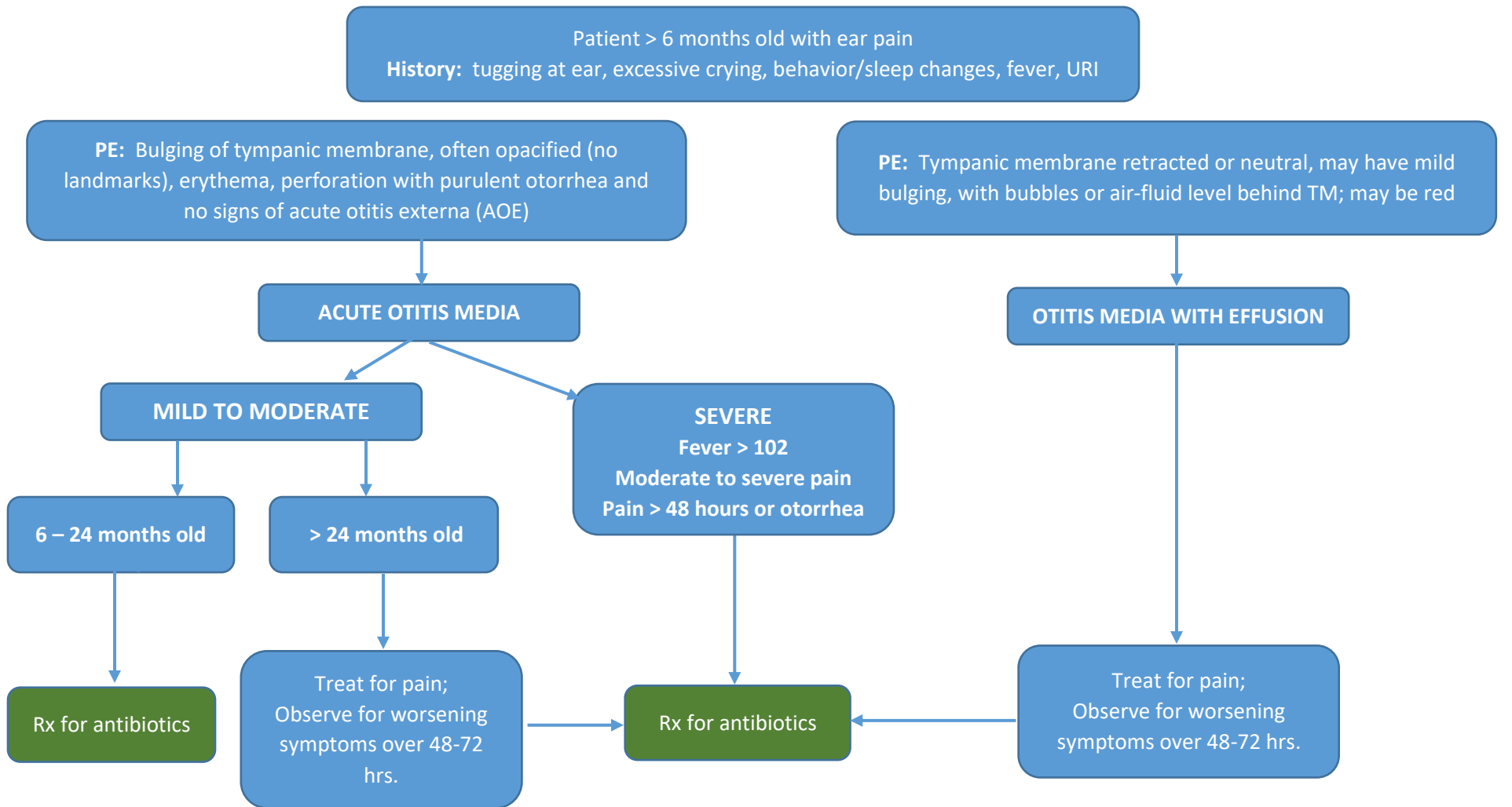


Otitis Media in Pediatric Population



Antibiotics: First line is Amoxicillin 80-90 mg/kg/day divided BID, maximum dose 2-3 grams/day; for recurrent AOM consider Augmentin or Cefdinir; for true Amoxicillin allergy consider Cefdinir

Referral to ENT for infections not clearing up with antibiotics, recurrent ear infections (usually >6/year, and or associated hearing loss or speech delay)