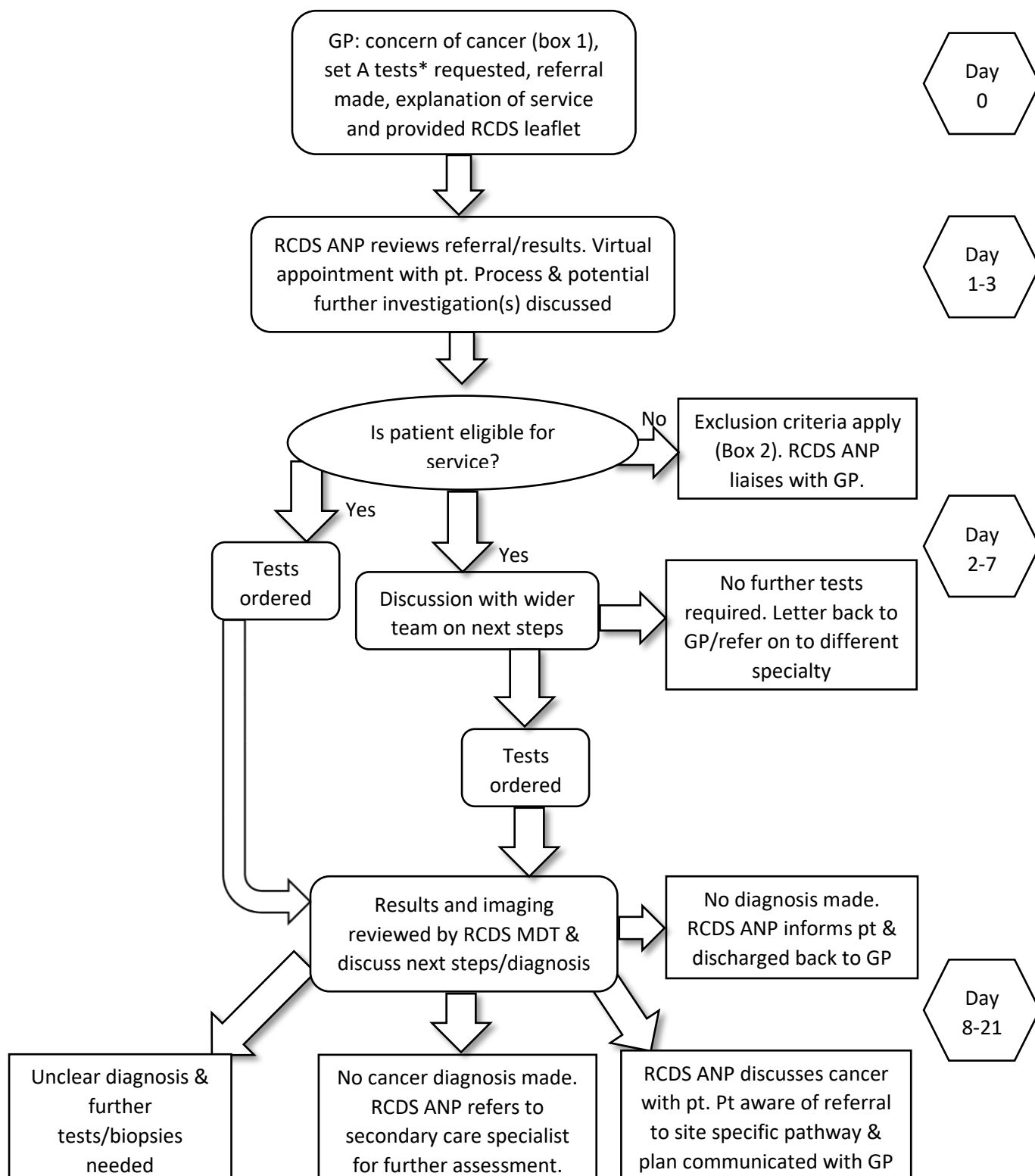


## Rapid Cancer Diagnostic Service Process



**Box 1 Inclusion Criteria**

>18 years of age  
Vague Symptoms:  
Unexplained weight loss  
Severe unexplained fatigue  
Persistent nausea or  
appetite loss  
New atypical pain  
Unexplained lab findings  
Patient fit enough for  
further investigation  
Set A tests requested by GP  
GP gut feeling of potential  
cancer  
Does not meet criteria for  
site specific pathways

**Box 2 Exclusion Criteria**

<18 years of age  
Meets criteria for site  
specific pathway  
Symptoms most likely due  
to cancer recurrence  
Patients seen by RCDS  
within last 3 months with  
no new symptoms  
A serious non cancer  
diagnosis is highly likely

**GP requests Set A tests:**

FBC  
CRP  
U&E  
LFT  
Bone  
TFT  
HbA1c  
Ferritin/Iron studies  
B12/Folate  
Coeliac screen (results not required < referral)  
PSA or CA-125

**Include in referral:**

Urine dip result  
Recent Weight  
Full physical exam  
Breast or PR exam

**GP consider Set B if appropriate.****Discuss with RCDS as required:**

GGT  
LDH  
Hep/HIV  
Myeloma screen  
Serum ACE  
ANA/ENA  
dsDNA  
Rh factor  
Anti-CCP