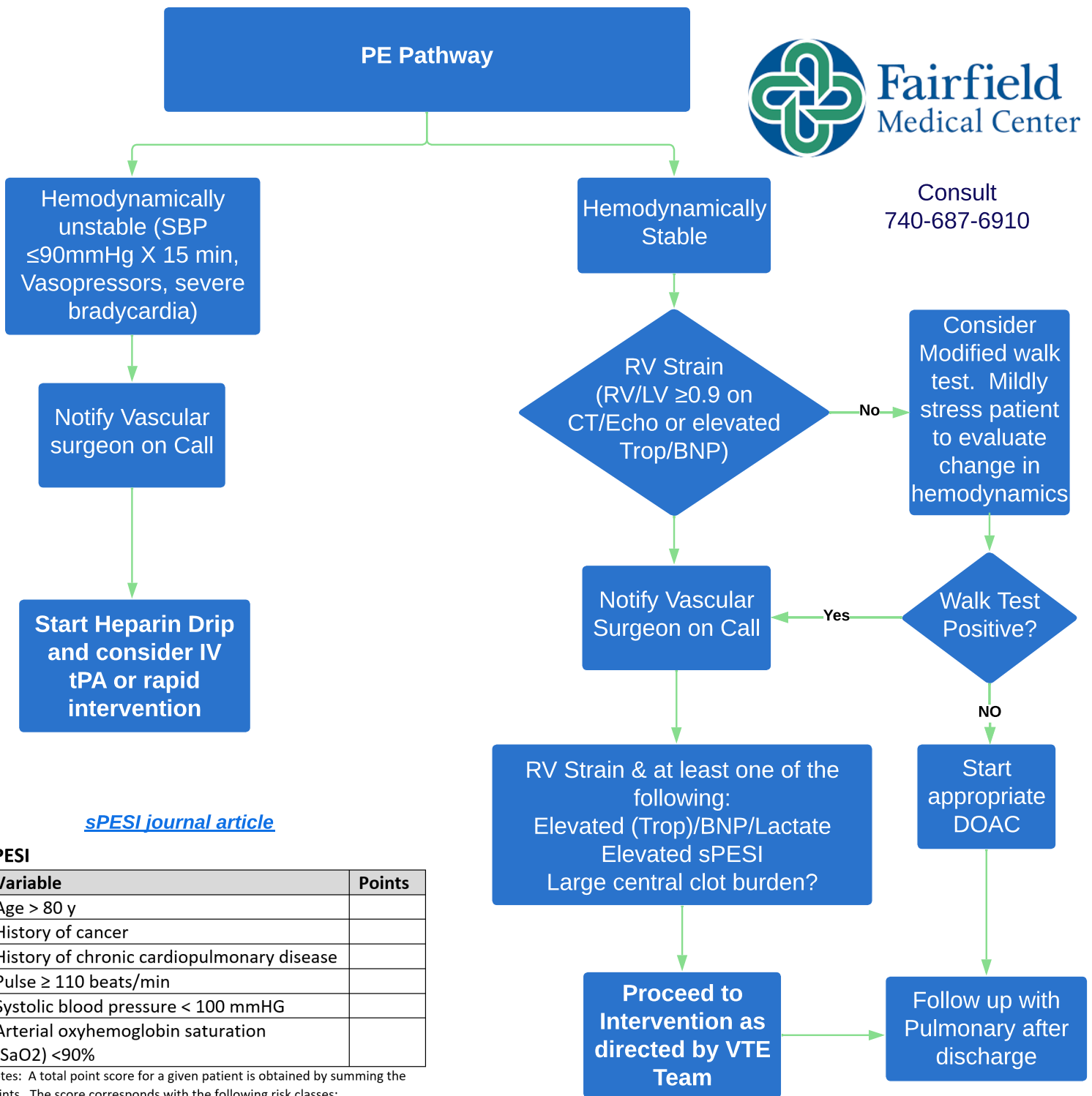


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Variable	Points
Age > 80 y	
History of cancer	
History of chronic cardiopulmonary disease	
Pulse ≥ 110 beats/min	
Systolic blood pressure < 100 mmHG	
Arterial oxyhemoglobin saturation (SaO <sub>2</sub> ) <90%	

Notes: A total point score for a given patient is obtained by summing the Points. The score corresponds with the following risk classes:  
0=low risk      ≤1=high risk

**To Order**

- CT PE protocol
- Echo
- EKG (alert PERT if LBBB)
- Venous US Legs (Routine)
- Troponins, proBNP, Lactate,
- Assess Hgb

**Clinical Assessment**

- Vitals: Particularly hypoxia, tachycardia, tachypnea, & BP
- Hx Syncopal/near Syncopal episode
- Currently taking or history of anti-coagulation

**Prepare for Intervention**

- Start Heparin/Low MWH immediately
- Do not hold or delay Heparin drip/Low MWH for intervention
- Keep patient NPO