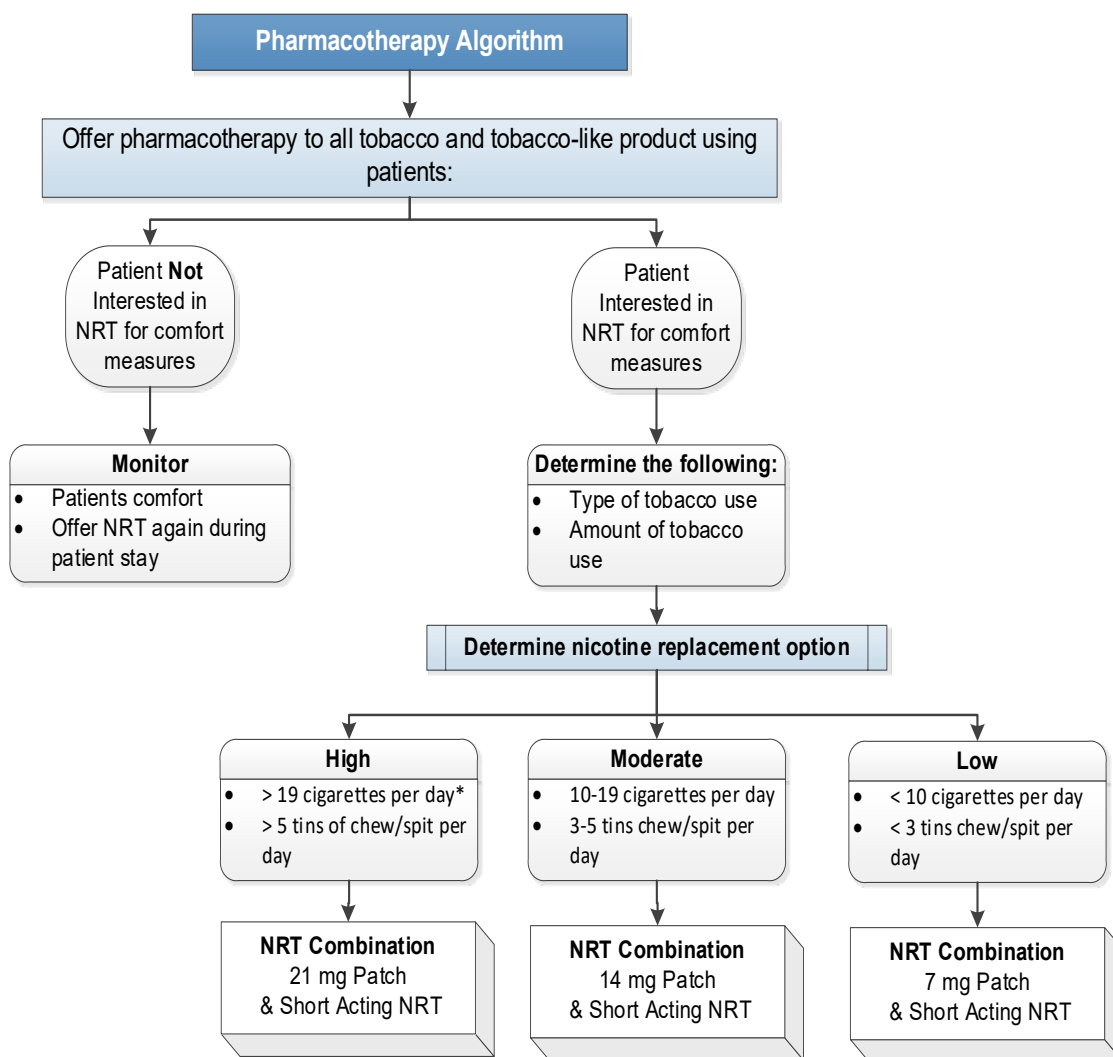


AHS Pharmacotherapy Algorithm – Adult Inpatient

As an integral part of its Tobacco Care Pathway in acute care and outpatient settings, Alberta Health Services (AHS) developed the following pharmacotherapy algorithm to assist staff in providing medication to patients/clients to manage nicotine withdrawal and support smoking cessation.



* For those who smoke greater than 25 cigarettes per day a consultation with Pharmacy is recommended to assess NRT therapy