Appendix 1: Primary eye care decision aid

Patient telephones optometrist for advice

- **YES**
  - Is face-to-face assessment required?
    - **YES**
      - Is the likely diagnosis within the clinical competency of advising optometrist?
        - **YES**
          - Telephone advice +/- remote prescribing
        - **NO**
          - Optometry assessment and management +/- remote advice from ophthalmologist +/- remote prescribing
    - **NO**
      - Arrange assessment at local ophthalmology service
  - **NO**
    - Telephone advice +/- remote prescribing