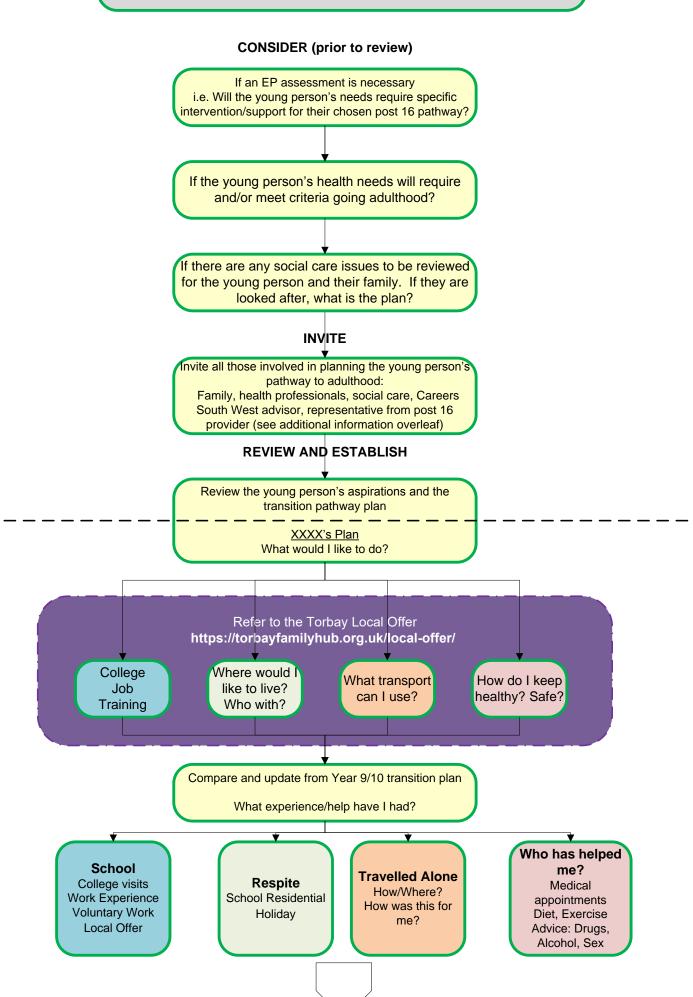
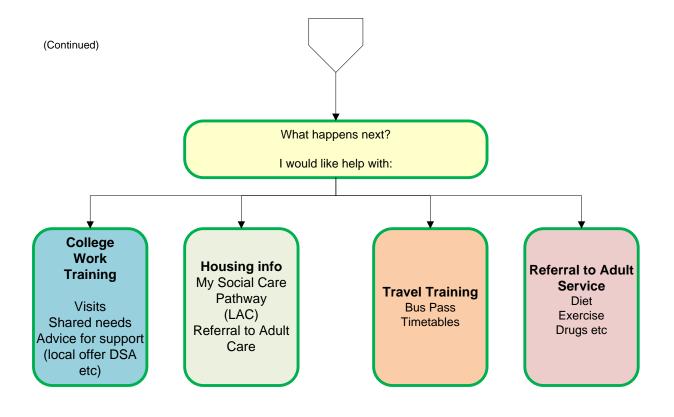
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Additional Information for Year 11 young people

The Children & Families Act 2014 gives the onus of decision making to the young person. 'after compulsory school age (the end of the academic year in which they turn 16) the right to make requests and decisions applies to them directly rather than their parents'. (SEND Code of Practice 8.15).

The Mental Capacity Act 2005 states that it should be assumed that anyone aged 16 or older has full legal capacity to make decisions for themselves (the right to autonomy) unless it can be shown that they lack capacity to make a decision for themselves at the time the decision needs to be made.