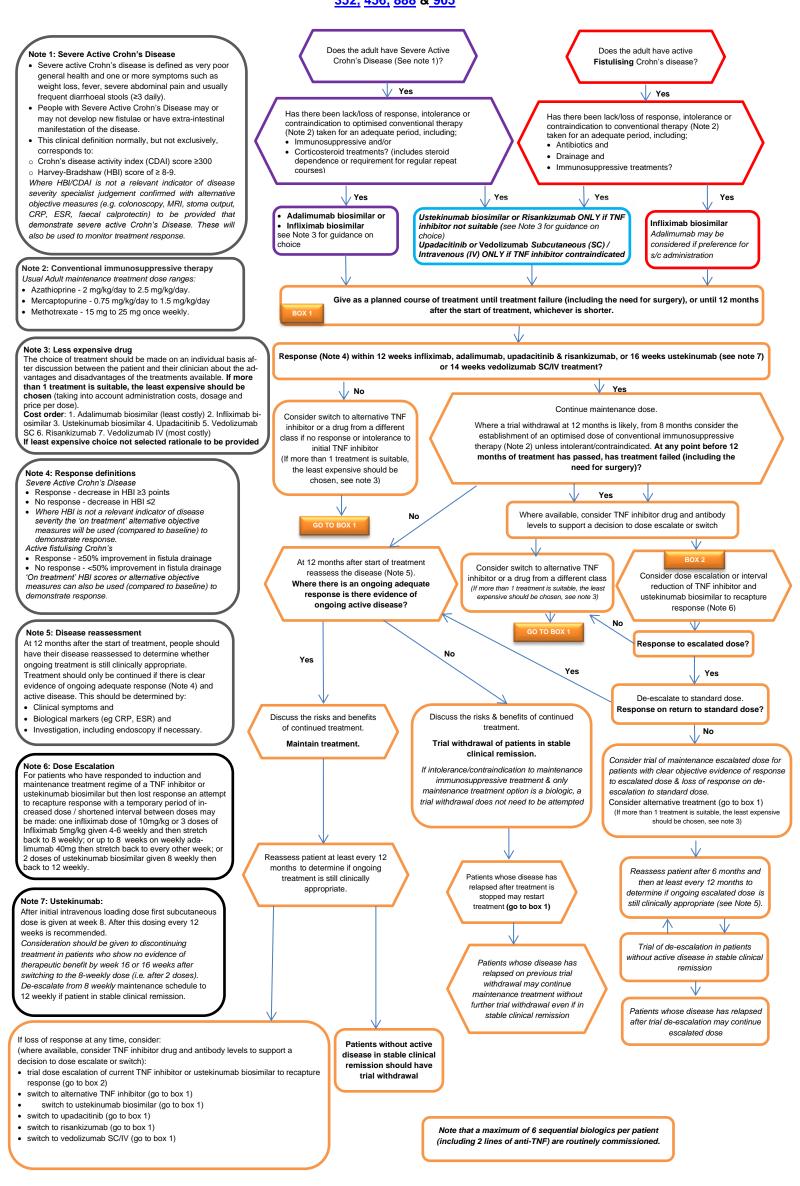




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Refer to individual SPC's for full prescribing information including dose restrictions, adverse drug reactions, contraindications and cautions; and to <u>Drug Safety Updates</u> for latest drug safety notices. **Note**: dose escalation is not routinely commissioned unless specified in the pathway.

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NICE recommends if patients and their clinicians consider a medicine to be one of a range of suitable treatments, the least expensive treatment should be chosen, taking into account administration costs, dosage, price per dose and commercial arrangements. Therefore, in line with this recommendation and HWE APC agreed principles the order of preference of treatments within this pathway will be updated accordingly as prices change or biosimilar medicines become available.