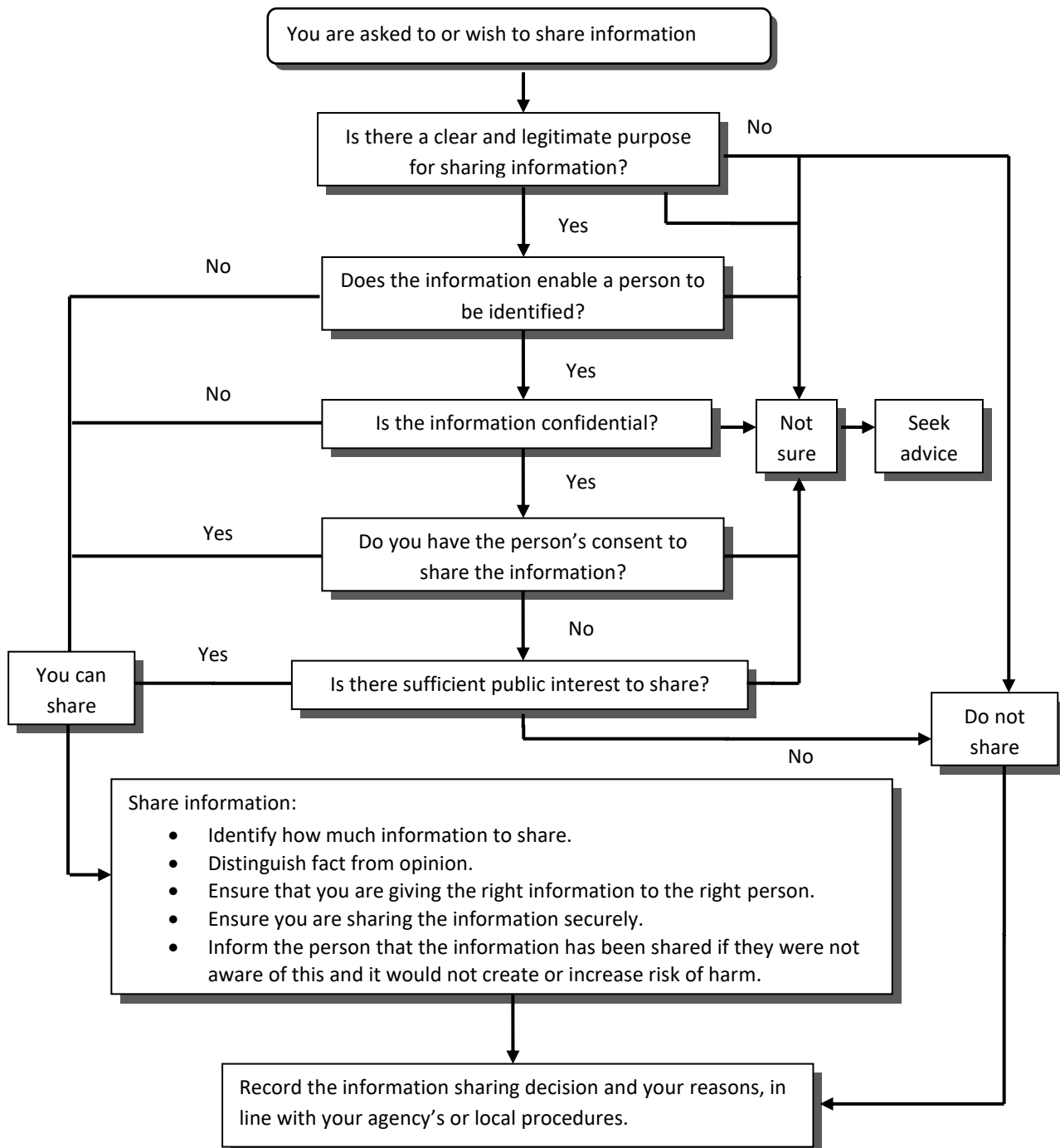


# Confidentiality and information sharing flowchart

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Obtaining and recording consent is vital for the safe and legal sharing of personal information.



If there are concerns that a child may be at risk of significant harm or an adult may be at risk of serious harm, then follow the relevant procedures without delay.

Seek advice if you are not sure what to do at any stage and ensure that the outcome of the discussion is recorded.