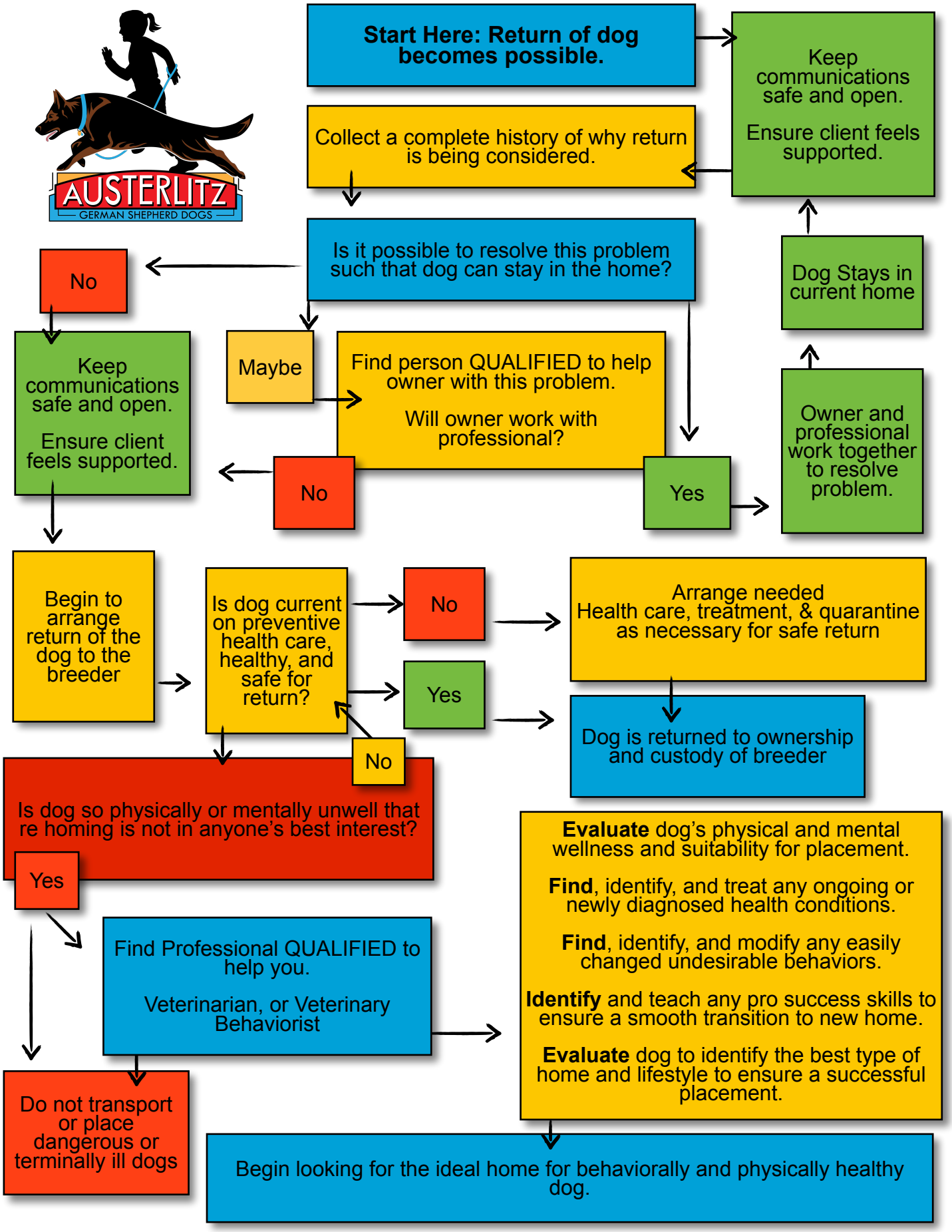
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GERMAN SHEPHERD DOGS
Start Here: Return of dog becomes possible.
Keep communications safe and open.
Ensure client feels supported.
Collect a complete history of why return is being considered.
Is it possible to resolve this problem such that dog can stay in the home?
No
Maybe
Find person QUALIFIED to help owner with this problem.
Will owner work with professional?
No
Yes
Dog Stays in current home
Owner and professional work together to resolve problem.
Keep communications safe and open.
Ensure client feels supported.
Begin to arrange return of the dog to the breeder
Is dog current on preventive health care, healthy, and safe for return?
No
Yes
Arrange needed Health care, treatment, & quarantine as necessary for safe return
Dog is returned to ownership and custody of breeder
No
Is dog so physically or mentally unwell that re homing is not in anyone's best interest?
Yes
Find Professional QUALIFIED to help you.
Veterinarian, or Veterinary Behaviorist
Do not transport or place dangerous or terminally ill dogs
Evaluate dog's physical and mental wellness and suitability for placement.
Find, identify, and treat any ongoing or newly diagnosed health conditions.
Find, identify, and modify any easily changed undesirable behaviors.
Identify and teach any pro success skills to ensure a smooth transition to new home.
Evaluate dog to identify the best type of home and lifestyle to ensure a successful placement.
Begin looking for the ideal home for behaviorally and physically healthy dog.