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This is appropriately reflected in the flow diagram.

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I have two suggestions which could be incorporated at the discretion of the author:

1. If Electro Convulsive shock treatment could be changed to Electro Convulsive treatment

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