Figure - Flow diagram for assigning severity to cases of acute pesticide-related illness and injury

- **Was the illness or injury fatal?**
  - Yes → **S-1 (Death)**
  - No → **Was care sought from physician, clinic, ER, employee health center visit, or hospital admission?**
    - Yes → Are any of the signs* (or specified combinations of signs) included in the Table’s HIGH column?
      - Yes → **S-2 High Severity**
      - No → Are any of the signs or symptoms* (or specified combinations of signs or symptoms) included in the Table’s MODERATE column?
        - Yes → Hospital stay > 72 hours or >5 days lost time from work** (or normal activities, if not employed)?
          - Yes → **S-3 Moderate Severity**
          - No → Hospital stay > 24 hours, or ≥ 3 days lost time from work** (or normal activities if not employed)?
            - Yes → **S-4 Low Severity**
            - No → Are any of the symptoms* included in the Table’s MODERATE column?
              - Yes → **S-2 High Severity**
              - No → **Was time lost from work** (or normal activities if not employed)?
                - Yes → Are any of the signs* included in the Table’s HIGH column?
                  - Yes → **S-1 (Death)**
                  - No → **No**
                - No → Are any of the signs or symptoms* included in the Table’s MODERATE column?
                  - Yes → **S-2 High Severity**
                  - No → **No**

* Only consider signs or symptoms related to pesticide exposure when assigning severity.

** This can include assignment to light/limited work duties resulting from prolonged illness or injury related to pesticide exposure.

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