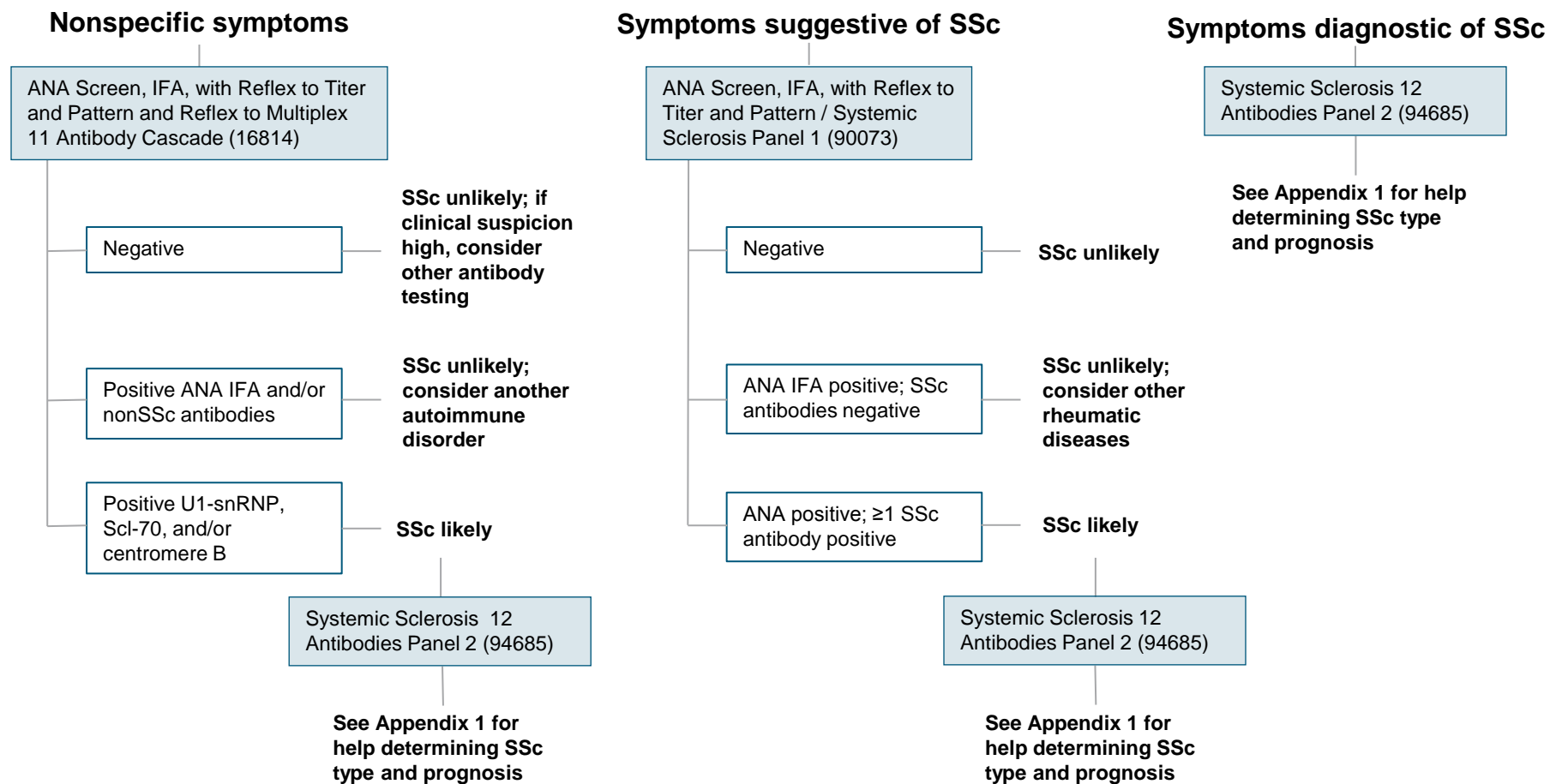


**Figure.** Autoantibody Testing for Systemic Sclerosis Diagnosis and Determination of Prognosis



Test codes are included in parentheses. SSc antibodies include U1-snRNP, Scl-70, and centromere B antibodies; nonSSc antibodies include all other antibodies in the 11-antibody cascade. ANA, antinuclear antibodies; IFA, immunofluorescence assay; SSc, systemic sclerosis.

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