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| ASK: is the child receiving treatment for HIV? | If child receiving treatment for HIV:  
- Follow nutrition protocols for SAM;  
- Ensure continuity of services for SAM;  
- Counsel on ART adherence | If child not receiving treatment for HIV:  
- Provide cotrimoxazole as prophylaxis;  
- Ensure continuity of prophylaxis once child is stabilized nutritionally;  
- Refer patient to services for HIV treatment if available;  
- Follow nutrition protocols for SAM;  
- Ensure continuity of services for SAM;  
- Counsel on ART adherence |
| IF HIV NEGATIVE: | | | |
| ASK: Is the child still breastfeeding? | If yes:  
- Ask what is the HIV status of the mother | If mother is HIV negative:  
- Follow nutrition protocols for SAM;  
- Ensure continuity of services for SAM |
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| | If yes:  
- If mother is positive, retest child for HIV | If child is HIV negative:  
- Follow nutrition protocols for SAM;  
- Ensure continuity of services for SAM |
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| | If no (child not breastfeeding) | | |
| **IF STATUS OF MOTHER AND / OR CHILD IS UNKNOWN:** | | | |
| Check: is testing available at this facility?  
Or can you refer for HIV testing at near-by site? | If yes*:  
- Test/refer child for HIV | If child is HIV negative:  
- Follow nutrition protocols for SAM;  
- Ensure continuity of services for SAM |
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| | If child HIV positive:  
- Provide cotrimoxazole as prophylaxis;  
- Ensure continuity of prophylaxis once child is stabilized nutritionally;  
- Refer patient to services for HIV treatment if available;  
- Follow nutrition protocols for SAM;  
- Ensure continuity of services for SAM;  
- Counsel patient and mother on ART adherence | |

* Start SAM treatment and refer child to site where testing is done, once stable enough to travel to the referral site. Start HIV treatment immediately unless there is a medical complication.