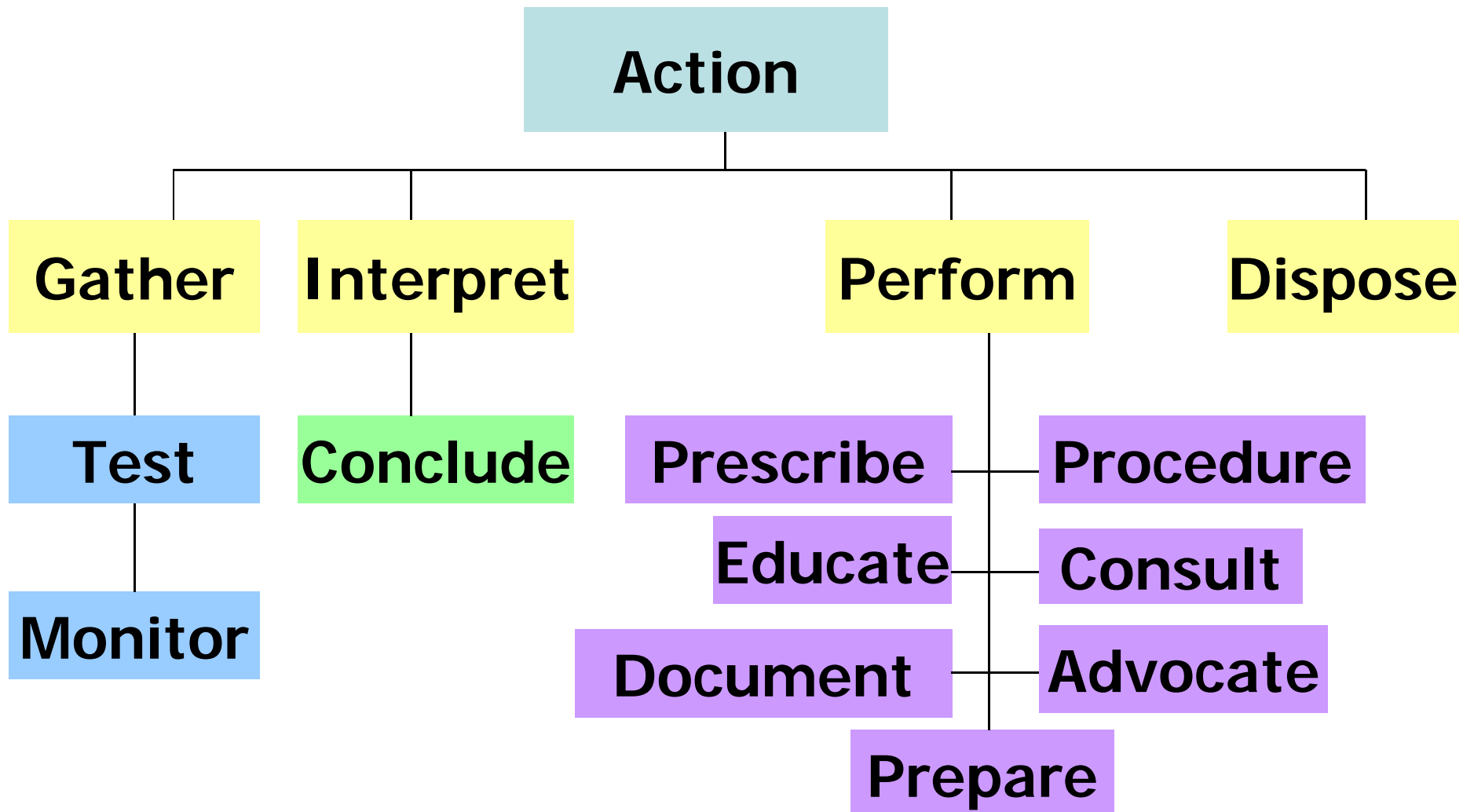


# Example: Application of Action-Types

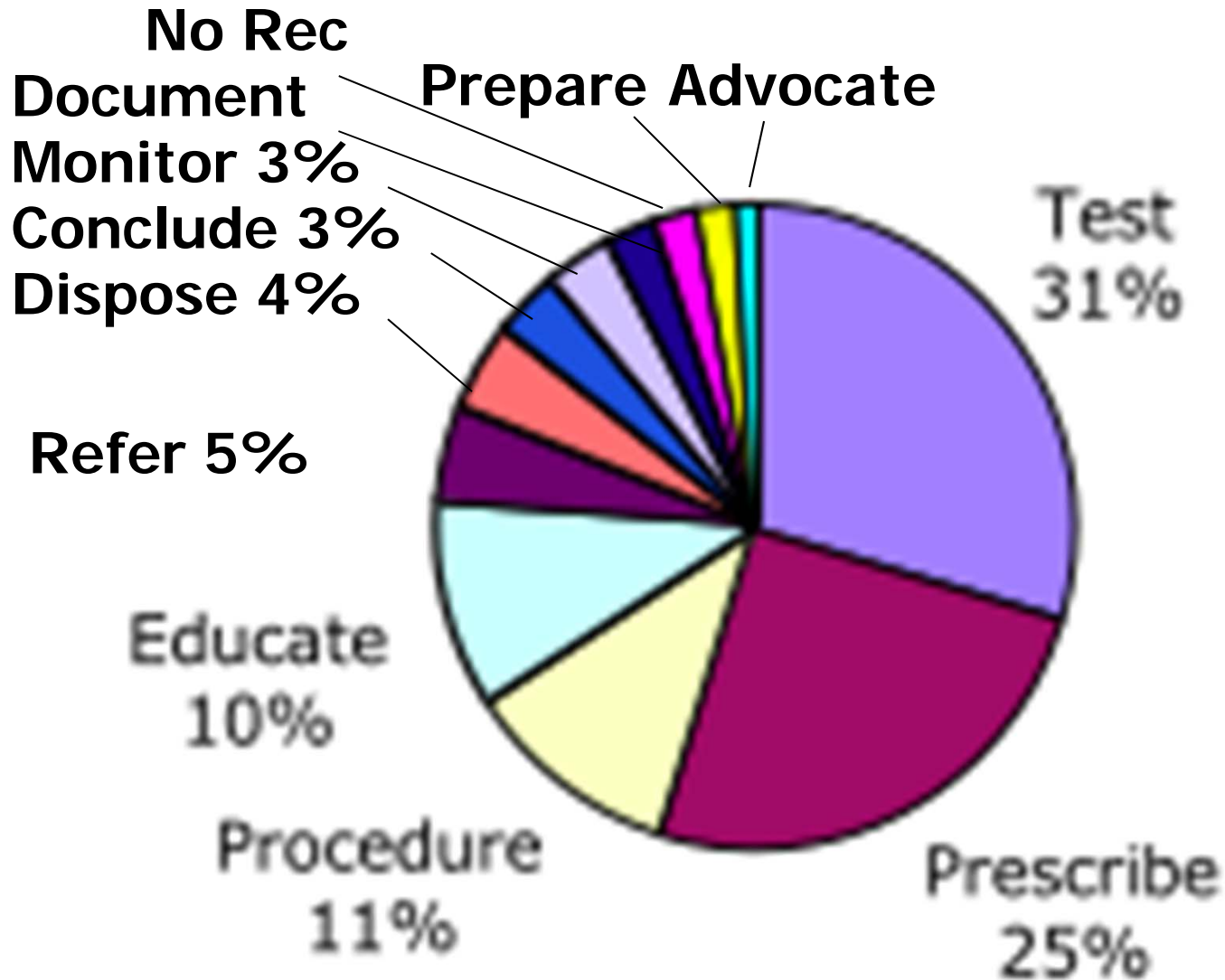
- Action-type: **Prescribe**
  - Drug information
  - Safety alerts (allergy, drug-drug, drug-disease, drug-lab)
  - Formulary check
  - Dosage calculation
  - Pharmacy transmission
  - Patient education
  - Corollary orders

# Action-Types in 405 Recommendations

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# Action Distribution



Test	Obtain or collect additional data through inquiry, laboratory testing, or other investigative procedures whose intent is not curative.
Prescribe	<i>Order</i> a treatment requiring medication or durable medical equipment.
Perform	Order activities that are therapeutic in nature.
Educate / Counsel	Inform the patient about means to improve/maintain health, or instruct on how to perform specific activities.
Refer / Consult	Direct a patient to another clinician for evaluation and/or treatment.
Conclude	Determine a diagnosis or clinical status
Monitor	Make serial observations according to specific criteria and schedule.
Document	Record one or more facts in the patient record.
Dispose	Initiate an activity to direct the flow of patients, e.g., Admit, Discharge, Follow-up, Transfer, etc.
Advocate	Argue in support of a policy
Prepare	Make ready for a particular guideline-directed activity by training, equipping, or gaining new knowledge
No Rec	A statement that no activity is advised, usually because of insufficient scientific evidence for or against the activity