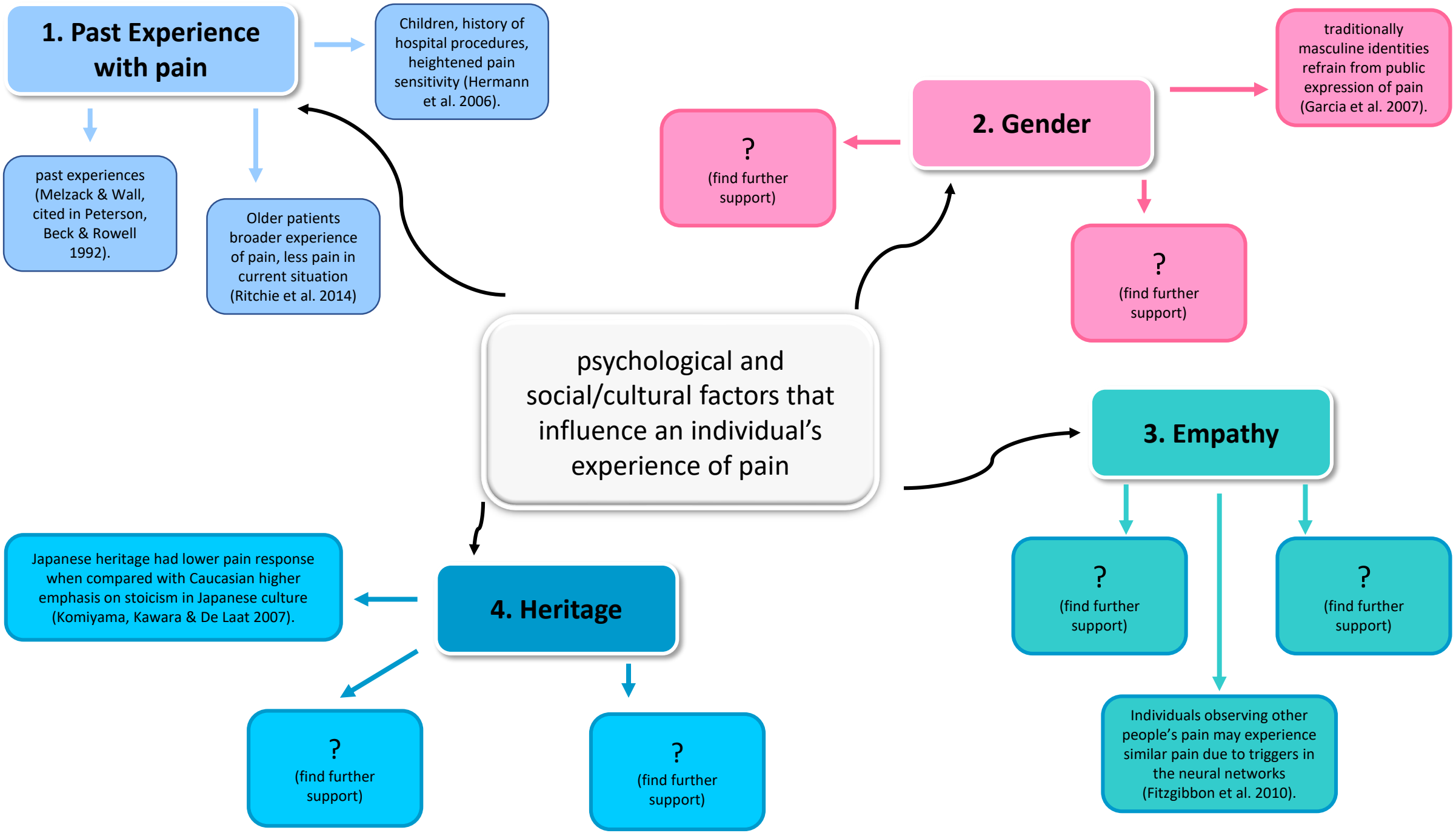
1. Past Experience with pain
Children, history of hospital procedures, heightened pain sensitivity (Hermann et al. 2006).
past experiences (Melzack & Wall, cited in Peterson, Beck & Rowell 1992).
Older patients broader experience of pain, less pain in current situation (Ritchie et al. 2014)
2. Gender
traditionally masculine identities refrain from public expression of pain (Garcia et al. 2007).
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psychological and social/cultural factors that influence an individual's experience of pain
3. Empathy
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Individuals observing other people's pain may experience similar pain due to triggers in the neural networks (Fitzgibbon et al. 2010).
4. Heritage
Japanese heritage had lower pain response when compared with Caucasian higher emphasis on stoicism in Japanese culture (Komiyama, Kawara & De Laat 2007).
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