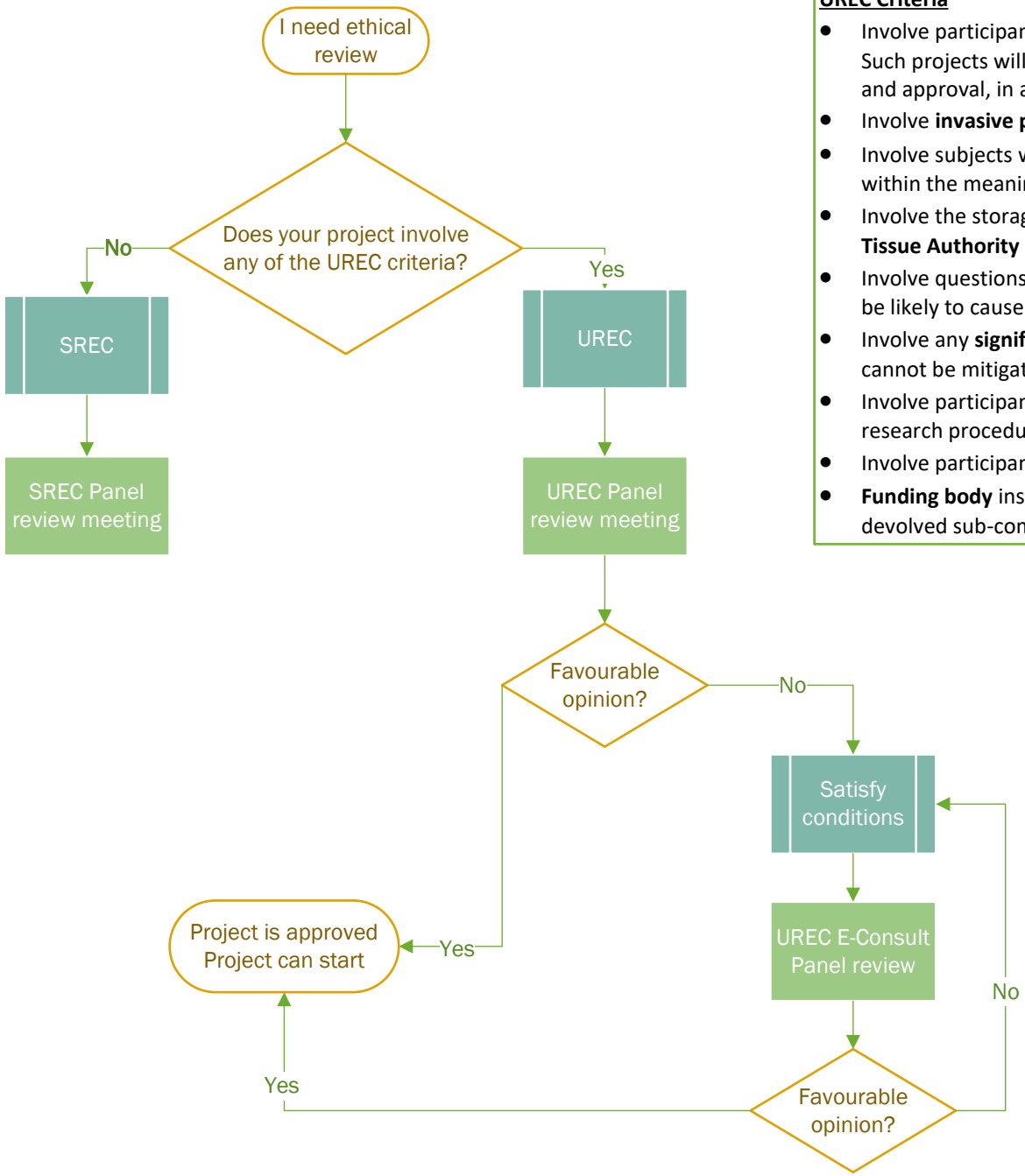

UREC Criteria

- Involve participants, samples or data identified and accessed via the **NHS**. Such projects will necessarily require Health Research Authority REC review and approval, in addition to UREC review;
- Involve **invasive procedures**, for example venepuncture
- Involve subjects whose capacity to give informed consent may be impaired within the meaning of the **Mental Capacity Act 2005**.
- Involve the storage of human tissue samples under the University **Human Tissue Authority Licence.**
- Involve questions that might reasonably be considered to be impertinent or be likely to cause **distress to the participants;**
- Involve any **significant risk of harm** to the researchers or participants which cannot be mitigated by reliable measures;
- Involve participants who could be considered **'vulnerable'** in relation to the research procedures and interventions;
- Involve participants who are in **a special relationship** with the investigator;
- **Funding body** insist as a requirement review by UREC rather than by a devolved sub-committee.

Time Lines

UREC Panel review outcome – 2 weeks
Applicant response to conditions – 3 months
UREC E-Consult review – 1 month