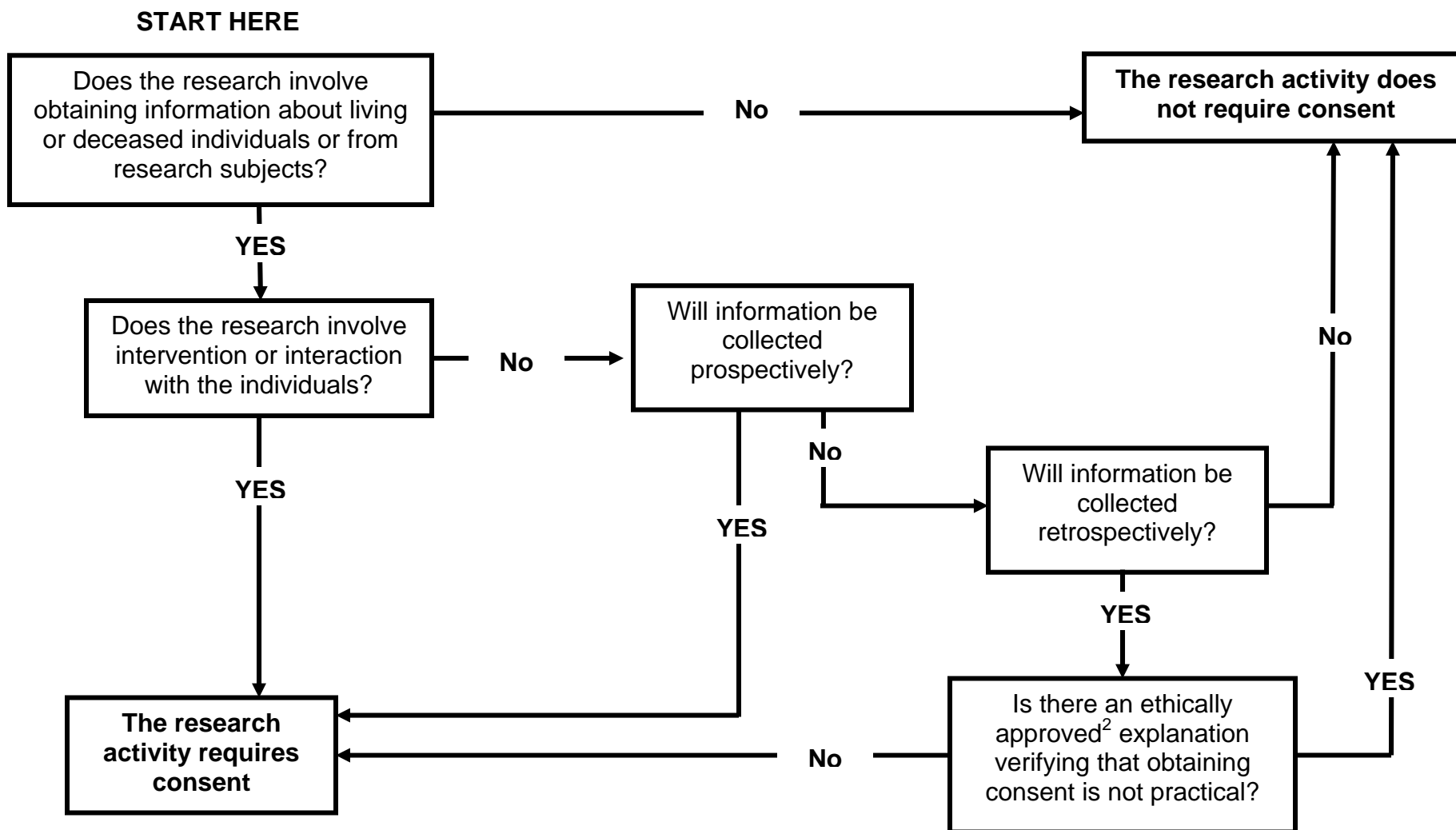


Research Decision Chart 3: Does the Research Activity Require Consent ¹

(The Research Decision Charts are intended to assist researchers in understanding how various determinations are made regarding research projects. These charts are not to be used by researchers to make independent assessments for final decisions on classification of research projects or research requirements. All final classifications and requirement decisions are made through Trillium's Research Office)



¹ As adapted from the Office for Human Research Protections (OHRP) "Human Subject Regulations Decision Charts" (September 24, 2004), the Personal Health Information Protection Act, 2004 – S.O. 2004 – Ontario Regulation 329/04 General and "A Guide to the Personal Health Information Protection Act and Your Privacy" (September 2007) and the "Hospital Privacy Toolkit Guide to the Ontario Personal Health Information Protection Act" publication #314 dated September 2004.

² Ethically approved means that an explanation has been provided to the Research Ethics Board reviewing the proposed research for that site, and accepted and included in the overall approval of the research proposal.