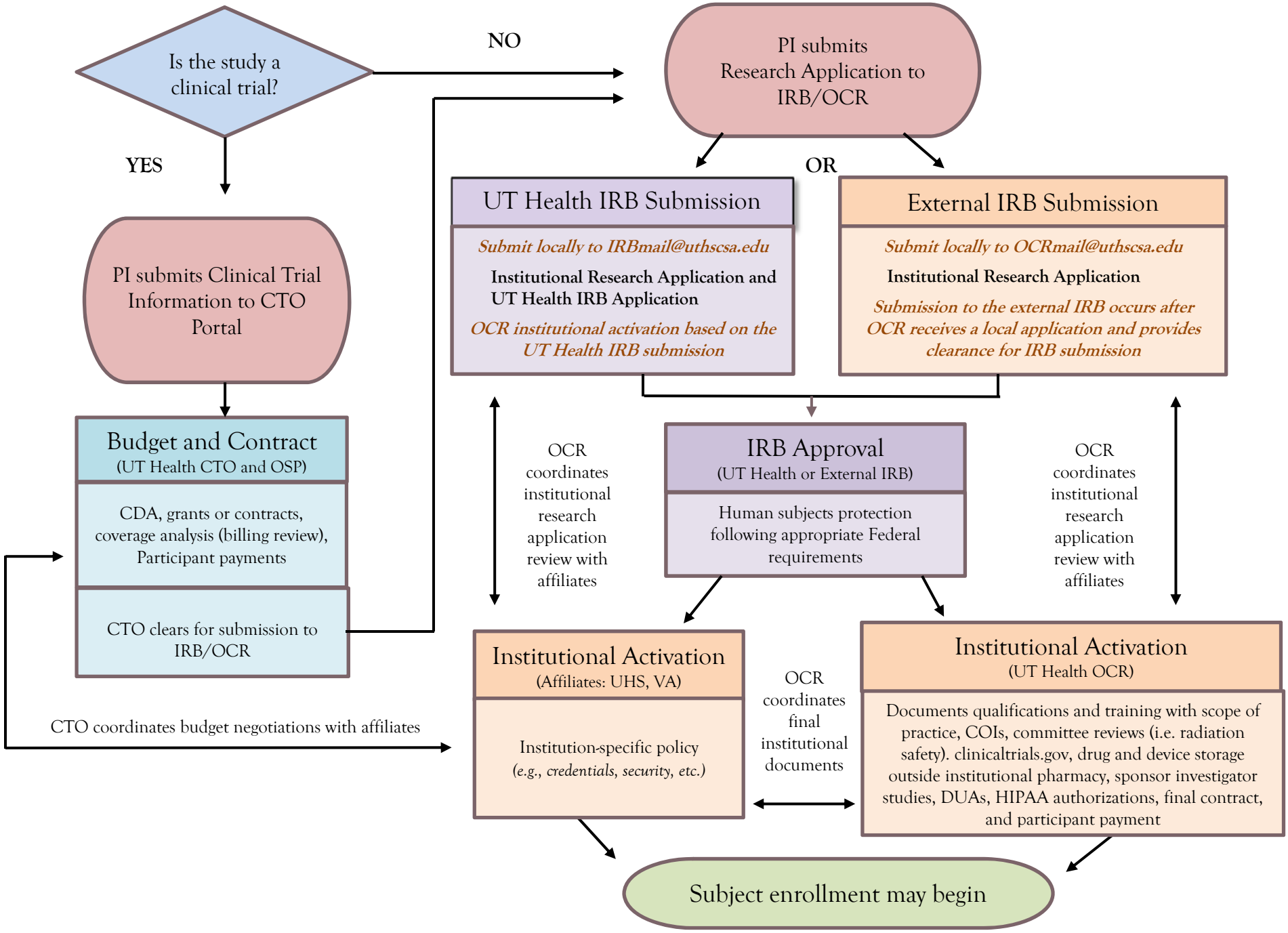RESEARCH APPROVAL PROCESS