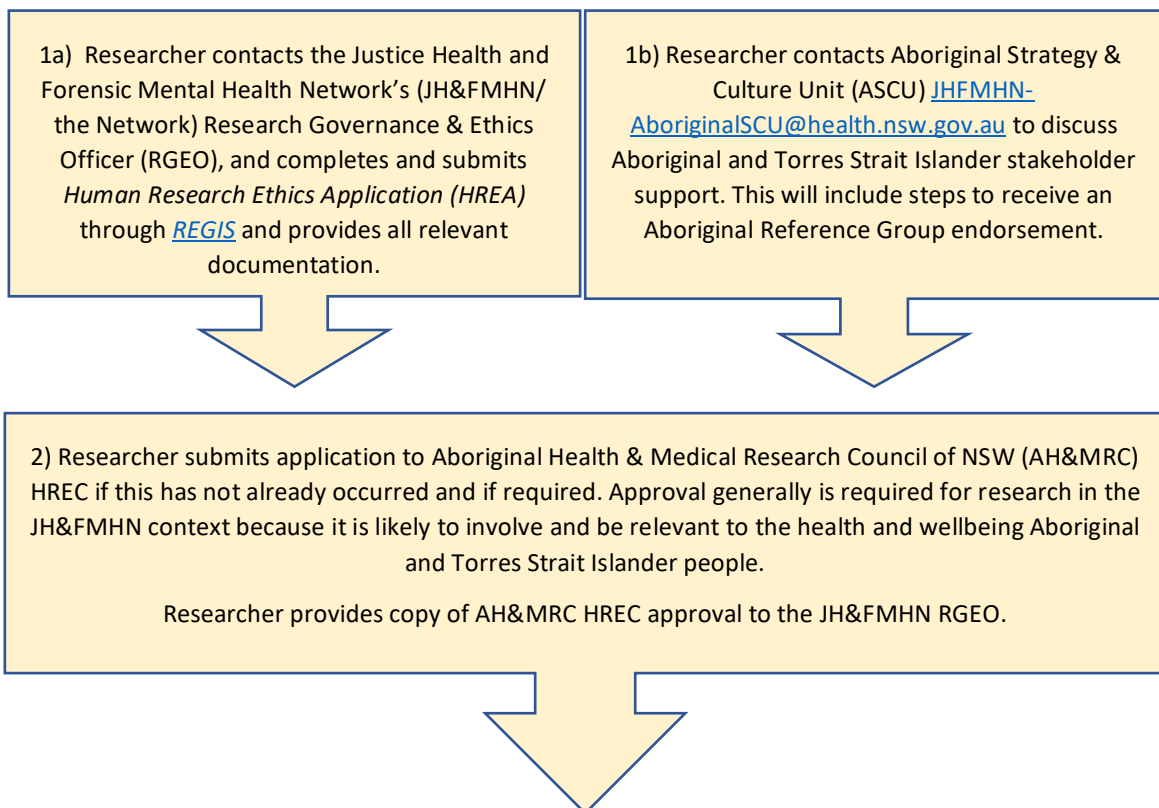


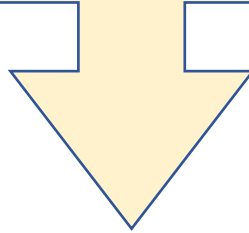
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3) Researcher submits application to JH&FMHN Human Research Ethics Committee (HREC) through [Research Ethics Governance and Information System \(REGIS\)](#), using the Human Research Ethics Application (HREA), and providing all relevant documentation. Ensure all material submitted is proofed, complete and error-free; use the HREC submission checklist.

Site authorisation requests can begin at this time, but not submitted without JHFMHN HREC and AH&MRC approval.



4) Researcher submits any other applications for ethical approval that are required. e.g. Ethics Committee of Corrective Services NSW.



5) If 2 and 3 are approved, researcher contacts RGEO to discuss site authorisation – either a site-specific assessment (SSA) or an access request review (ARR). Researcher submits relevant application/s.



6) JH&FMHN Chief Executive reviews SSA and/or ARR application and makes final decision.
RGEO informs researcher.

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