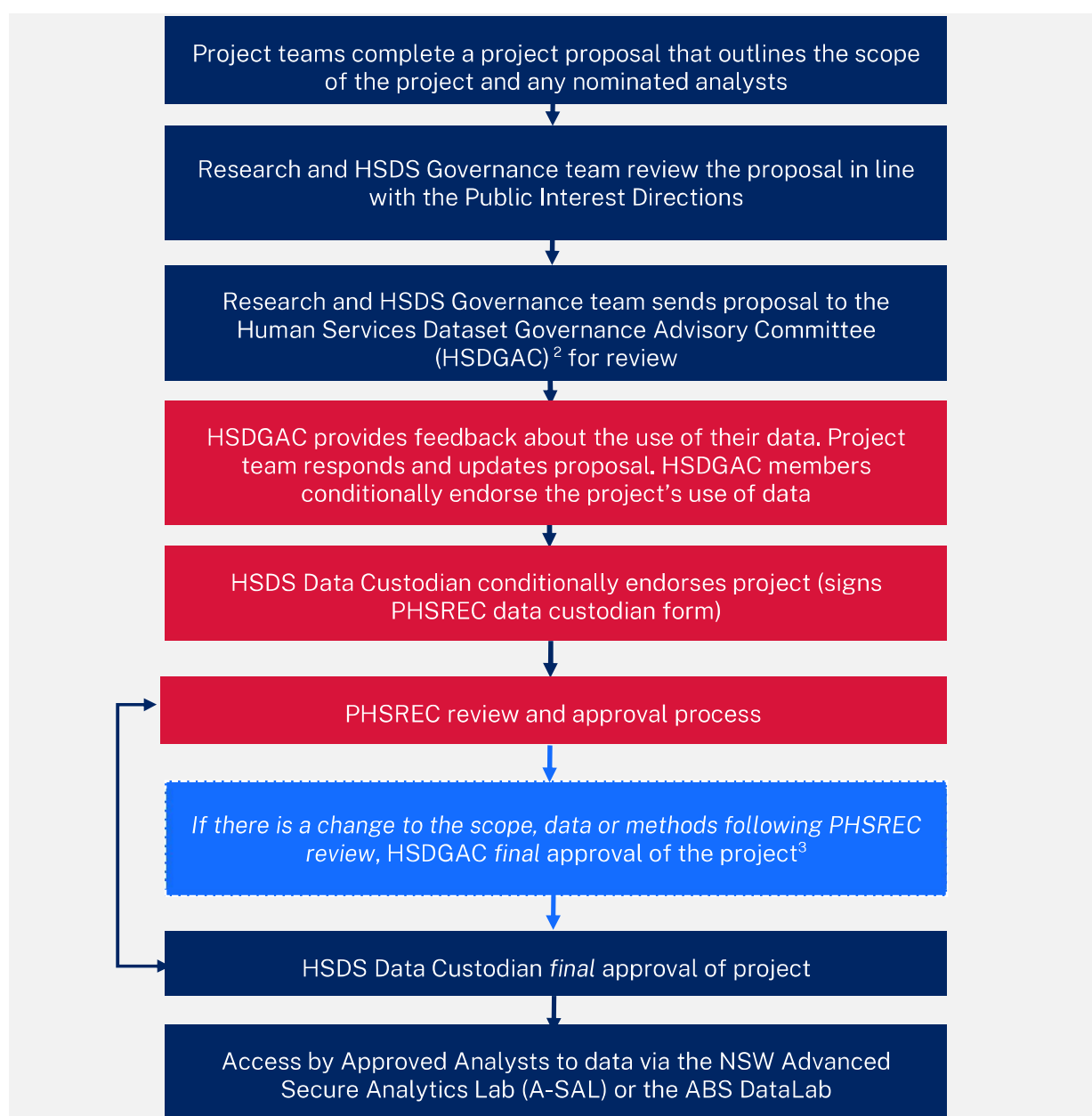


Human Services Dataset (HSDS) application process flow chart – PHSREC approval required¹



¹ PHSREC approval is required for all project proposals requesting a one-off linkage of data to the HSDS, or requesting to use Health data for research. PHSREC approval is also required for all non-Government projects requesting to use Health data for the funding, management, planning or evaluation of government services (including where a government entity contracts an external organisation to undertake an evaluation of a program).

² The HSDGAC includes representatives from all data partners who have been nominated by the respective Data Custodian.

³ The proposal only goes back to the HSDGAC for final approval if there is a change to the scope, data or methods following PHSREC review. Otherwise, it will progress to the HSDS Data Custodian for final approval.