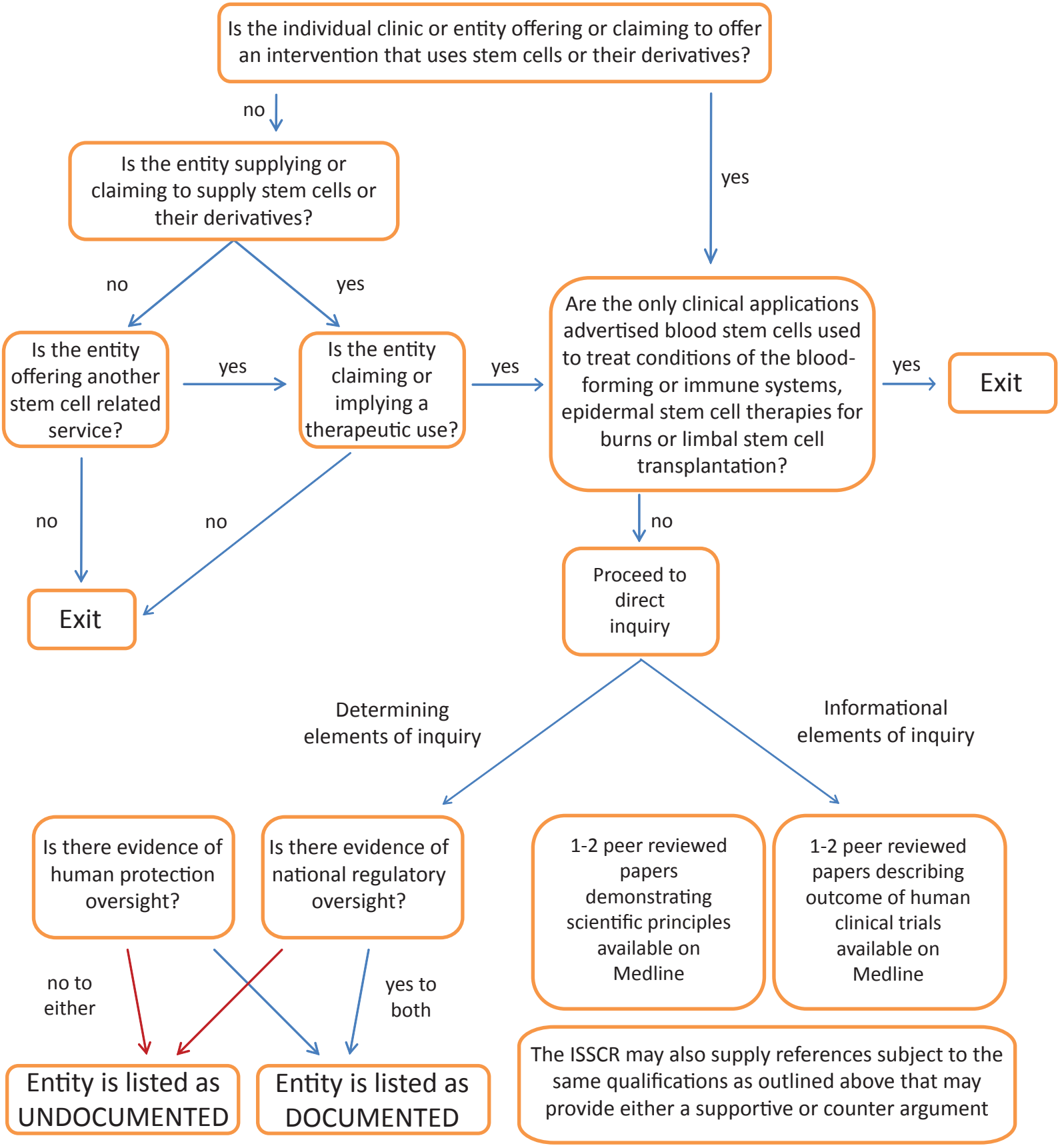
Is the individual clinic or entity offering or claiming to offer an intervention that uses stem cells or their derivatives?
no
yes
Is the entity supplying or claiming to supply stem cells or their derivatives?
no
yes
Is the entity offering another stem cell related service?
yes
Is the entity claiming or implying a therapeutic use?
yes
Are the only clinical applications advertised blood stem cells used to treat conditions of the blood-forming or immune systems, epidermal stem cell therapies for burns or limbal stem cell transplantation?
yes
Exit
no
no
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no
Proceed to direct inquiry
Determining elements of inquiry
Informational elements of inquiry
Is there evidence of human protection oversight?
Is there evidence of national regulatory oversight?
1-2 peer reviewed papers demonstrating scientific principles available on Medline
1-2 peer reviewed papers describing outcome of human clinical trials available on Medline
no to either
yes to both
Entity is listed as UNDOCUMENTED
Entity is listed as DOCUMENTED
The ISSCR may also supply references subject to the same qualifications as outlined above that may provide either a supportive or counter argument