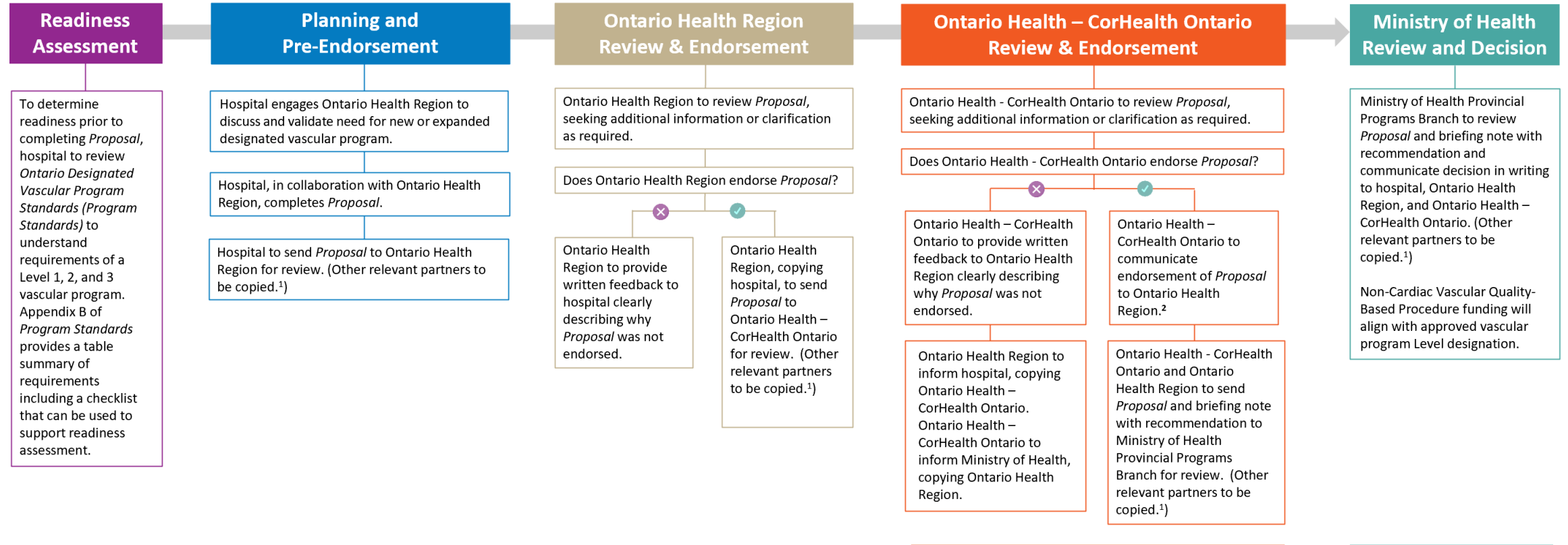


Process Map for New/Expanding Designated Vascular Programs – February 2024



Proposal must include evidence of/that:

- Service gap(s) that cannot be met by existing regional vascular services or through formal partnerships with other regional designated vascular programs
- Sufficient population need to generate service volumes while ensuring clinical expertise
- Existing designated vascular programs will be able to retain volumes sufficient to maintain the integrity of their programs
- Internal capacity and resources are sufficient to sustainably meet increased utilization/demand
- Coordination and integration of vascular care services within the hospital and with community partners to meet patient needs

Review to consider the validity, completeness, rationale, impact, and need. Ontario Health Region to also consider:

- Ontario Health Region fiscal position to support additional funding needs²

Review to consider the validity, completeness, rationale, impact, and need. Ontario Health – CorHealth Ontario to also consider:

- Approved programs not yet operational
- The capacity of existing programs
- Overall planning strategy for vascular services in Ontario
- Alignment to the *Ontario Designated Vascular Program Standards*

Footnotes:

1. If a capital component is required, hospital, in collaboration with Ontario Health Region, to engage Capacity Planning and Capital Branch of Ministry of Health
2. Any additional health human resources and/or operational budget needs must be found within Ontario Health Region and/or hospital budget (no net new funding)