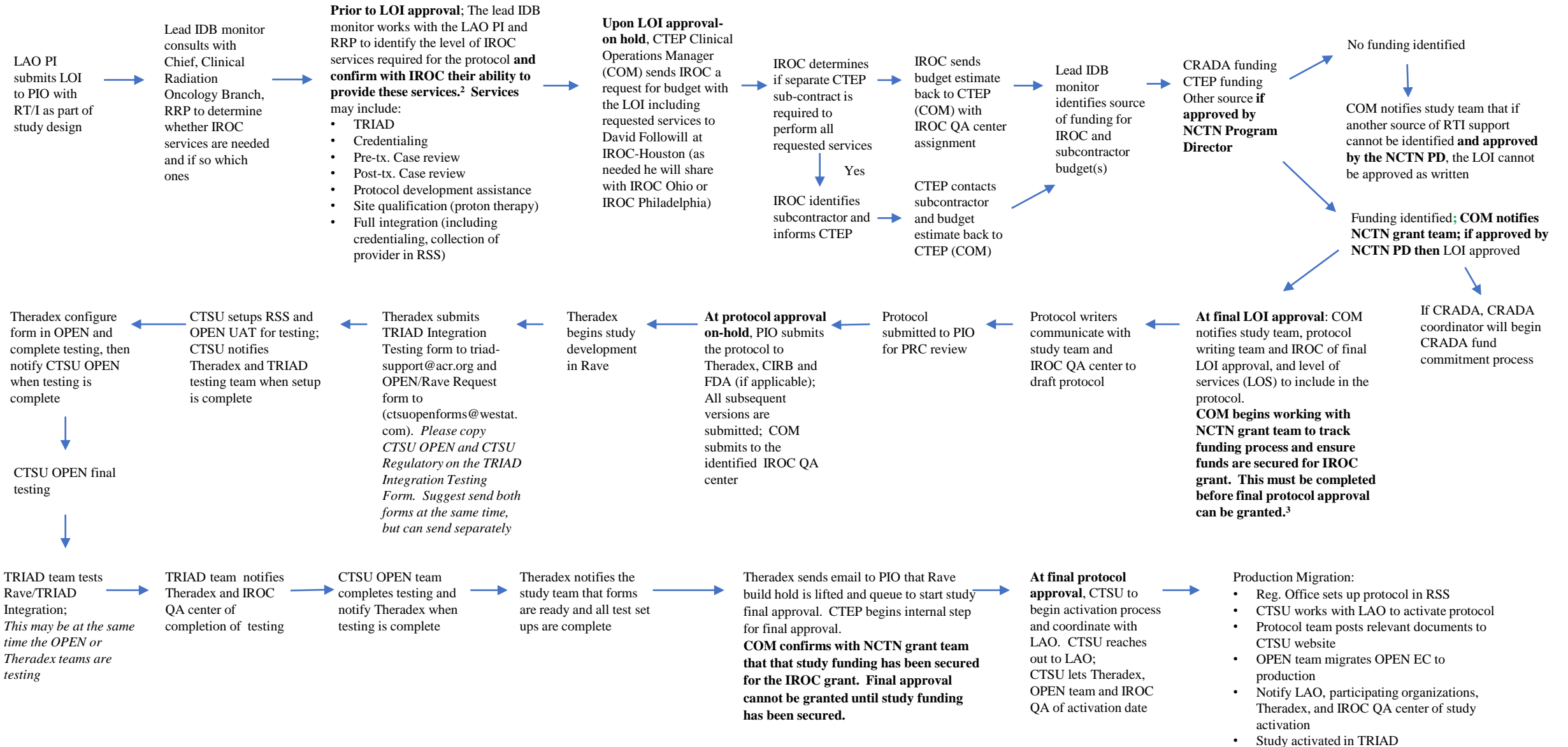


# Process for incorporation of IROC RT<sup>1</sup> services into ETCTN studies



1. This flowchart is for IROC RT services only.
2. IROC may not have the capacity or capability to perform all requested services.
3. Supplements to the IROC grant are made only on a semi-annual basis. Study funding must be added to the IROC grant as part of this existing supplement process. Final protocol approval cannot be granted until study funding has been secured from the funding source and transferred to the IROC grant or an "Intent to Fund" Letter is approved by the NCTN Program Director for notification to IROC if the funding has been secured but not yet transferred to the IROC grant. As a result, ensuring the funding is available in a timely manner is essential so that study approval and activation will not be held up.