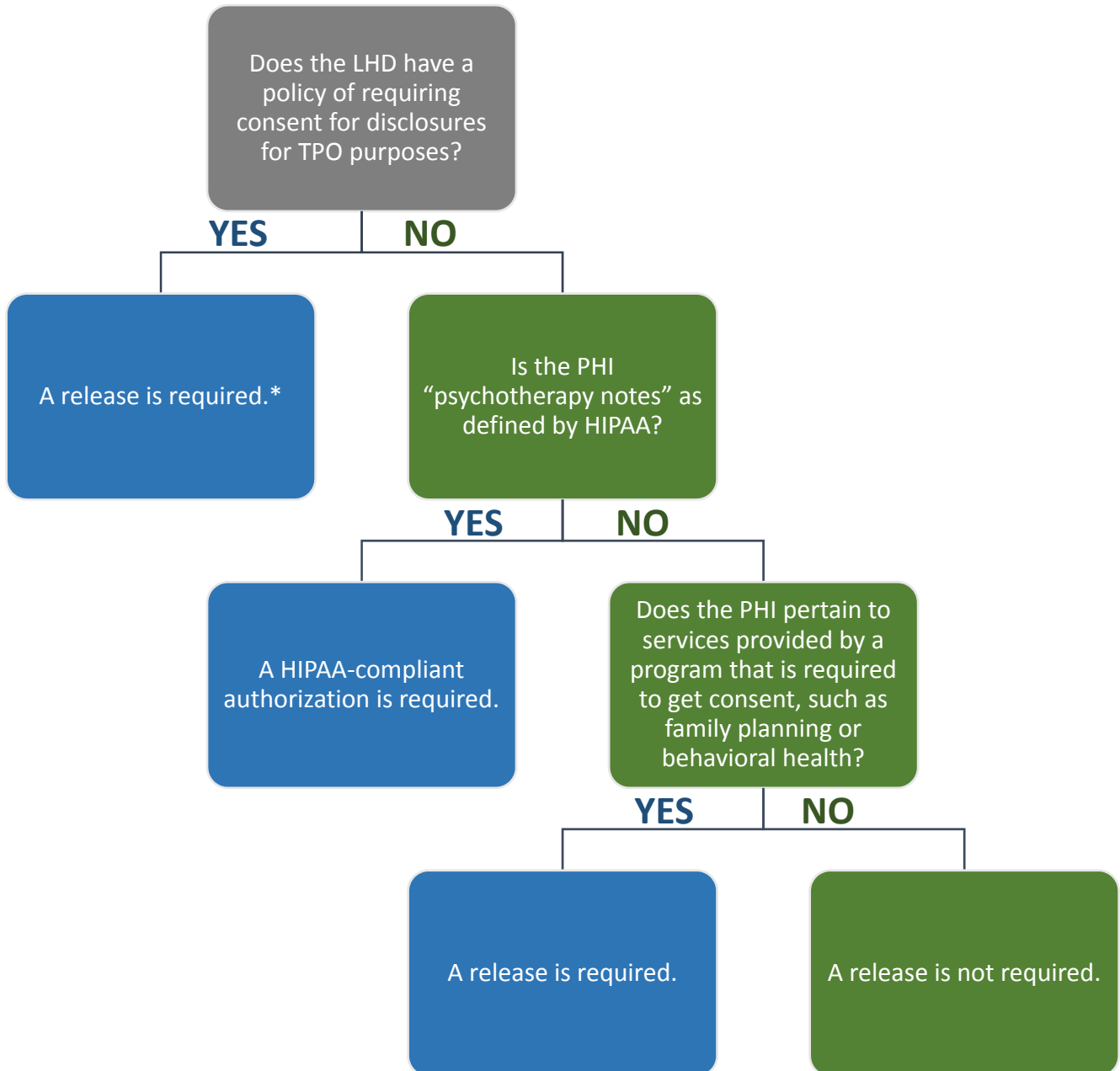


Decision Tool: Is a Release Required for a TPO Disclosure?



*If the PHI to be disclosed includes "psychotherapy notes," the release must be a HIPAA-compliant authorization form. Otherwise, HIPAA does not specify the form that must be used.