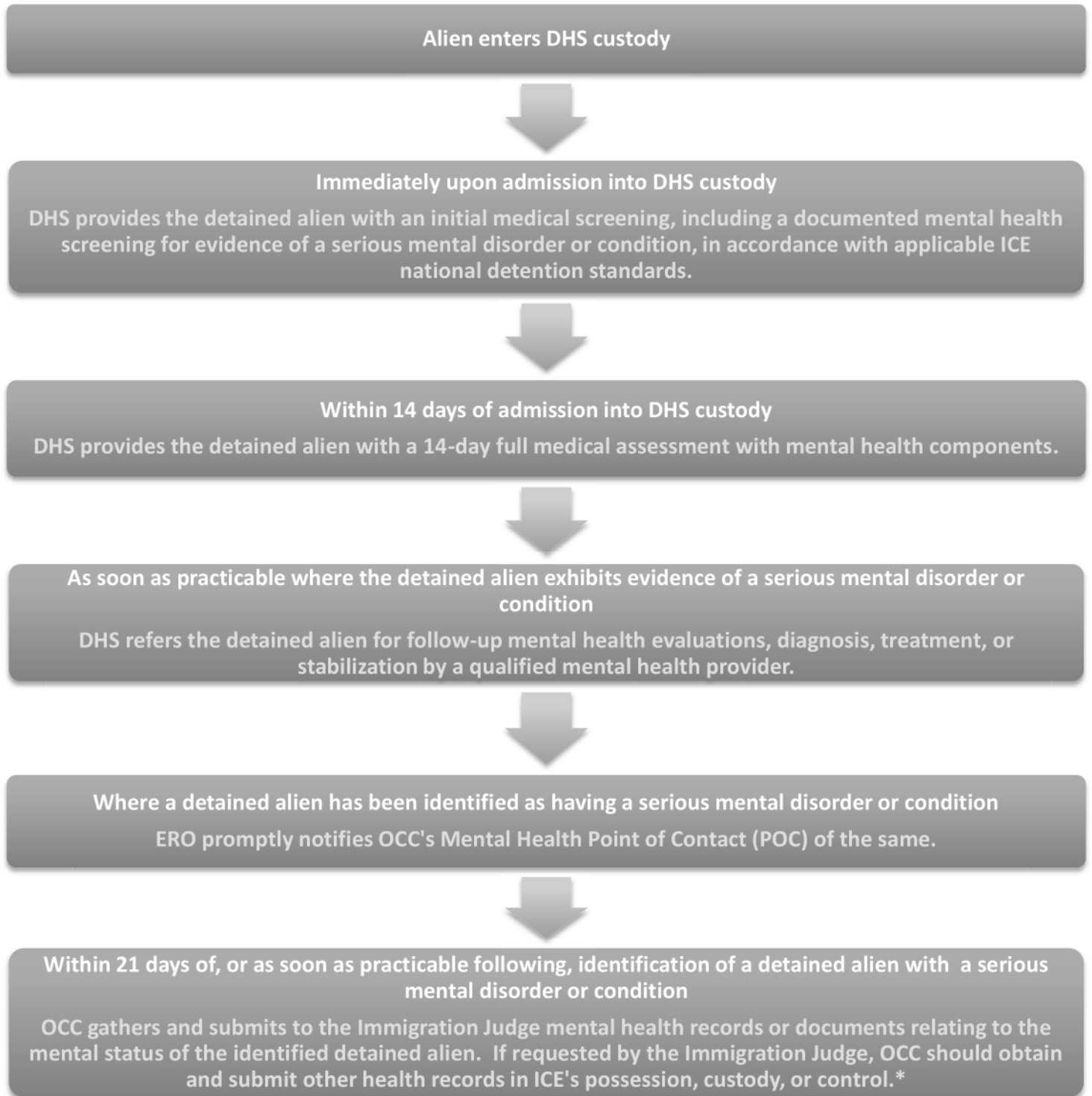


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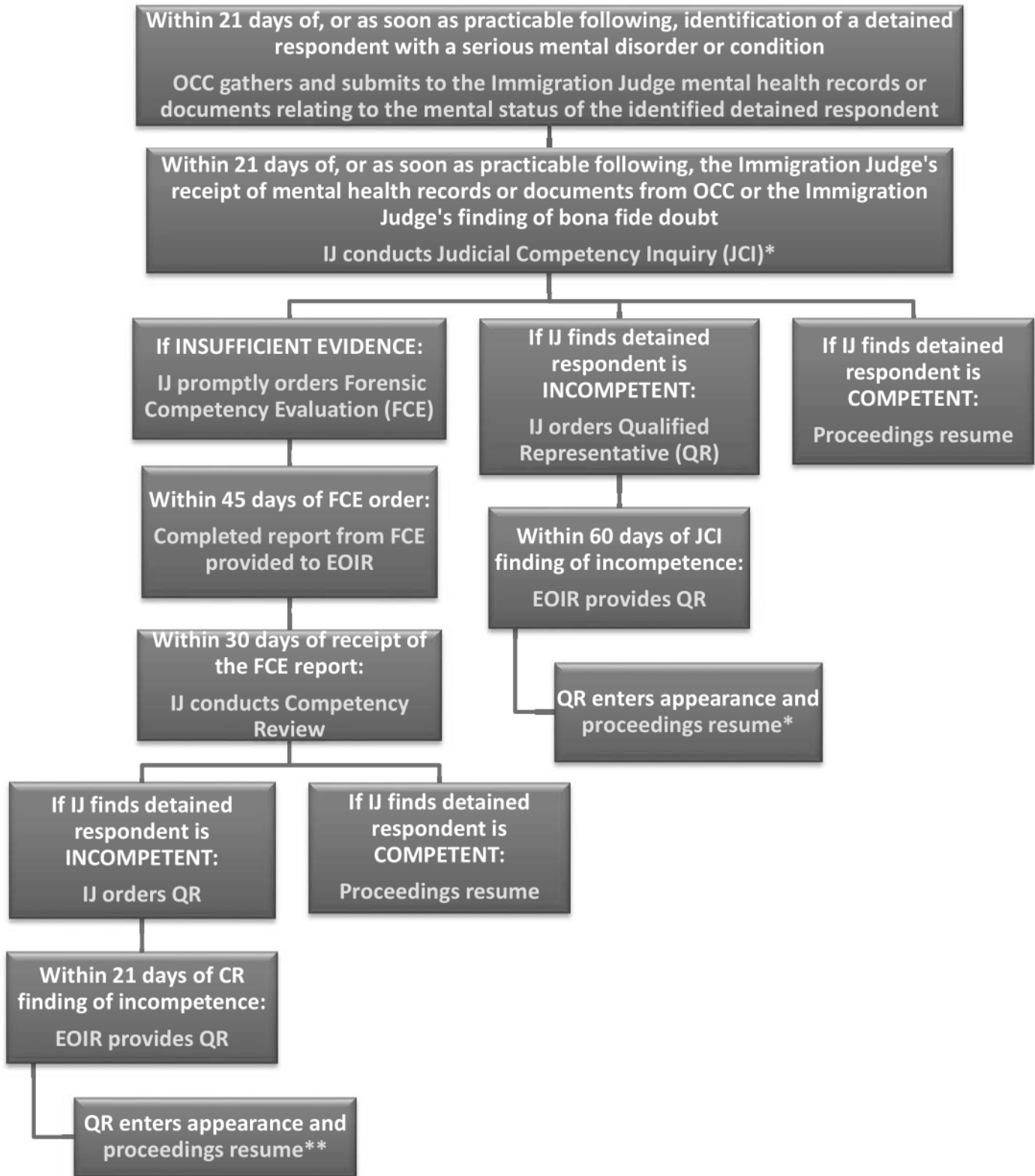


*Any additional documentation or information received by OCC after the initial mental health records or documents are gathered and submitted should be provided to EOIR as soon as practicable after receipt.

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* Immigration judges who identify a Nationwide Policy respondent in the first instance by finding bona fide doubt are encouraged to wait 21 days following that finding to permit OCC sufficient time to gather and submit mental health records and documents.

** Before proceedings resume, immigration judges must consider whether any additional safeguards (i.e., safeguards in addition to the mandatory provision of a Qualified Representative) may be necessary to ensure the fundamental fairness of the proceedings. If necessary, such safeguards must be provided before proceedings can resume.