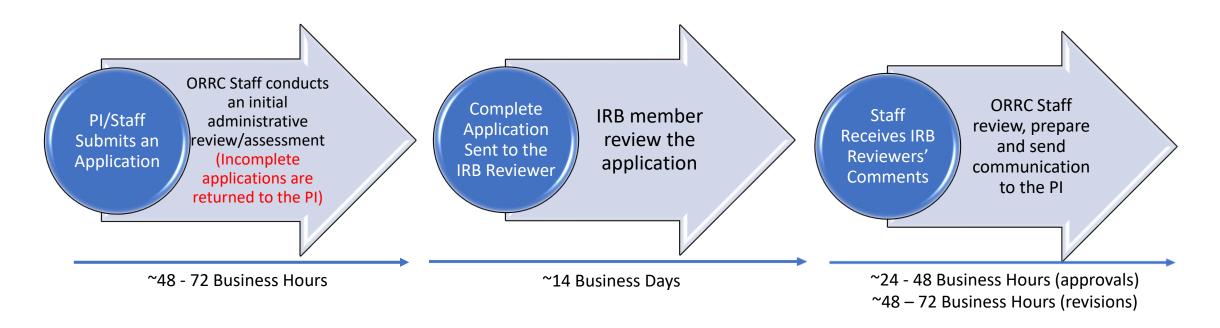
## What Happens to Your IRB Application in The ORRC Office?



## <u>Note</u>

Though an average application takes three weeks or less to complete, others may take longer, depending on time to review by the IRB member, holidays and breaks, and time of the year. For example, delays may occur around the end of semester or graduation periods for two reasons:

- a) There are more applications to review
- b) IRB members are busier with academic work (examinations, grades and graduation of their students).

Before your application goes to the Board Members for review, you should anticipate two communications:

- First, an initial acknowledgement (email) after submission that your application was received
- Second, after triage, indicating that your application is considered complete and will go to the Board/Member for review.

For more details, please see the ORRC review algorithm (IRB Process): http://www.orrchoward.com/IRB Flow Chart 07 20 16.pdf