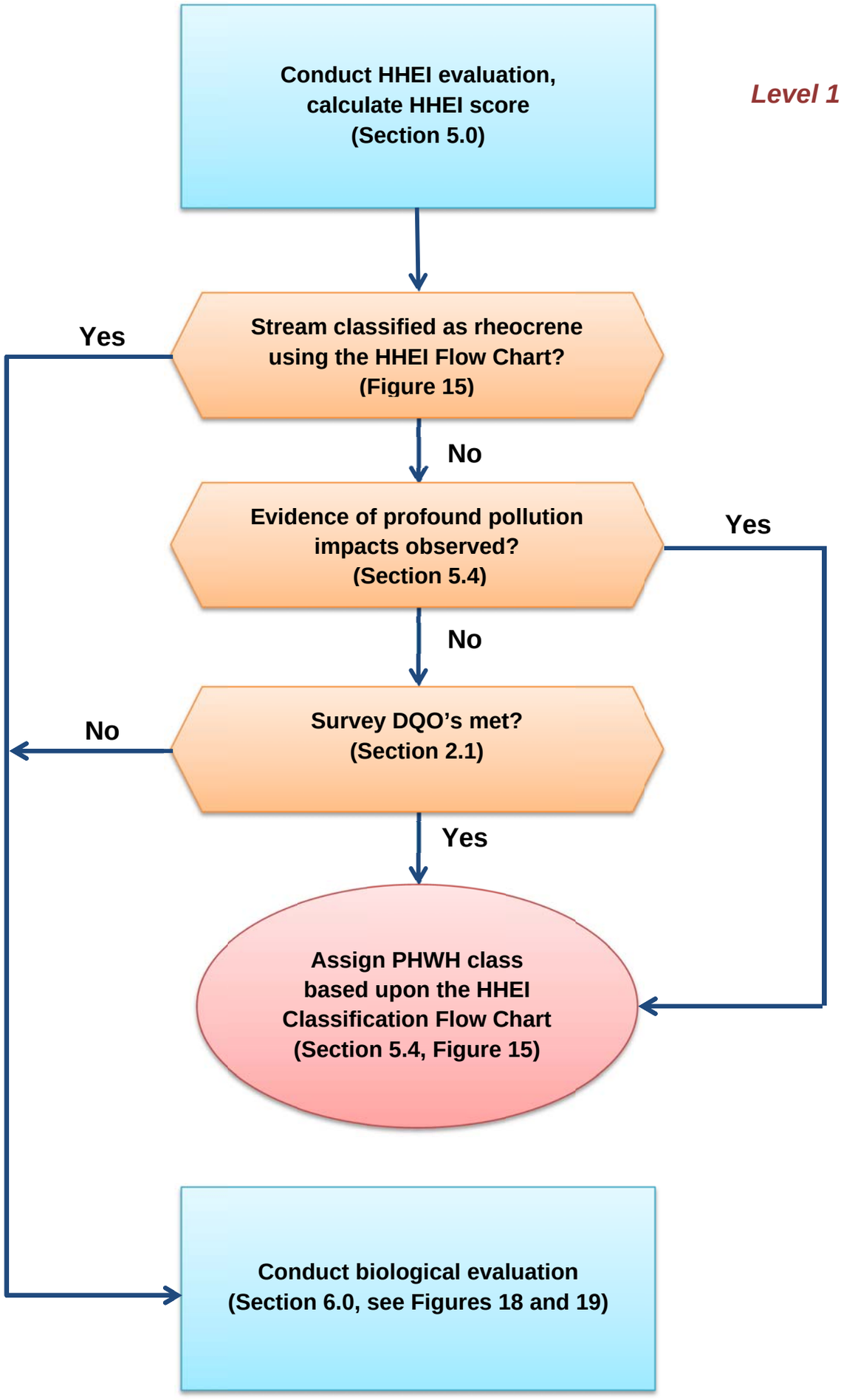
Level 1 Assessment
Conduct HHEI evaluation, calculate HHEI score (Section 5.0)
Stream classified as rheocrene using the HHEI Flow Chart? (Figure 15)
Yes
No
Evidence of profound pollution impacts observed? (Section 5.4)
Yes
No
Survey DQO's met? (Section 2.1)
No
Yes
Assign PHWH class based upon the HHEI Classification Flow Chart (Section 5.4, Figure 15)
Conduct biological evaluation (Section 6.0, see Figures 18 and 19)