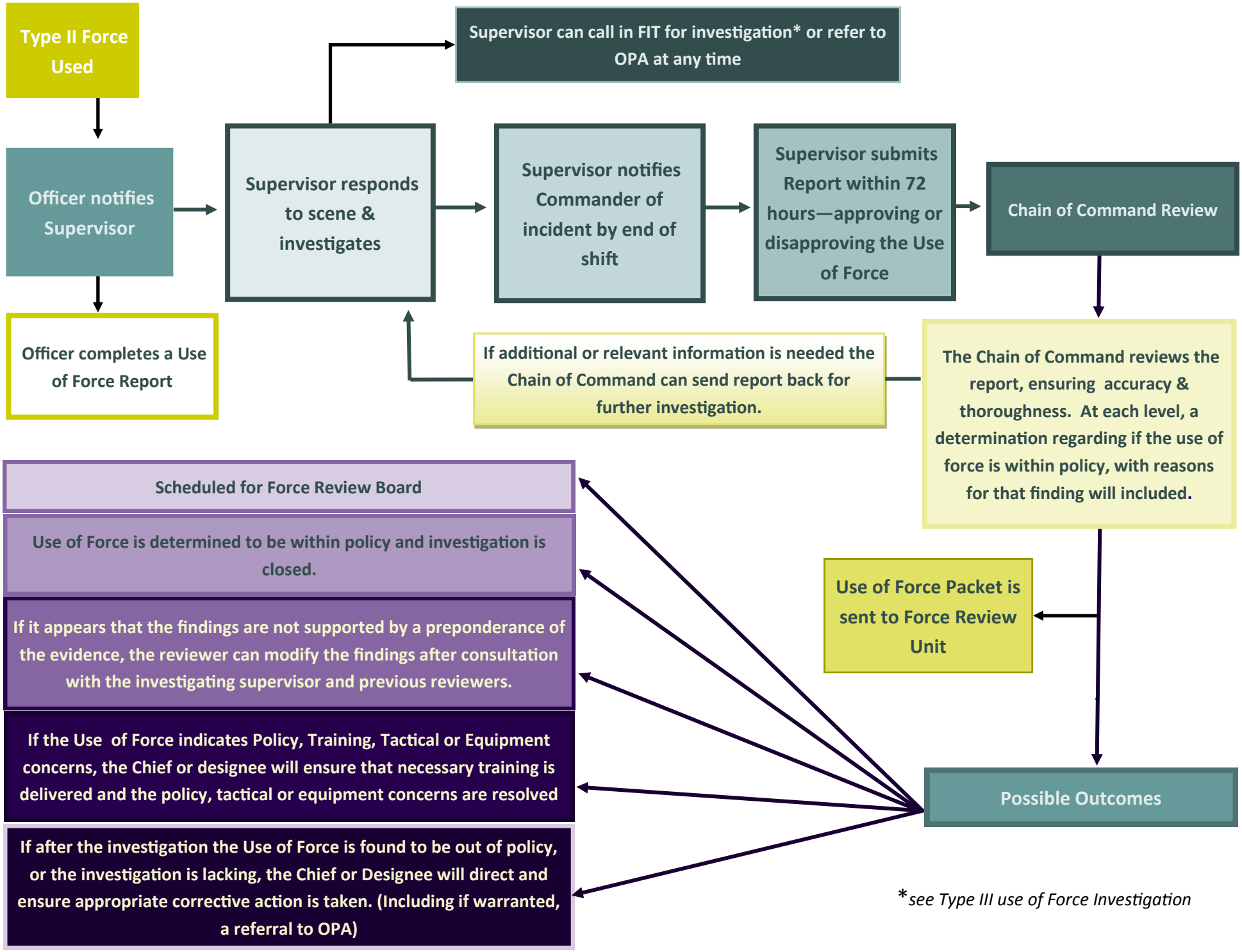
Type II Force Used
Supervisor can call in FIT for investigation* or refer to OPA at any time
Officer notifies Supervisor
Supervisor responds to scene & investigates
Supervisor notifies Commander of incident by end of shift
Supervisor submits Report within 72 hours—approving or disapproving the Use of Force
Chain of Command Review
Officer completes a Use of Force Report
If additional or relevant information is needed the Chain of Command can send report back for further investigation.
The Chain of Command reviews the report, ensuring accuracy & thoroughness. At each level, a determination regarding if the use of force is within policy, with reasons for that finding will included.
Use of Force Packet is sent to Force Review Unit
Possible Outcomes
Scheduled for Force Review Board
Use of Force is determined to be within policy and investigation is closed.
If it appears that the findings are not supported by a preponderance of the evidence, the reviewer can modify the findings after consultation with the investigating supervisor and previous reviewers.
If the Use of Force indicates Policy, Training, Tactical or Equipment concerns, the Chief or designee will ensure that necessary training is delivered and the policy, tactical or equipment concerns are resolved
If after the investigation the Use of Force is found to be out of policy, or the investigation is lacking, the Chief or Designee will direct and ensure appropriate corrective action is taken. (Including if warranted, a referral to OPA)
*see Type III use of Force Investigation