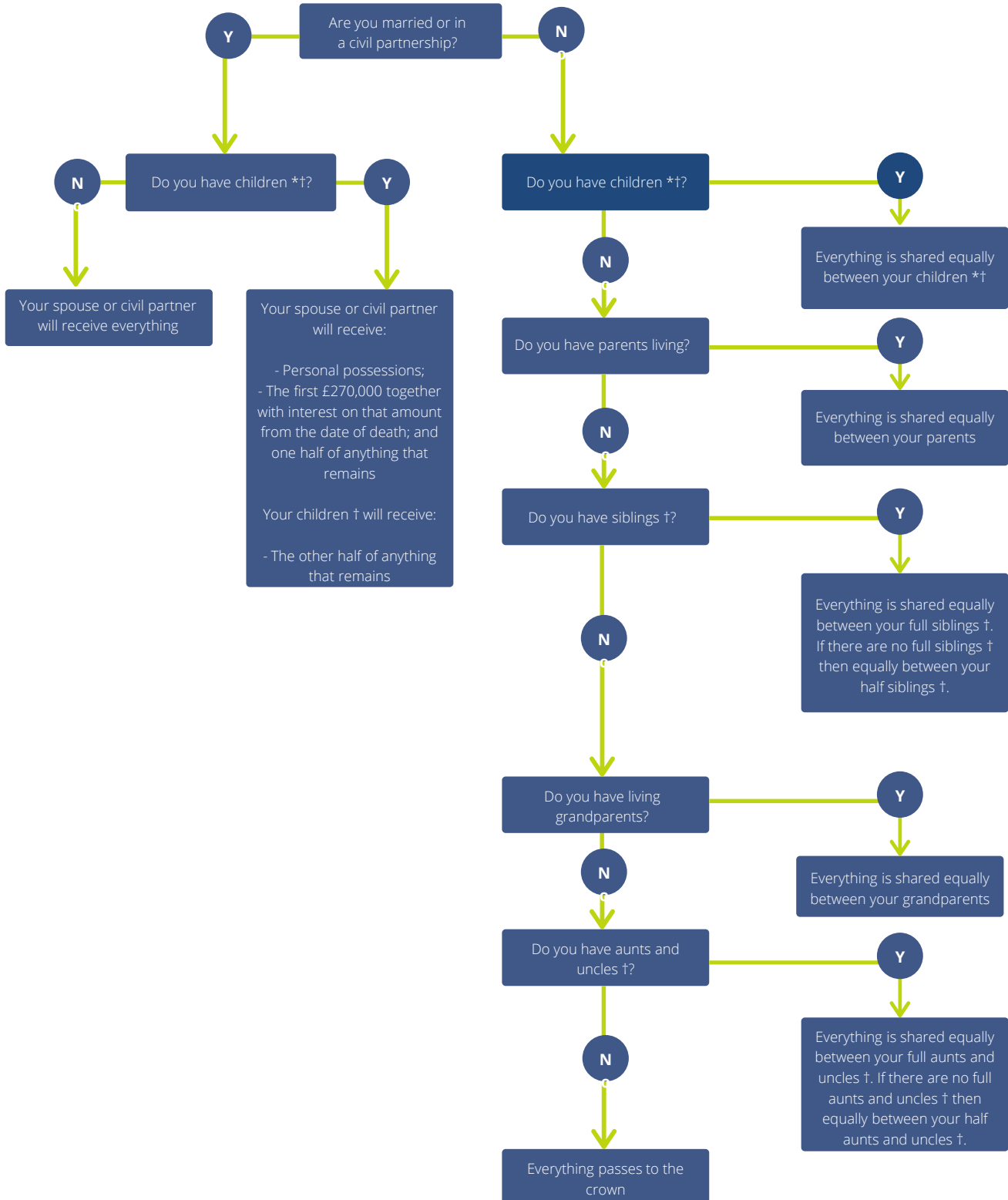


Intestacy Rules Flowchart 1

How the intestacy rules could affect you and your family.

If you die without a will, your assets will be divided in accordance with the laws of intestacy, which are summarised below. The rules summarised here only apply to deaths which occur between 7 February 2020 to 25 July 2023; if you require advice upon a death which occurred before that date please contact us and for advice on deaths after this date please see or intestacy rules flowchart 2.



*The term children includes illegitimate and adopted children, but not step-children

† If those relatives were not living at the date of your death but they left descendants who are, then those descendant would usually inherit the share their parent would have taken had they survived you..

Please note that this information is provided as a guide and only summarises the laws relating to intestacy in England and Wales as at 22 November 2023