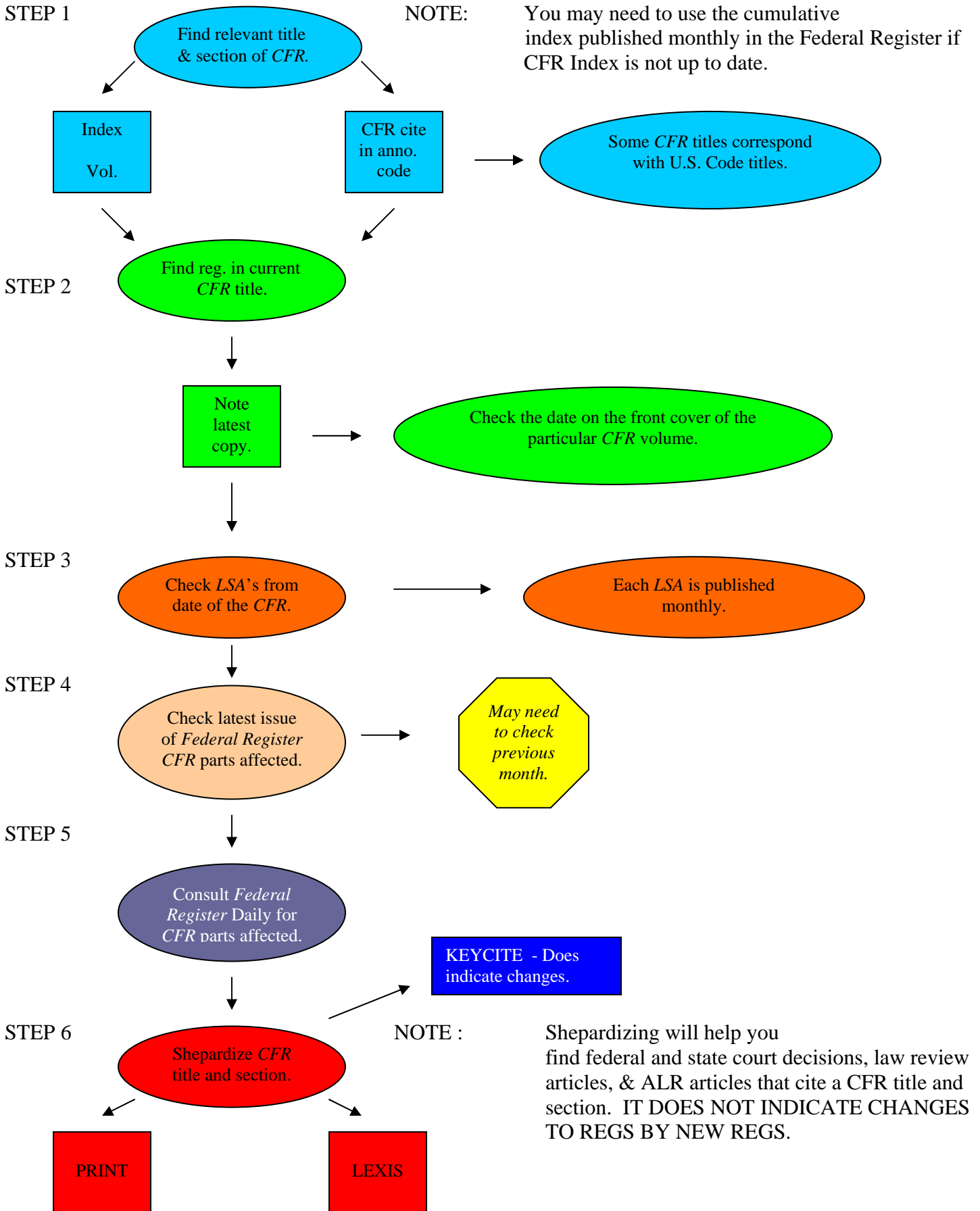


# FEDERAL REGULATION RESEARCH

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# FEDERAL REGULATION HISTORY

STEP 1

Use regulation in the *CFR*.

STEP 2

Find Federal Register Citations at each end of each *CFR* code section or part.

STEP 3

Look at each citation and find it in the *Federal Register*.

NOTE:

Regent Law Library has the *Federal Register* in paper from 1991 to present. For older issues use *HeinOnline* or microfiche/film.

Start from the first citation given and track changes up to the current language.

With each final rule there should be a preamble that explains the changes. Read the preamble for each rule.

STEP 4

Find the legislative authority for the regulation at the beginning of the final rule.

WARNING  
A preamble may explain many regs. at once.

STEP 5

Look up the legislative authority in the U.S. Code.

WARNING  
The original code section may have changed over time.

STEP 6

Use the *Federal Register* annual index to find notices and proposed rules for each final rule.

TIP: To find notices and proposed rules for a final rule in 1998 for example, use the 1998 *Federal Register* annual index. WARNING – You may need to use the previous year's annual index depending on when a rule was proposed or notice given.