

Did You Know?

In Kentucky, vulnerable adult service providers and individuals authorized under KRS 209.032 are required to query the Cabinet for Health and Family Services (CHFS) as to whether a validated substantiated finding of adult abuse, neglect or exploitation has been entered against an individual in an APS investigation.

The Caregiver Misconduct Registry, which is maintained by the DCBS Adult Protection Branch, requires an exact match on a perpetrator's social security number to yield a result.

Centralized intake and adult protective services (APS) investigative staff should make every effort to obtain accurate social security numbers for all individuals in a case including the perpetrator or perpetrators. This information should be documented in the appropriate i-Twist screens as it is directly linked to the efficacy of the registry and to the preservation of the health, safety and well-being of vulnerable adults.

For additional information about the Caregiver Misconduct Registry, please contact the Adult Protection Branch Manager, Steven Fisher at 502-564-7043 ext. 3570.

