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**TO:** Service Region Administrators  
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**FROM:** Clifton S. Bryant Jr., Adult Protection Services Branch Manager  
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**SUBJECT:** Adult Protective Services SDM® Safety and Risk Manual

The purpose of this memorandum is to advise staff of the following updated documents:

**[Ky Adult Protective Services SDM® Risk Assessment Policy and Procedures Manual](#)**

**[KY Adult Protective Services SDM® Safety Assessment Policy and Procedures Manual](#)**

These forms are in the [Resources](#) section of the online [Standards of Practice \(SOP\) manual](#). The forms are also linked in [SOP 20.1 Introduction to APS Investigation and Assessment](#).

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