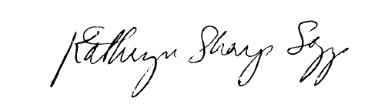
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**MEMORANDUM FOR DIVISION OF SENIOR & DISABILITY SERVICES**

**ADULT PROTECTIVE SERVICES STAFF**



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As referenced in memo [APS-20-03](https://health.mo.gov/seniors/apsmanual/doc/aps-20-03.doc), the draft policy 1703.30: Joint Investigations was made available for review by clicking an orange button beside the existing policy in the Adult Protective Services (APS) Manual. Effective today, the policy is now finalized, posted and the draft button has been removed.

The enhancement to 1703.30: Joint Investigations primarily removed portions of the section that do not pertain to co-investigation, including removal of the Employee Disqualification List (EDL) process, which in now included in APS Policy [1703.20: SIU Response](https://health.mo.gov/seniors/apsmanual/doc/1703.10.doc). Additionally, other agencies who have investigative authority have been added to this policy.

**NECESSARY ACTION:**

1. Review this memorandum with all APS staff.
2. Review updated policy 1703.30: Joint Investigation
3. All questions should be cleared through normal supervisory channels and directed to: Amanda Veltrop at [APSPolicy@health.mo.gov](mailto:APSPolicy@health.mo.gov) or by calling 573-526-5391.

**APS Manual Revisions:**

1. APS Policy 1703.30: Joint Investigations – Updated