

**WAC 388-103-0180 Is a final substantiated finding permanent?**

(1) A final substantiated finding is permanent, except as described under subsection (2) of this section.

(2) A final substantiated finding may be reversed, and the person's identifying information removed from the vulnerable adult abuse registry, if:

(a) The department determines the final substantiated finding was made in error;

(b) The final substantiated finding is reversed or otherwise overturned upon judicial review; or

(c) The department is notified that a person with a final substantiated finding is deceased.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 74.34.068, 74.34.165; 42 U.S.C. Sec. 1396r (g)(1)(D), 42 U.S.C. Sec. 1395i3 (g)(1)(D). WSR 21-11-108, § 388-103-0180, filed 5/19/21, effective 7/1/21.]