

# Introducing

## Unit Risk Management Advisor

Yes, you already have too many positions in unit leadership to fill; but who do you have to be sure?

- Your drivers are licensed and insured,
- Adult leaders are youth protection trained,
- Health forms are available when needed, and incident reporting is completed
- Swimmers are tested and qualified for swimming and boating activity,
- Unit tour plans are prepared and submitted to the scouting office,
- The Guide to Safe Scouting and Age Appropriate Guidelines are kept?

Who watches leader training so your unit has the proper skills available?

- First aid
- Wilderness first aid
- Sweet Sixteen
- Safe swim defense
- Safety Afloat
- Trekking safely
- Climb-on safely
- Hazardous weather

If you are interested in serving your unit in this capacity or know who in your unit would be right for it: Enter name, unit, telephone and email on the Unit Risk Advisor Signup List to get more information, or email [rm@ocbsa.org](mailto:rm@ocbsa.org)

### *Unit Risk Management Advisor*

#### **Position Description:**

Advises the Unit Committee on the control and management of risk for the unit with the objective of reducing costs, injury, and illness for unit members through compliance with BSA policy in matters of training, activity planning, recordkeeping, and reporting

- Ensures tour planning is submitted for each appropriate unit activity, and draws on unit training records to ensure proper qualified leaders are engaged.
- Monitors training records and leader training activity
- Advises Committee Chairman of training opportunities and encourages adult training participation to fill need roles
- Ensures accident and illnesses related to unit activity are reported to Council
- Disseminates information related to health and safety of unit activities
- Advises unit leaders on safe and healthy scouting activities, specifically as outlined in the Guide to Safe Scouting and Age Appropriate Guidelines.