



USD 307 ELL- SALINE

Parent/Guardian Rights

State of Kansas Emergency Safety Intervention Requirements: Effective June 2015



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The Freedom From Unsafe Restraint and Seclusion Act, House Bill (HB) 2170, passed in June 2015.

This pamphlet contains important information about Emergency Safety Interventions (ESI).

Definitions for HB 2170:

Emergency Safety Intervention means the use of seclusion or physical restraint.

Physical Restraint means bodily force used to substantially limit a student's movement, except that consensual, solicited, or unintentional contact and contact to provide comfort, assistance or instruction shall not be deemed to be physical restraint.

Seclusion means the placement of a student in a location where all of the following conditions are met:

*The student is placed in an enclosed area by school personnel

*The student is purposefully isolated from adults and peers

*The student is prevented from leaving or the student reasonably believes that such student will be prevented from leaving the enclosed area.

Parent Notification and Meetings Following Emergency Safety

Intervention Incidents:

Notification: A parent/guardian will be notified the same day the emergency safety intervention is used for every incident.

Documentation: A parent/guardian will be provided documentation of every emergency safety intervention used no later than the school day following each incident.

A parent/guardian will be provided the following information after the first emergency safety intervention incident in the school year:

- Copy of ESI standards
- flyer about parent's rights
- information about a parent's right to file a complaint through local dispute resolution
- the complaint process through the state board of education
- information assisting the parent through the complaint process.

After the third emergency safety intervention incident in a school

year, a meeting will be held to discuss options.

Additional Information Can Be Found on Your School Website
www.ellsaline.org

Contact Information/ Resources:

Families Together:

<http://www.familiestogetherinc.org/>

Disabilities Rights Center of Kansas:

<http://www.drckansas.org/Emergency>

Emergency Safety Intervention Resources Can Be Accessed at:

ESI Law <http://ksdetasn.org/resources/388>

[Standards for the Use of Emergency Safety Intervention ESI](http://ksdetasn.org/resources/390)

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[Dispute Resolution Process](http://www.ellsaline.org/vnews/display.v/S/EC/Parents%7CEmergency%20Safety%20Intervention%20%28ESI%29) (If a parent is not satisfied after addressing concerns at the district level, appeal can be made at the state level.)

<http://www.ellsaline.org/vnews/display.v/S/EC/Parents%7CEmergency%20Safety%20Intervention%20%28ESI%29>