

Minneapolis Public Schools follow-up information

Seclusion Working Group

- Has there been a need to call law enforcement in the past school year? No, we use our own staff to support. But the Emergency Support Staff are not doing physical holds. They are there to support the school for safety but we do not have a need to call police.
- Which MPS schools use school-linked mental health? All MPS schools have a social worker.
- Has there been a change to complaints or litigation since 2011? Not sure what this is referencing. Our complaints are consistent but none of them are due to restrictive procedures.
- Data or exit interview results on families who have open enrolled out of MPS due to lack of seclusion or supports? We have no data with parents actively open enrolling due to MPS not providing seclusion.
- How many uses of physical restraint/intervention and other restrictive procedures have been used in the past school year? In the 2024-25 school year, MPS staff used restrictive procedures 176 times across all of our 60+ schools and programs. Of those 176 incidents, families filed two complaints with the district regarding the procedure.