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Task Force on Restraint and Seclusion Members
Senate Bill 786/Chapter 611 (2017)

Task Force on Restraint and Seclusion is charged with reviewing several issues related to the use of restraint and seclusion in Maryland schools. These include, the circumstances under which, and the schools or types of schools in which, restraint and seclusion shall be prohibited; contraindications for restraint and seclusion and who may authorize restraint and seclusion; minimum requirements for policies and procedures to be developed by local school systems, state operated programs, and nonpublic school. The Task Force will produce a report of recommendations regarding restraint and seclusion.

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