Seclusion:

Highest on Record!

Michigan schools reported using seclusion

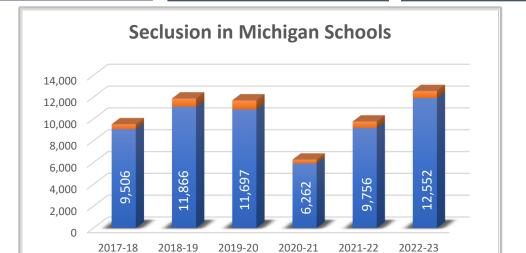
12,552 Times

during the 2022-23 school year.

That's **Up 28.7%**from 9,756 last school year.

94.9% of reported seclusions are used on students

with disabilities.



Seclusion was used an average of

■ Without

Disabilities

70 Times a day in Michigan

Considering about 180 days make up a school year.

This is despite the statement by the <u>U.S. Department of Education</u> that "Every effort should be made to

Prevent

the need for the use of restraint and for the use of seclusion." "There is

No Evidence

that using restraint or seclusion is effective in reducing the occurrence of the problem behaviors that frequently precipitate the use of such techniques."

(Restraint and Seclusion Resource Document – Principal #1 and Page 2, paragraph 1)

All data is from <u>mischooldata.org/districtschool-data-files</u> Michigan's Center for Educational Performance and Information, Use of Seclusion and Restraint: ISD School Year Totals from multiple years (accessed September7, 2023).



