

Kansas Juvenile Found Out of State

Juvenile Status

Runaway from home with no Cases and no Warrants.

Kansas Runaways should have a NCIC Missing Person / Runaway Report on file.

If there's a tip where the Kansas Runaway is residing, the NCIC Report enables out of state law enforcement to arrest and detain the juvenile for return to Kansas.

Youth who are Runaways from home with no Cases or Warrants, can be released to Parents or Legal Guardians within 24 hours of detention, excluding weekends and holidays, unless abuse or neglect are suspected. In these cases, the ICJ Office does not have to be contacted. (Rule 6-101)

The Kansas juvenile will not be picked up by Parents or Legal Guardians within 24 hours excluding weekends and holidays.



Complete Online Runaway Information Sheet
Fax (785-296-8144) or E-mail (KansasICJ@doc.ks.gov) to Kansas ICJ
Include Intake Reports, Police Reports and NCIC Data if available.



KS-ICJ informs the holding state's ICJ office that a Kansas Runaway is detained in their state. The holding state's ICJ Office works with their Local Agency on a signed ICJ Form III for voluntary return.



If the Kansas juvenile refuses to sign Form III, KS-ICJ works with legal guardian to compile a Requisition, asking the holding state to "order" the juvenile returned to Kansas. Or, KS-ICJ informs the holding state ICJ Office the juvenile can be released and to whom.



Upon receiving a signed Form III from the holding state, KS-ICJ works with Parents and/or Relatives on travel plans to return the juvenile. If the family cannot arrange transportation, Kansas-ICJ works with "Operation Home Free" to obtain a free Greyhound Bus Ticket for the juvenile's return to Kansas. www.1800runaway.org



KS-ICJ confirms the juvenile's successful return, sends an E-mail to the holding state ICJ Office and closes the juvenile's Runaway file.