

20 Immediate Intervention Program Standards  Kansas Department of Corrections- Division of Juvenile Services State of Kansas	<b>CHAPTER:</b>	<b>STANDARD NO.</b>
	<b>STAFF</b>	<b>IIP-02-106</b>
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	<b>WEAPONS</b>	
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**STANDARD:** Written policy, procedure and practice shall prohibit Immediate Intervention Program (IIP) employees from carrying weapons in the performance of their duties. When situations cannot be resolved, law enforcement authorities shall be contacted for assistance.

The use of firearms, oleoresin capsicum (pepper spray), any variation of blunt force weapons including batons and any variation of conducted electrical weapons including Tasers shall be prohibited. State block grant funds shall not be used in the purchasing of the above stated weapons and/or any of their accessories.

This standard shall not prohibit the carrying of concealed firearms when done so in accordance with the Kansas Personal and Family Protection Act. State block grant funds shall not be used in the purchasing of firearms or accessories for concealed carry.

**DISCUSSION:** None.

**ATTACHMENTS:** None.

**NOTE:** The standards and procedures set forth herein are intended to establish operational guidelines for immediate intervention programs operating through the board of county commissioners and their employees/contractors and youth participating in the immediate intervention process. They are not intended to establish state created liberty interests for immediate intervention programs or the board of county commissioners, or their employees/contractors, or youth, or an independent duty owed by the Kansas Department of Corrections- Division of Juvenile Services to immediate intervention programs operating through the board of county commissioners or their employees/contractors, supervised juveniles or third parties. This standard and procedure is not intended to establish or create new constitutional rights or to enlarge or expand upon existing constitutional rights or duties.