

**227.15 Authority to involuntarily confine.**

A person shall not be involuntarily confined and restrained in any private or county facility or other general hospital with a psychiatric ward for the care or treatment of persons with mental illness, except by the procedure prescribed in [sections 229.6 through 229.15](#).

[S13, §2727-a66; C24, 27, 31, 35, 39, §**3532**; C46, 50, 54, 58, 62, 66, 71, 73, 75, 77, 79, 81, §227.15]

[96 Acts, ch 1129, §113](#); [2021 Acts, ch 80, §119](#); [2023 Acts, ch 19, §514](#)

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