



DLA Second Chance Program

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Date: _____

Dear Parent or Guardian of _____

Your child has been referred to the Disturbing Lawful Assembly Second Chance Program.

This program is offered as an alternative to an arrest/suspension of your child for their violation of the Disturbing Lawful Assembly at his or her school recently. Your child will be assigned to the next regularly scheduled DLA Second Chance class.

Your child MUST attend this session in order to avoid an arrest/suspension for the offense.

You will soon receive a letter with details about the DLA Program, including the date and time of the class, as well as the Program contact information. This program is run by Clinical and Support Options, Inc. (CSO), a local community based agency that works in collaboration with the Springfield Public Schools. You will receive further information directly from CSO.

We are requesting your permission for your child to attend this program. Please sign the below portion of this letter and return it to the DLA Program Coordinator, Maureen Nickerson, prior to the date of the assigned class.

I, _____, give my consent to have my child _____ attend the DLA Second Chance Program that is run by Clinical and Support Options. I understand that failure of my child to attend this one-day program will result in the arrest of my child for their violation of Disturbing Lawful Assembly at his/her school recently.

I, _____, authorize Springfield Public Schools to disclose to Clinical and Support Options, Inc. my child's Springfield Public School's student records relating to my child's disciplinary history or incident reports relating to my child's conduct at school.

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____

Email completed referral forms to:

CSO: mnickerson@csoinc.org

Police Department: mrussell@springfieldpolice.net and mkervick@springfieldpolice.net

Springfield Public School Department: bakerw@springfieldpublicschools.com