

**INQUIRY INTO STUDENTS WITH DISABILITY OR
SPECIAL NEEDS IN NEW SOUTH WALES SCHOOLS**

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The DoE policy states

'NSW DoE - Should liability for the accident be admitted?

Under no circumstances should liability for the accident be admitted nor any opinions as to responsibility for the accident expressed. Any request from parents, care-givers or persons acting on their behalf for a copy of the accident report and accompanying documentation should be refused.'

https://www.det.nsw.edu.au/.../legal-issues-bul.../number_39.pdf

What happens if a non-verbal disabled child falls (whom has previously had concussions) and the parents are not informed. Potential for fatality later that evening.

Kind Regards

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