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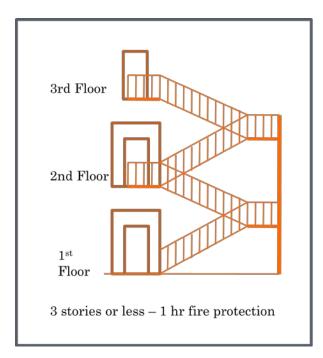
Types of protection or support required for exterior stairs:

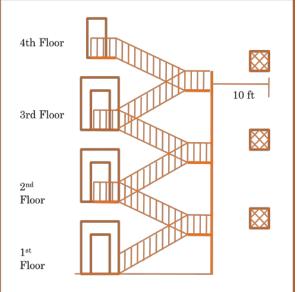
3-STORY OR LESS. Requires 1-hr fire resistive walls

4-STORY OR MORE.

Requires 2-hr fire resistive walls and <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>-hr protection for all openings within 10ft of the complete length of the stairs.

Fire escape stairs must be structurally supported to the ground, or documentation maintained of successful inspection by a Kansas licensed architect or engineer updated every five years.





4 stories or more – 2 hr fire protection (wired glass in fixed metal frames within 10 ft of complete length of stairs)