



Your Legal Rights



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EXPERT INFORMATION

Although the term "malpractice" is most often associated with a doctor's negligent professional behavior, it may be applied to any expert who has failed to meet an accepted standard of performance. In fact, anyone who is licensed or presents him or herself as capable of performing expert services is held to a "standard of care" common to others who perform the same services. For their part, those who engage their services have the legal right to expect expert service. Thus, anyone who suffers injury due to the negligence of a licensed mechanic, architect, or beautician has as much right to sue them for malpractice as he or she has the right to sue a doctor.

A professional is expected to use a reasonable degree of skill and care in their work. When a professional fails to do just that, and someone suffers a loss or injury as a result, the injured party may be entitled to compensation for their loss. For an experienced trial attorney with a practice focused on personal injury law, call our office to set up a free initial consultation. Personal injury cases are our specialty and for your convenience, we offer hospital and in-home visits.

HINT: People who hold driver's licenses are presumed to be capable of driving cars.

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