

**Lecture Title:** Medical Malpractice Litigation in Florida

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1. Understand the components of Florida's pre-suit process.
2. Appreciate the beginning pre-trial stages of a medical malpractice lawsuit.
3. Recognize the steps in the pleading and discovery phases of a lawsuit.
4. Cite the stages of a trial and the jury verdict process.