

Medical Malpractice Litigation in Florida

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As a result of the participation in this activity, participants should be able to:

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.
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