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#### Introduction

This report has been prepared to provide the reader with detailed expert witness fee and billing information using a large sample size (almost 1,000 experts-many of whom had more than one area of expertise). All survey information was provided by the responding experts in May of 2014. It is our hope that the information in this report will be useful to expert witnesses, the trial attorneys who retain them, and the judges who have to rule on expert witness fees.

## **PART I: ANALYSIS OF SURVEY RESULTS**

#### Expert Rates

Expert rates have increased modestly since SEAK's last survey in 2009. Average fees for testifying at trial have increased a total of only 2.9% over this five year period for an annual increase of less than 1%. On the other hand, average fees for file review and case preparation have increased 12% over five years, or 2.5% per year. Average hourly fees for depositions are up 6.4% over the past five years for an annual increase of 1.2%.

**Recommendation:** *Experts should review their fees annually and most should consider periodically increasing these fees.* 

#### **Retainers**

81% of experts require an up-front retainer. This is up from 74% in SEAK's 2009 Survey. The average retainer has increased 17% to \$3,048. Of the experts who require retainers, 75% have at least a portion of this retainer be non-refundable. This is up from 70% in 2009.

**Recommendation:** Experts should ask for an up-front retainer. Given that more than 4 out of 5 experts require a retainer, this will not be seen as an unusual requirement. This retainer should be at least partially non-refundable, as is the practice of 3 out of 4 experts. Experts should review their retainer requirements annually and most should consider periodically increasing such retainer amounts.

#### **Daubert and Qualifications Challenges**

For most experts, legal challenges to their opinions' admissibility remain relatively rare. Fully 80% of those surveyed did not face such a challenge in the last five years. This is similar to the 2009 results in which 78% of experts surveyed did not face such a challenge in the previous 5 years. Successful challenges are even rarer. Of the subset of experts (20%) who reported being challenged, only 14% of these experts reported that one or more challenges were successful.

**Recommendation:** For many types of experts, Daubert and other admissibility challenges can be expected to be quite rare. Other experts can routinely expect to face Daubert challenges. However, because the ramifications of exclusion can be devastating, vigilance is recommended to avoid and defeat such challenges.

#### **Cancellation Charges for Deposition and Trial**

Almost half of the experts surveyed charge cancellation fees for late notice cancellation of deposition (48%) and trial (47%). This is down slightly from 2009 (53%).

**Recommendation:** Charging cancellation fees is a common practice. The authors suggest that experts reserve the right to charge cancellation fees, but that they only actually charge the client such fees to the extent that they are actually damaged by the late notice cancellation. Where possible, cancellation fees should be written off as a professional courtesy to build good will with and positive word of mouth from retaining counsel.

#### **Rate Increases**

A full 34% of surveyed experts reported that they did not raise their rates in the last 5 years. Of the 66% of experts who reported raising their rates, these experts were **66 times more likely to report that raising their rates was a good decision rather than a decision that backfired.** 

**Recommendation:** *Experts who haven't raised their rates to market rates should consider doing so. The odds are heavily in favor of this being a good business decision.* 

#### Advanced Payments for Depositions and Trials

Approximately half of experts surveyed require advanced payments for depositions (53%) and trials (45%)

**Recommendation:** Getting one's money up front is an excellent way to avoid collection difficulties. Approximately half of experts do this, which means it is a common practice that a large number of attorney clients do and will agree to. The authors recommend that experts emulate this common practice.

#### Minimum Charges for Depositions and Trials

Approximately half of the experts surveyed have minimum charges for depositions (53%) and trials (50%). These average \$1,463 for depositions and \$2,406 for trials.

**Recommendation:** Minimum charges for depositions and trials are commonly charged. Whether this is appropriate for any particular expert depends upon the circumstances and the location of the trial testimony (i.e. what kind of travel is required?). Minimum charges can be controversial and may be challenged. The authors do not recommend charging minimums unless there is a compelling reason to do so.

#### Written Retention Contracts

34% of experts do not require retaining counsel to sign a written retention contract. A large majority of experts (66%) do require retaining counsel to sign a written retention contract.

**Recommendation:** A well-written retention contract can eliminate or mitigate much of the risk involved in expert witnessing (financial, reputational, etc.). A large majority of experts require counsel to sign such contracts. The authors strongly recommend that every expert utilize a well-written retention contract.<sup>1</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See for example <u>SEAK's Expert Witness Retention Contract</u> available for download from <u>www.seak.com</u>

#### **Collection Difficulties**

A large majority of experts (63%) report that they ultimately collected all of the fees owed to them in the last 5 years. A significant minority (37%) reported at least one instance of an ultimate failure to be paid.

**Recommendation:** *Expert witnesses can be expected to experience collection difficulties every once in a while. This is a manageable problem if sound business practices and a well thought out retention agreement are utilized.* 

#### **Conclusions**

Every expert's business practices are somewhat dependent on their unique situation. That said, seeing how other experts conduct their business and charge for their work can be very instructive. It is the hope of the authors that this report will assist experts in making optimum business decisions.

## PART II: SURVEY RESULTS IN AGGREGATE

### **ALL EXPERTS**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	1931
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 451
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 5000
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 125
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 333
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 1000
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 80
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 427
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 4800
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 125
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	81%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	75%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,048
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$20,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 50
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	20%
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	14%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	48%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	47%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	64%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	1%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	66%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	48%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	45%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	62%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,463
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	50%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,406
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	66%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	37%

## PART III: SURVEY RESULTS BY AREA OF EXPERTISE

### **Accident Reconstruction**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	34
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 286
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 540
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 399
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 285
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 540
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 150
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	85%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	79%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,814
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$10,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	15%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	80%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	32%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	32%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	65%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	50%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	47%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	32%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	62%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,073
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	50%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,511
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	62%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	41%

## Accounting

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	36
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 354
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 840
	\$ 210
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 335
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	-
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 725
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 195
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 352
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 840
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 210
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	86%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	32%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$5,874
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$20,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	28%
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	40%
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	11%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	11%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	83%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	7%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	60%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	25%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	22%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,444
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	25%
	58%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums) Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention Agreement Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	\$2,383 83% 58%

### Actuarial

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	2
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 313
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 325
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 313
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 325
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 313
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 325
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 300
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	50%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,700
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$2,400
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	50%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	50%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$2,000
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	50%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,000
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	50%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

## Acupuncture

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	5
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 750
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 360
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 650
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 100
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 590
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$1,200
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 150
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	40%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,500
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$3,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	80%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	40%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	40%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	80%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	80%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$ 913
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,100
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	20%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	40%

### **Addiction Medicine**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	5
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 660
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,200
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 435
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 545
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 725
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 300
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,660
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$4,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,200
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	80%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	80%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	25%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	80%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	60%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,575
minimums)	<b>CO</b> 0/
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	60%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,867
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	60%
Agreement	20%
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	20%

## Adoption

Айорнон	1
Number of Experts Responding In Survey	1
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 900
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 900
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 900
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 900
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 900
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 900
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	0%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	N/A
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	N/A
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	N/A
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	N/A
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,800
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,800
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	0%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

## Advertising

Advertising	
Number of Experts Responding In Survey	1
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 595
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 595
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 595
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 495
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 495
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 495
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 595
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 595
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 595
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,500
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$3,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$3,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$3,465
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	0%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	N/A
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

## Agriculture

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	3
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 317
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 267
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 317
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$7,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$2,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	67%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,233
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average <b>Minimum Charge for Trial</b> (for those with minimums)	\$1,317
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	67%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	33%

## Allergy and Immunology

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	2
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 575
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 650
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 575
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 650
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,000
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$2,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$2,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	50%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,000
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	50%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,500
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	50%

## **Ambulatory Surgery**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	2
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 225
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 200
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	50%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$ 625
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$ 625
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 625
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$ 900
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,100
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	50%
Agreement	00/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

## Anesthesiology

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	10
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 538
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 363
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 523
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$1,200
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 200
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	70%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	86%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,646
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$2,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 625
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	90%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	90%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	70%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	71%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	40%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	60%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	80%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,813
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	90%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$3,289
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	40%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	40%

## **Appraisal - Business**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	8
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 399
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 700
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
	\$ 379
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 700
	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 399
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 700
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	-
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	75%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	67%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	ćo. 000
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$9,000
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$15,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$4,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	63%
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	38%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	38%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	75%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	17%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	83%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	38%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	38%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	38%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,767
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	38%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,767
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	88%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	13%

## **Appraisal - Personal Property**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	13
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 281
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 450
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 230
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 450
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 120
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 273
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 450
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 150
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Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	\$2,000
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$7,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 300
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	<b>CO</b> 2(
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	69%
Cancellations	<b>500</b> (
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	69%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	31%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	50%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	31%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	38%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	62%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,263
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	54%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,714
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	85%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	31%

## **Appraisal - Real Property**

Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE\$ 359Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH\$ 500Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH\$ 500Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE\$ 225Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE\$ 344Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW\$ 225Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE\$ 359Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE\$ 359Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE\$ 500Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE\$ 500Hourly Fee for Deposition ILOW\$ 225Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer88%Percentage of Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose87%Retainer AVERACE (of those who require retainers)\$ 6,036Retainer AVERACE (of those who require retainers)\$ 50,000Retainer AVERACE (of those who require retainers)\$ 22,000Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under25%Daubert/Frye or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years0%Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under0%Daubert/Frye or for qualifications at Least Once During the Last 5 Years25%Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice Cancellations25%Percentage AISING RATES during Last Five Years25%Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that RAISING RATES Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that RAISING RATES0%Was a Good Decision63%63%Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	Number of Exports Person ding In Survey	8
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## Appraisal and Valuation

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Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention <b>75%</b>		75%
Agreement		
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years. 42%		42%

# **Aquatics Safety**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	2
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 363
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 313
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 363
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 350
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,000
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$3,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$2,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	50%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	50%
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Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
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Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	50%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,050
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	50%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,050
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

### Arbitration/Mediation

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	6
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 392
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ <b>250</b>
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 293
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 180
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	67%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,583
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	83%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	67%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	50%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,333
minimums)	500/
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	50%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,400
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
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Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	33%

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Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)\$2	2,115
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Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)\$1	,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	7%
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under 0	1%
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice 67	7%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice 67	7%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years 83	3%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b> 0	1%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b> 10	00%
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Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b> 50	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance 33	3%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions 83	3%
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#### Architecture

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	20
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 394
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 268
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 390
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 175
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 372
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 200
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	75%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	73%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,173
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$10,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 750
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	10%
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	50%
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	35%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	30%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	60%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
<b>Backfired</b> Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	50%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	30%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	35%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	45%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,440
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	45%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,479
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	90%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	60%

#### **Athletics and Recreation**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	5
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 385
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 450
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 315
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 385
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 450
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 300
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,500
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$3,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	20%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	60%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	60%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	80%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	40%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	40%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	40%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,050
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	60%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,500
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	80%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	20%

#### Audio

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	2
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 838
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 175
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 338
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 175
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 588
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 175
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,250
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	0%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	50%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,750
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average <b>Minimum Charge for Trial</b> (for those with minimums)	\$2,125
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

# Audiologist

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	1
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 550
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,000
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$2,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$2,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,000
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,500
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	0%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

#### **Automotive**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	3
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 290
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 220
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 265
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 195
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 283
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 200
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	67%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,500
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	33%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	100%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	67%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	33%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	33%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$ 800
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	33%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$8,000
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	67%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	67%

### **Aviation and Aerospace**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	8
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 337
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 170
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 281
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 475
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 170
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 303
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 475
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 170
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	88%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,625
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$2,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	25%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	63%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	63%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	75%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	75%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,927
minimums)	750/
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	75%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,912
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	259/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	25%

## Banking

Number of Europete Deepen dine In Comment	11
Number of Experts Responding In Survey	
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 245
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 338
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 175
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 368
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 245
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	91%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	40%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$4,550
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$10,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	18%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	9%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	18%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	55%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
<b>Backfired</b> Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	50%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	45%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	18%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	55%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$2,358
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	36%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$3,250
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	82%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	45%

#### **Behavioral and Social Sciences**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	7
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 543
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 411
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 800
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 125
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 446
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 900
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 175
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	86%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	83%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,350
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$10,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 900
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	29%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	86%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	86%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	71%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	80%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	57%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	43%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	71%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,425
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	71%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,200
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	86%
Agreement	420/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	43%

#### **Biomechanics**

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Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH\$ 875Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW\$ 295Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE\$ 360Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH\$ 600Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW\$ 195Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE\$ 501Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE\$ 501Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE\$ 501Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW\$ 295Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer86%Percentage of Ihose Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose83%Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)\$ 2,533Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)\$ 3,200Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)\$ 3,200Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)\$ 3,200Retainer JOH (of those who require retainers)\$ 3,200Retainer JOH (of those who require retainers)\$ 4,000Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under71%Daubert/Frye or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years0%Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice14%Cancellations14%Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years71%Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years71%Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years71%Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance71%Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions71%Percentage Usually		
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	Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	29%

## **Building Inspection**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	4
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 288
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 244
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 263
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 200
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	25%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$ 500
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$ 500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	0%
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Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	75%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
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Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	33%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	25%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	25%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,200
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	0%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	N/A
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	75%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	25%

### **Business Damages**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	17
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 393
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 875
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 225
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 344
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 450
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 225
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 369
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 475
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 225
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	82%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	21%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$6,679
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$20,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	41%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	29%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	6%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	12%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	76%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	77%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	24%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	41%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	29%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,285
minimums)	470/
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	47%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,833
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	88%
Agreement	CE0/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	65%

## **Business Operations**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	5
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 330
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 225
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 320
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 225
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 330
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 225
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	80%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	50%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,675
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$6,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	20%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	20%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	20%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	20%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	40%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	20%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	60%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,567
minimums)	<b>CO</b> 2(
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	60%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,567
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	<b>CO</b> 2/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	60%

#### **Business Valuation**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	15
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 334
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 440
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 210
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 320
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 440
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 334
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 440
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 210
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	93%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	21%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$6,286
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$20,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$2,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	40%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	17%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	13%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	20%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	73%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	9%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	64%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	27%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	47%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	20%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$2,800
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	20%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$3,967
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	93%
Agreement	F 20/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	53%

#### **Cardiothoracic Surgery**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	3
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 700
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 343
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 180
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 533
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 800
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 300
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	33%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	67%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	67%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	67%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	0%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	N/A
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	33%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,500
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	33%
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Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

#### **Cardiovascular Disease**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	12
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$1,055
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$5,000
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 333
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 460
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 750
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 225
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 710
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$1,500
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 400
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Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	82%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	0270
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	\$1,741
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000 \$ 350
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	17%
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years	00/
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	58%
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	58%
Cancellations	42%
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	42%
Cancellations	67%
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
<b>Backfired</b> Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	F00/
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	50%
Was a Good Decision	58%
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	58%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	75%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$2,228
minimums)	759/
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	75%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$3,833
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	8%
Agreement	F 00/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	58%

## **Chemistry/Chemicals**

Number of Exports Responding In Survey	10
Number of Experts Responding In Survey	\$ 383
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	-
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 225
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 333
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 388
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 275
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	80%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	75%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,275
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$6,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 700
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	40%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	25%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	10%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	10%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	70%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	14%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	43%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	30%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	20%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	40%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$2,450
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	40%
Average <b>Minimum Charge for Trial</b> (for those with minimums)	\$3,000
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	70%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	10%
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Number of Experts Responding In Survey	8
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 363
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 219
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 100
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
	63%
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	40%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	40%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	\$ 770
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	•
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	63%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	63%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	25%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	75%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$ 594
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$ 913
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	25%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	25%

### **Chiropractic Neurology**

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Cancellations
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b> 0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b> 0%
Was a Good Decision
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance75%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with\$ 575
minimums)
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial 100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)\$1,000
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention 25%
Agreement
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years. 25%

## **Clothing/Apparel**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	1
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 400
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$4,000
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$4,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$4,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	0%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	N/A
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	0%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	N/A
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	00/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

## **Colon and Rectal Surgery**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	4
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 538
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 650
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 411
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 225
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 538
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 650
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 350
	100%
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	\$1,786
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$2,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	1000/
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	100%
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	00/
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	0%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
Was a Good Decision	750/
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	75%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,650
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	75%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$4,367
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	50%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	50%

#### **Communications**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	4
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 200
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	50%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	50%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,750
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$2,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	25%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	25%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	25%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$ 800
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	25%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$ 800
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	75%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

### Computers

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	19
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 359
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 130
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 352
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 552
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 130
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 359
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 130
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	53%
	80%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	80%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	\$4,900
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$10,000
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$2,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	5%
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	5%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	0%
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	21%
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice Cancellations	2170
	16%
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice Cancellations	10%
	58%
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	0%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
<b>Backfired</b> Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	55%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b> Was a Good Decision	55%
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	26%
	37%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	16%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	\$ 840
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Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	
Average <b>Minimum Charge for Trial</b> (for those with minimums)	\$1,467 74%
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	/4%
Agreement	429/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	42%

#### Construction

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	47
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 317
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 625
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 135
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 262
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 390
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 135
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 308
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 625
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 135
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	81%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	76%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$4,091
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$10,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	21%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	30%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	30%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	28%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	79%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	73%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	30%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	28%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	34%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,479
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	36%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,843
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	81%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	38%

#### **Construction Defects**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	51
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 336
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 625
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 244
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 316
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 150
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	80%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	80%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	00/0
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,391
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$16,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	12%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	17%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	41%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	35%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	80%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	2%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	51%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	39%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	39%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	39%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,521
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	43%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,888
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	78%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	33%

#### **Correctional Healthcare**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	4
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 583
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,200
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 344
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 425
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 413
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 700
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	75%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,533
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$3,600
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	25%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	25%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	75%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	25%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	25%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	75%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,467
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	75%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,700
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	50%
Agreement	250/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	25%

### Cosmetology

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	1
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 345
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 345
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 345
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 345
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 345
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 345
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 345
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 345
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 345
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	100%
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$ 345
	\$ 345
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$ 345
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	0%
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	N/A
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	0%
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice Cancellations	078
	0%
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice Cancellations	078
	100%
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
<b>Backfired</b> Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	078
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	10078
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,725
minimums)	<i>91,725</i>
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	0%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	N/A
	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100/0
Agreement Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%
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#### Criminalist

Number of Experts Responding in Surf AVEY       2         Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE       \$ 450         Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW       \$ 400         Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE       \$ 375         Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE       \$ 375         Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW       \$ 350         Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE       \$ 400         Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH       \$ 400         Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH       \$ 400         Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE       \$ 400         Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH       \$ 400         Hourly Fee for Deposition NEGH       \$ 400         Percentage of Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers       100%         Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable       Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)       \$ 4,250         Retainer HICH (of those who require retainers)       \$ 5,000       \$ 4,250         Retainer JOW (of those who require retainers)       \$ 5,5000       \$ 60%         Daubert/Frye or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years       \$ 0%       \$ 00%	Number of Exports Desponding In Survey	2
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#### **Critical Care Medicine**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	3
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 800
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ <b>500</b>
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 733
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	67%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,833
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	67%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
<b>Backfired</b> Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	67%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	67%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$ 850
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	67%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,250
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	67%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	67%

### Dentistry

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	10
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 578
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 300
	\$ 374
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 700
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 508
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 508
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 300
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	80%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	88%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	44.005
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,065
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$1,800
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 600
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	10%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	80%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	80%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	60%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	67%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	40%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	90%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,267
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	80%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,438
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	20%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	40%

#### Diabetes

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	3
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 658
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 700
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 558
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 675
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 592
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 675
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	67%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	10070
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,500
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$3,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	33%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	100%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	67%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	67%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	33%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$2,700
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	33%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,700
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	67%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	100%

## **Diagnostic Radiology**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	4
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 613
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 700
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 463
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 563
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 700
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 350
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	50%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,250
<b>Retainer</b> HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	25%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	25%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
<b>Backfired</b> Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	25%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$2,800
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	25%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$5,600
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	0%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	25%

# **Disability Evaluation**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	16
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 591
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,250
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 330
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 513
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 150
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	69%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	82%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,955
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 350
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	6%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	69%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	75%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	56%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	78%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	56%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	69%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$ 970
minimums)	040/
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	81%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,358
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	50%
Agreement	200/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	38%

# **Disaster Recovery**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	2
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 318
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 385
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 318
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 385
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 318
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 385
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	50%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	0%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	0%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	N/A
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	0%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	N/A
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	50%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

# **Dispute Resolution**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	2
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 425
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 425
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	50%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	50%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	0%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	N/A
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	0%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	N/A
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	50%
Agreement	0%
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

#### **Document Examination**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	10
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 325
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 225
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 231
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 125
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 336
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	80%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,163
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 900
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	20%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	50%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	40%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	30%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	60%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	67%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	90%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	80%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	70%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,343
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	70%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,443
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	70%
Agreement	500/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	50%

#### Dogs

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# **Dram Shop and Alcohol Services**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	3
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 317
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 283
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 317
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,667
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$3,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$2,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	33%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	67%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	67%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	67%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	67%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$2,250
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	33%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$3,500
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	67%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	67%

# **Earning Capacity**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	10
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 383
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 320
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 200
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	90%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,330
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	30%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	80%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	80%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	80%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	75%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	80%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	70%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	70%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,714
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	80%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,686
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	80%
Agreement	F.0%/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	50%

#### **Economics**

Number of Experts Responding in Survey       19         Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE       \$ 363         Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW       \$ 250         Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE       \$ 294         Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE       \$ 425         Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW       \$ 175         Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE       \$ 334         Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH       \$ 475         Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW       \$ 250         Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer       \$ 99%         Percentage of Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose <b>Betainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)       \$ 3,624         Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)       \$ 360       \$ 500         Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under       37%       37%         Daubert/Frye or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years       9%       9%         Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under       9%       32%         Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice       26%       32%         Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice       26%       32%         Percentage Of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that RAISING RATES       7%		10
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#### **Education and Schools**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	8
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 491
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 850
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 342
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 453
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	63%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2 <i>,</i> 995
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 770
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	13%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	88%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	86%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	63%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	63%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	38%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,717
minimums)	200/
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	38%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,867
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	75%
Agreement	750/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	75%

# Electricity

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	6
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 352
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 480
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 287
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 190
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 352
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 480
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	83%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	80%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,660
<b>Retainer</b> HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	17%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	17%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	17%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	83%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	80%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	17%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	50%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,467
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	33%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,000
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	33%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	33%

# Electrodiagnostic

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	8
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 722
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 619
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 350
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	50%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	75%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	10,0
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,163
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 700
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	-
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	88%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	88%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	0%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	88%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	75%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	75%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$ 883
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	75%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,817
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	38%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	25%

#### **Electronics**

Number of Exports Responding In Survey	7
Number of Experts Responding In Survey Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 375
	\$ 625
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 343
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 625
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 368
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 625
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 200
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	71%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	60%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,625
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$2,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	14%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	29%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	29%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	71%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	80%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	29%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	29%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	29%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$ 650
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	29%
	43%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)         Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention         Agreement         Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	29% \$ 650 71% 43%

#### **Elevators and Escalators**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	1
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 375
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$4,000
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$4,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$4,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	0%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	N/A
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	0%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	N/A
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

# **Emergency Medical Toxicology**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	1
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 450
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 450
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 450
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 450
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 450
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 450
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 450
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 450
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 450
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,200
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$1,200
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,200
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	0%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	N/A
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	0%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	N/A
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	100%

# **Emergency Medicine**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	29
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 466
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 421
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 650
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 431
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 700
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 32
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	79%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	83%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,707
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 200
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	3%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	62%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	62%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	45%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	62%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	41%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	34%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	45%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,504
minimums)	F 20/
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	52%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,453
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	52%
Agreement	200/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	28%

# **Emergency Preparedness**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	2
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 355
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 385
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 325
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 343
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 385
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 209
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 385
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 32
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,250
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	0%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	50%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,200
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	50%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,200
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

#### Employment

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	13
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 342
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 317
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 342
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 200
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	92%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	83%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,729
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$10,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 750
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	46%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	77%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	77%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	77%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	90%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	77%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	54%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	69%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,550
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	62%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,806
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	92%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	54%

#### Endocrinology

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	5
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 755
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,200
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 595
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 700
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 655
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 900
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	80%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	10076
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,750
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$3,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	20%
<i>Daubert/Frye</i> or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years	20/0
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	100%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	60%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	60%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	80%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	60%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	60%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	60%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$2,733
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	60%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$5,567
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	40%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	80%

# Engineering

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	18
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 325
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 625
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 282
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 324
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 625
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 150
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	72%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	85%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$4,000
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$15,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	33%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	17%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	39%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	89%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	63%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	28%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	22%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	33%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,163
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	28%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,352
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	67%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	22%

# Engineering – Agriculture

Number of Experts Responding In Survey       2         Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERACE       \$ 275         Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH       \$ 300         Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE       \$ 250         Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE       \$ 200         Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW       \$ 200         Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW       \$ 200         Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE       \$ 275         Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE       \$ 220         Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE       \$ 220         Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW       \$ 250         Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer       100%         Percentage of Tose Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose       100%         Retainer AVERACE (of those who require retainers)       \$ 1,750         Retainer AVERACE (of those who require retainers)       \$ 2,500         Retainer AVERACE Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under       50%         Daubert/Frye or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years       9%         Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under       9%         Cancellations       0%       9%         Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice       0%         Percentage		1
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	Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	50%

# **Engineering – Automotive**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	2
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 295
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 325
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 265
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 295
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 325
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 265
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 295
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 325
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 265
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	N/A
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	,
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,750
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$3,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$2,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	50%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	0%
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Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
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Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	50%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	0%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	N/A
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	0%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	N/A
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	50%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	50%

#### Engineering – Biomedical

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| Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW   
   
   | \$ 195  |         | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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   | Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW   | \$ 295  | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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   | Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)                                   | \$ 450  | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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#### **Engineering – Chemical**

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Number of Experts Responding In Survey	6
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 413
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 376
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 430
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 413
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 300
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	83%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	80%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$7,200
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$10,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	67%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	17%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	67%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	25%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	25%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	17%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	17%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	33%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$4,550
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	33%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$4,550
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	83%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	17%

# **Engineering – Civil**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	32
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 307
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 625
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 165
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 253
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 295
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 165
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	69%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	68%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,127
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$10,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	19%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	33%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	28%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	28%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	66%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	5%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	57%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	22%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	19%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	38%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,273
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	25%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,678
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	81%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	38%

# **Engineering – Electrical**

Number of Exports Despending In Surgery	14
Number of Experts Responding In Survey	\$ 331
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	-
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 316
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 331
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 150
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	64%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	89%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,944
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$16,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	14%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	14%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	64%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	78%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	36%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	29%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	36%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,500
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	36%
Average <b>Minimum Charge for Trial</b> (for those with minimums)	\$1,660
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	57%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	14%
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# **Engineering – Geotechnical**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	6
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 233
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 175
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 263
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 175
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	83%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	40%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,700
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	17%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	83%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	50%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,333
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	33%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,000
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	67%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	33%

# **Engineering – Mechanical**

Number of Descripting in Court AVERAGE       \$306         Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE       \$306         Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW       \$155         Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE       \$262         Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE       \$262         Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE       \$262         Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation I.OW       \$150         Hourly Fee for Deposition HICH       \$600         Hourly Fee for Deposition I.OW       \$165         Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer       67%         Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose       84%         Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable       84,003         Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)       \$4,003         Retainer HICH (of those who require retainers)       \$4,003         Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)       \$900         Retainer HICH (of those who require retainers)       \$16,000         Retainer JOW (of those who require retainers)       \$16,000         Retainer G To qualifications During the Last 5 Years       11%         Daubert/Frye or for qualifications at Least Once During the Last 5 Years       11%         Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Thal Late Notice	Number of Experts Responding In Survey	39
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Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention 100%		-
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# **Engineering – Structural**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey13Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE\$ 289Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH\$ 450Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW\$ 200Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE\$ 223Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH\$ 350Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW\$ 80Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE\$ 289Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH\$ 450Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH\$ 450Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW\$ 200Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer69%Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose78%Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)\$ 3,000Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)\$ 2,000Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under31%Daubert/Frye or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years25%
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Cancellations
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years 77%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b> 0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b> 50%
Was a Good Decision
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b> 46%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance 38%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions 38%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with \$1,045
minimums)
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial 23%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)\$2,158
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention 77%
Agreement
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years. 31%

#### **Environmental**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	13
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 348
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 160
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 286
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 160
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 333
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 160
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	85%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	64%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,841
<b>Retainer</b> HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$10,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,200
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	38%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	20%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	23%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	23%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	92%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	58%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	54%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	46%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	31%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,638
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	38%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,886
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	77%
Agreement	200/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	38%

# **Equipment and Machinery**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	14
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 280
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 258
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 278
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 350
	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	79%
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	91%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	\$2,980
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$7,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	50%
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	14%
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	64%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	78%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	29%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	21%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	36%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$ 960
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	29%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,150
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	86%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	7%

# **Explosives**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	1
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	0%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	N/A
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	0%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	N/A
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	0%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	100%

# **Failure Analysis**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	15
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 343
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 625
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 265
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 80
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 331
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 150
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	80%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	67%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,210
<b>Retainer</b> HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$10,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 750
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	47%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	73%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	73%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	40%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	33%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,591
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	40%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,613
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	60%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	20%

# **Family Medicine**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	15
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 620
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,600
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 370
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 650
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 538
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 750
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	73%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	91%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,891
<b>Retainer</b> HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$4,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	7%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	100%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	93%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	93%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	73%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	73%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	67%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	73%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	73%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,370
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	73%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,227
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	67%
Agreement	200/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	20%

#### **Financial**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	21
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 371
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 800
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 210
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 337
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 800
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 175
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 371
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 800
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 210
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	90%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	53%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,832
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$13,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	24%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	10%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	14%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	67%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	14%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	64%
Was a Good Decision	200/
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	38%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	29%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	29%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,333
minimums)	20%
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	29%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,840
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	90%
Agreement	200/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	38%

#### Fire

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	12
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 286
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 425
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 165
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 251
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 425
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 286
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 425
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 165
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	50%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	50%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,500
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	25%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	75%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	67%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	42%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	25%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	33%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,163
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	25%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,250
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	58%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	50%

#### **Firearms and Ballistics**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey3Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE\$ 275Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH\$ 325Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW\$ 250Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE\$ 275Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH\$ 325Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW\$ 250Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW\$ 250Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE\$ 275Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE\$ 275Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH\$ 325Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW\$ 250Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer100%Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers100%Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)\$ 2,167Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)\$ 3,500Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)\$ 1,000Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under0%Daubert/Frye or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years9%Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED underN/ADaubert/Frye or for qualifications at Least Once During the Last 5 Years33%Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice33%Cancellations33%
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Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years 67%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b> 0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b> 50%
Was a Good Decision
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b> 33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance 33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions 33%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with \$3,000
minimums)
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial 33%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)\$3,000
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention 67%
Agreement
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years. 33%

#### Food

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	4
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 444
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 700
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 225
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 344
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ <b>500</b>
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 225
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 444
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 700
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 225
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	75%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	67%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,000
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$2,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	25%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	25%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	50%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,075
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	0%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	N/A
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	75%
Agreement	2=0/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	25%

# **Forensic Pathology**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	3
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 317
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 300
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,067
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$1,200
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	33%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	33%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	33%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$ 600
minimums)	220/
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	33%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$ 600
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	33%
Agreement	229/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	33%

#### **Forensic Psychiatry**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	11
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 487
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 750
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 465
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 750
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 483
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 750
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 300
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	82%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	89%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,611
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	27%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	55%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	91%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	64%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	43%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	55%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	64%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	64%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,779
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	73%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,669
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	82%
Agreement	FF0/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	55%

# **Forensic Psychology**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey11Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE\$ 33Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH\$ 66Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW\$ 23Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE\$ 33	00 25 10
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Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW\$ 1	
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE\$ 36	86
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH\$ 6	00
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW \$22	25
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b> 919	%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose <b>70</b>	%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)\$2,0	605
RetainerHIGH (of those who require retainers)\$5,5	100
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)\$ 70	00
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under 18	%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under 09	6
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice 91	%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice 91	%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years55	%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b> 09	6
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b> 83	%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b> 64	%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance 64	%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions 559	%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with \$1,	071
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial 64	%
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Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention 73	%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate <b>Failure to be Paid</b> in Last Five Years. <b>55</b>	%

#### **Forensic Science**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	21
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 339
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 900
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 125
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 276
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 700
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 125
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 325
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 700
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 125
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	76%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	75%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,356
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 600
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	10%
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	29%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	24%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	67%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
<b>Backfired</b> Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	57%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	38%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	38%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	29%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$ 837
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	24%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,520
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	62%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	57%

# Franchising

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	1
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 350
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,000
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$3,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$3,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	0%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	N/A
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	0%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	N/A
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	100%

#### Fraud

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	23
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 336
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 525
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 225
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 309
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 525
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 175
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 340
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 525
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 225
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	83%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	47%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$4,867
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$13,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 770
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	26%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	33%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	13%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	13%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	74%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	6%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	65%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	30%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	30%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	22%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,140
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	22%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,570
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	91%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	57%

# **Funerals/Cremation**

Number of Exports Despending In Surgery	2
Number of Experts Responding In Survey	\$ 313
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	-
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 275
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 238
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 225
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 288
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 225
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	50%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,500
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$2,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$2,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	50%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	50%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,400
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	50%
Average <b>Minimum Charge for Trial</b> (for those with minimums)	\$2,800
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%
	1

## Gastroenterology

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	2
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$1,375
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$2,000
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 750
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 488
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 475
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 875
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 750
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,213
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$3,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,425
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$3,000
minimums)	4000/
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$6,000
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	50%
Agreement	500/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	50%

#### **General Practice**

Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE\$ 600Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH\$1,200Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE\$ 330Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE\$ 330Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE\$ 300Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE\$ 300Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW\$ 150Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE\$ 400Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW\$ 150Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer67%Percentage of Those Experts Who Require retainers)\$ 675Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)\$ 675Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)\$ 600Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under0%Daubert/Frye or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years0%Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED underN/ADaubert/Frye or for qualifications at Least Once During the Last 5 Years67%Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice67%Cancellations67%Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice67%Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that RAISING RATES0%Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market67%Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that RAISING	Number of Experts Responding In Survey	3
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Percentage Reporting Ultimate <b>Failure to be Paid</b> in Last Five Years. <b>33%</b>	Agreement	
	Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	33%

## **General Surgery**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	6
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 533
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 650
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 445
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 583
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 650
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	83%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	80%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,529
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$2,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	17%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	83%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	67%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	17%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	67%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	83%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	67%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$2,350
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	67%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$5,500
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	33%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	50%

# Geology

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	4
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 328
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 160
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 261
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 160
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 328
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 160
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$4,125
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	50%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	25%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	25%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	75%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
<b>Backfired</b> Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	67%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	75%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	50%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,500
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	50%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,500
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	75%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	25%

## **Geriatric Psychiatry**

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Number of Experts Responding In Survey	2
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 575
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 750
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 575
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 750
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 575
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 750
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 400
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	50%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$4,500
<b>Retainer</b> HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$4,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	50%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	50%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$3,750
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	50%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$3,750
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	100%

### **Geriatrics**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	9
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 658
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 409
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ <b>500</b>
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 589
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 750
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 450
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	89%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,900
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$3,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	78%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	67%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	44%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	75%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	44%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	22%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	56%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,400
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	89%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$3,125
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	22%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	44%

## **Gynecological Oncology**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	2
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 675
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 750
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 450
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,400
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$2,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 800
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,500
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	50%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$6,000
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	50%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

# Gynecology

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	6
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 808
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$2,000
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 408
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 533
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 200
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	83%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	80%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,580
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$2,400
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 800
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	17%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	83%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	67%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	17%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	67%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	83%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,920
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	83%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$3,620
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	33%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	17%

## Hand Surgery

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50%
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# Hematology

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	6
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 525
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 750
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 450
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	83%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,380
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$2,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 900
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	67%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	67%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,375
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	50%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,967
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	33%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	33%

# Hepatology

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	1
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,250
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$1,250
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,250
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	0%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,500
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$4,000
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

#### HMO

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	2
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 525
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 425
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 525
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	N/A
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,000
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<i>Daubert/Frye</i> or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years	•//
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$2,950
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$4,200
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	50%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	50%

#### Horses

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	2
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 248
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 295
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 200
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,100
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$1,200
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Was a Good Decision	1000/
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,400
minimums)	100%
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,800
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
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Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	U70

## **Hospice/Palliative Care**

Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE       \$ 754         Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH       \$1,600         Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW       \$ 300         Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE       \$ 329         Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE       \$ 329         Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH       \$ 550         Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE       \$ 521         Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE       \$ 521         Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE       \$ 520         Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer       83%         Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainers Whose       60%         Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)       \$ 1,960         Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)       \$ 5,500         Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)       \$ 600         Daubert/Frye or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years       0%         Daubert/Frye or for qualifications at Least Once During the Last 5 Years       0%         Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice       Cancellations         Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice       Cancellations         Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice       Cancellations		
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Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention   50%	Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	50%
Agreement		
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years. 17%		17%

# Hospitalist

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	7
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 611
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 439
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 275
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 554
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 750
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 400
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	71%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,329
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 800
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	86%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	86%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	86%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	50%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	86%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,800
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	71%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$4,220
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	71%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	29%

#### **Hotel and Restaurant**

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Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b> 71%
Was a Good Decision
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance67%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance56%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions 56%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with \$1,846
minimums)
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial 33%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)\$2,233
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention 89%
Agreement
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years. 67%

#### **Human Factors**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	10
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 357
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 275
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 298
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 225
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 329
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 450
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	70%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,275
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$3,750
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	60%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	17%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	30%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	30%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	70%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	43%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	70%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	30%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	70%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,309
minimums)	F.0%/
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	50%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,195
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	80%
Agreement	60%
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	60%

#### HVAC

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	4
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 344
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 225
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 319
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 344
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 225
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	25%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	N/A
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	25%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	25%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	25%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	25%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	25%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	0%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	N/A
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	0%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	N/A
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	75%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	25%

# Hydrology

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	3
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 252
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 355
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 242
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 355
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 170
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 252
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 355
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 200
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	33%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,167
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$2,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	33%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	33%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,425
minimums)	220/
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	33%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,425
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	67%

## **Indoor Air Quality**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	4
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 295
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 281
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 295
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	75%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	33%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,167
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	50%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,125
minimums)	500/
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	50%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,125
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	250/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	25%

# **Industrial Design**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	3
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 287
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 425
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 185
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 270
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 425
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 185
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 278
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 425
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 185
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	67%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$4,333
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$10,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	33%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	33%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	67%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	67%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,500
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	67%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,750
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

# **Industrial Hygiene**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	4
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 325
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 275
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 325
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	75%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	67%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,667
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$3,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	25%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	25%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	25%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	25%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$ 250
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	50%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,525
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	75%
Agreement	500/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	50%

#### **Infectious Diseases**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	5
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 670
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 490
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 620
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 750
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 300
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	80%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	75%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,175
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$3,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,200
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	60%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	60%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	20%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	<b>CO</b> 2(
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	60%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	40%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	60%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,467
minimums)	40%
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	40%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$4,750
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	60%
Agreement	60%
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	60%

# Information Technology

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	4
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 333
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 650
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 130
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 308
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 130
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 333
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 650
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 130
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	50%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	50%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$5,500
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$10,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	25%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	75%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	33%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	75%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	25%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$ 520
minimums)	00/
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	0%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	N/A
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	50%
Agreement	F.0%/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	50%

#### Insurance

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	21
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 356
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 750
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 175
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 287
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 175
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 336
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 175
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	90%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	53%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,705
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$7,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	24%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	38%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	57%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	50%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	52%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	48%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	48%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,563
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	48%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,715
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	81%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	24%

#### **Intellectual Property**

intellectual Property	
Number of Experts Responding In Survey	21
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 443
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 650
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 419
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 650
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 443
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 650
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	86%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	50%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$6,833
<b>Retainer</b> HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$10,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$2,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	33%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	14%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	43%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	29%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	76%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	6%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	69%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	43%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	29%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$2,394
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	24%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,180
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	95%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	48%

#### **Internal Medicine**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	22
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 573
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 950
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 462
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 558
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 850
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 350
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	73%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	81%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,923
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 350
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	5%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	68%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	59%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	36%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	41%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	73%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,434
minimums)	<b>600</b> (
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	68%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$3,047
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	36%
Agreement	450/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	45%

#### Internet

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Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial 62%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)\$1,631
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention 92%
Agreement
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years. 46%

### Laboratories and Testing

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	2
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 450
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 450
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 300
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,000
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$2,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	100%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	50%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
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Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	50%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$3,600
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	0%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	N/A
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	50%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

# Land Surveying

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	2
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 263
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 275
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 225
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 263
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 275
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	50%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,500
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$2,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$2,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	0%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	N/A
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	0%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	N/A
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	50%

# Landscape Design

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	1
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 375
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,500
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$3,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$3,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,125
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,500
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	100%

# Law Enforcement/Criminal Justice

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	8
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 278
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 241
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 278
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 200
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	100/0
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,900
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$7,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 700
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	13%
<i>Daubert/Frye</i> or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years	1370
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<i>Daubert/Frye</i> or for qualifications at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	076
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	25%
Cancellations	23/0
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	25%
Cancellations	23/0
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	63%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
<b>Backfired</b> Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	0,0
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	40%
Was a Good Decision	40,0
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	13%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	75%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,538
minimums)	+ -,
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	25%
Average <b>Minimum Charge for Trial</b> (for those with minimums)	\$1,225
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	88%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	50%
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# Legal

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	11
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 511
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 409
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 479
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 750
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 200
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	64%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	71%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,786
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	45%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	45%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	45%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	80%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	45%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	45%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	64%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,071
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	36%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,038
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	82%
Agreement	2.04
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	36%

# Legal Nurse Consulting

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	16
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 302
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 175
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 194
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 125
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 270
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 175
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	88%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	93%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,659
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$4,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	13%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	56%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	56%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	69%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	91%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	63%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$ 878
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	50%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,147
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	50%
Agreement	4.00/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	19%

### Life Care Planning

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	28
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 371
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 750
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 238
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 475
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 125
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 368
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 750
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 150
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	89%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	84%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,980
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$12,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 50
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	29%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	61%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	64%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	75%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	76%
Was a Good Decision	<b>6 1</b> 0/
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	64%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	46%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	61%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$ 977
minimums)	F 40/
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	54%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,839
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	61%
Agreement Demonstring Ultimate Failure to be Baid in Last Five Verm	12%
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	43%

### Long-Term Care

Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE\$ 317Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH\$ 500Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE\$ 150Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE\$ 221Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE\$ 221Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW\$ 150Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW\$ 150Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE\$ 275Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH\$ 450Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW\$ 150Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer83%Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable80%Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable80%Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)\$ 1,460Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)\$ 1,000Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under0%Daubert/Frye or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years0%Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED underN/ADaubert/Frye or for qualifications at Least Once During the Last 5 Years67%Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice Cancellations67%Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that RAISING RATES Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that RAISING RATES Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that RAISING RATES Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance7%Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance50%Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Dep		6
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	Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	33%

### Management

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	9
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 442
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 800
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 386
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 800
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 125
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 390
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 800
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 32
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	89%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	75%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$4,000
<b>Retainer</b> HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$6,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	11%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	67%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	67%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	67%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
<b>Backfired</b> Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b> Was a Good Decision	83%
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	11%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	11%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	67%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,888
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	78%
Average <b>Minimum Charge for Trial</b> (for those with minimums)	\$1,850
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	89%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	22%

# Manufacturing

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	4
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 290
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 160
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 278
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 160
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 290
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 160
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	100/0
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,375
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	25%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	25%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	75%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	67%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	25%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$ 500
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	25%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,000
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	50%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

#### Maritime

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	10
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 302
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 425
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 260
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 302
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 425
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 200
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	90%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	89%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	00/0
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,422
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	40%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	25%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	40%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	40%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	70%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	57%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	40%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	30%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	60%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,058
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	60%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,225
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	70%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	50%

### Marketing

Number of Exports Posponding In Survey	4
Number of Experts Responding In Survey	\$ 593
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 650
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	-
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 568
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 650
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 495
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 593
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 650
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	75%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$6,500
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$10,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$3,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	25%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	25%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	25%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	50%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$2,733
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	25%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,000
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	50%

#### **Maternal and Fetal Medicine**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	3
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 483
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 450
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 200
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	33%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	N/A
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$ 900
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$ 900
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 900
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	67%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	0%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	N/A
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	0%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	N/A
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	33%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	33%

#### **Medical Devices**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	9
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 394
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 650
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 364
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 650
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 394
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 650
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	78%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	71%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$4,071
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$7,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$2,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	33%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	22%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	56%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	40%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	22%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	22%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	33%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,627
minimums)	220/
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	33%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,720
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	67%
Agreement	220/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	33%

# **Medical Management**

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#### **Mental Health**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	7
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 329
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 289
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 329
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 150
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	71%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	80%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,200
<b>Retainer</b> HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	29%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	50%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	29%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	43%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	43%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	33%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	14%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	29%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	57%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,275
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	71%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,320
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	71%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	14%

### Metallurgy

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	3
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 438
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 540
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 325
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 345
	\$ 360
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 325
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 438
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 540
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	-
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 325
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	67%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	40.007
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,867
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	33%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	67%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,885
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,427
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	67%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

### Meteorology

Number of Exports Responding In Survey	2
Number of Experts Responding In Survey	\$ 275
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 225
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 200
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,050
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 600
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	50%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$ 750
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	50%
Average <b>Minimum Charge for Trial</b> (for those with minimums)	\$3,000
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	50%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

#### Midwife

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	2
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 175
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 200
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	0%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	N/A
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	N/A
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	N/A
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	N/A
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
<b>Backfired</b> Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$ 900
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	50%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$ 600
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	50%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

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Cancellations
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years 67%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b> 0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b> 50%
Was a Good Decision
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b> 33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance 33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions 33%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with\$1,000
minimums)
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial 33%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)\$1,000
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention 33%
Agreement
Percentage Reporting Ultimate <b>Failure to be Paid</b> in Last Five Years. <b>0%</b>

#### Mold

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Number of Experts Responding In Survey	\$ 410
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 305
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 410
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 300
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,757
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
<b>Retainer</b> LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$2,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	20%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	40%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	40%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	40%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	50%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	40%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	80%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	40%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$2,000
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	40%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$3,000
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	80%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	20%

#### **Neonatal and Prenatal Medicine**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	2
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,500
<b>Retainer</b> HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$2,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$2,700
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average <b>Minimum Charge for Trial</b> (for those with minimums)	\$3,700
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	50%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

# Nephrology

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	1
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 600
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,000
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$2,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$2,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	0%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	N/A
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	0%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	N/A
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	100%

# **Neurological Surgery**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	7
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 789
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 586
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 900
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 807
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$1,250
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	71%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	80%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,410
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$3,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,800
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	14%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	86%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	86%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	29%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	71%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	71%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	71%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,730
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	86%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$3,180
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	71%
Agreement	200/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	29%

# Neurology

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	22
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 661
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 480
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 850
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 698
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$2,250
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 300
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	91%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	70%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,288
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$7,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 450
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	9%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	77%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	77%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	64%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	7%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	64%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	64%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	59%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	73%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,952
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	68%
Average <b>Minimum Charge for Trial</b> (for those with minimums)	\$3,743
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	45%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	36%

#### **Neuro-Ophthalmology**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	1
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 400
	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	100%
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	N/A
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	N/A
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	\$4,000
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$4,000
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$4,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	-
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years	NI / A
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	0%
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	U70
Cancellations	0%
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice Cancellations	U70
	100%
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	0%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	U70
<b>Backfired</b> Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	N/A
minimums) Percentage of Exports Liquelly Pequiring Minimum Charge for Trial	0%
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	N/A
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	0%
Agreement	0%
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

# Neuropathology

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	2
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 325
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 350
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	0%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	N/A
minimums)	<b>a</b> a/
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	0%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	N/A
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	50%
Agreement	00/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

# Neurophysiology

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	2
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$1,500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$1,500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 450
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$1,875
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$2,250
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$1,500
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,000
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$4,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	50%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$4,000
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$5,500
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	0%
Agreement	00/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

# Neuropsychiatry

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	3
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 850
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,200
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 683
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 750
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 750
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 900
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 600
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	67%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$4,667
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$7,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$3,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	67%
Was a Good Decision	670/
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	67%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	67%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$2,750
minimums)	67%
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	\$6,250
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	33%
Agreement Demonstring Ultimate Failure to be Baid in Last Five Veges	22%
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	33%

# Neuropsychology

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	17
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 462
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 815
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 341
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 441
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 750
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 200
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	88%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	80%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,337
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,100
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 900
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	12%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	82%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	88%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	65%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	55%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	71%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	71%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	71%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,039
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	71%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,959
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	71%
Agreement	470/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	47%

# Neuroradiology

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	4
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 569
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 700
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 438
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 475
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 350
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	50%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,400
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$1,800
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	25%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	25%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	25%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	25%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	25%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	25%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$ 900
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	25%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,500
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	0%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	25%

#### Noise

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	1
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 250
	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	-
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	44.000
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	0%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$ 500
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,000
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	0%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

#### **Nuclear Medicine**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	1
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ <b>500</b>
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$ 500
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$ 500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
<b>Backfired</b> Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$5,000
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$5,000
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	0%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	100%

#### **Nuclear Science**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	1
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$15,000
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$15,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$15,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	0%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	N/A
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	0%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	N/A
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

#### Nurse

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Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years. 33%		33%

#### **Nurse Practitioner**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	4
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 356
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 194
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 224
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 494
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$1,200
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 200
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	75%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	67%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$ 933
<b>Retainer</b> HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 300
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	75%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	25%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	25%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	50%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,350
minimums)	<b>97</b> 0/
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	25%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,500
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	50%
Agreement	00/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

# **Nursing Homes**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	11
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 552
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 334
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 475
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 750
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	82%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	89%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,244
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	73%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	55%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	64%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	64%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	55%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	73%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,338
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	82%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,878
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	36%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	36%

#### **Obstetrical**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	1
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 175
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 175
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 175
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 175
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 175
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 175
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	0%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,000
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,000
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

# **Obstetrics and Gynecology**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	12
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 654
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$2,000
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 392
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 200
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	92%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	82%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,411
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$2,400
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 900
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	17%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	58%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	58%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	57%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	42%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	25%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,667
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	50%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$3,917
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	67%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	33%

## **Occupational Medicine**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	17
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 676
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 195
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 367
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 800
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 644
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$1,200
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 195
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	65%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	73%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,087
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 200
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	12%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	50%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	82%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	88%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	71%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	58%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	71%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	47%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	82%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,414
minimums)	650/
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	65%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,068
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	59%
Agreement	200/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	29%

## Oncology

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# Ophthalmology

Number of Furrents Deepending In Surrent	13
Number of Experts Responding In Survey	
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 841
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$2,000
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 385
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 549
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 622
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 385
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	85%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	82%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,977
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 750
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	8%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	69%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	62%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	62%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
<b>Backfired</b> Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	63%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	54%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	69%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	38%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,905
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	54%
Average <b>Minimum Charge for Trial</b> (for those with minimums)	\$3,600
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	38%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	46%
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## Optometry

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	1
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 400
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,200
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$1,200
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,200
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$2,400
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,400
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	0%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

# **Oral Surgery**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	3
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 633
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 900
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 383
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 483
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 450
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	67%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	50%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$ 850
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 700
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	67%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	50%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$ 800
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,633
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	33%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

#### **Orthopedic Surgery**

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	Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	31%

# **Orthopedics Non-Surgical**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	13
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 723
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 378
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 748
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$1,500
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 320
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	85%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	64%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	0470
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,445
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$3,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 200
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	8%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	070
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	078
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	85%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	85%
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Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	54%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
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Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	57%
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Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	77%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	77%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	85%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,307
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Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	85%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,989
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	38%
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Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	23%

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	Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	44%

# Otolaryngology

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Number of Experts Responding In Survey	3
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$1,117
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 533
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 825
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 600
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,167
<b>Retainer</b> HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$3,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	67%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	67%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$2,350
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$5,833
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	67%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

## Otology

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	1
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 600
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,000
<b>Retainer</b> HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$3,000
<b>Retainer</b> LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$3,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,200
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$10,000
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

#### **Pain Medicine**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	23
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 764
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 388
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 688
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$1,500
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	57%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	85%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,388
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$2,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	4%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	100%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	87%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	91%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	48%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	91%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	70%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	78%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	78%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,265
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	83%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,789
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	39%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	26%

## Pathology

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	5
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 730
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$2,000
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ <b>500</b>
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 300
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	60%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,633
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$3,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 700
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	20%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	20%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	20%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	40%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	50%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	40%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	20%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	80%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,400
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	60%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,867
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	20%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	40%

### **Pediatric Critical Care Medicine**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	1
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 500
	100%
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b> Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
<b>Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable</b>	100%
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
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Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	0%
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	N/A
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	100%
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice Cancellations	100%
	100%
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice Cancellations	100%
	100%
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	\$3,000
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$3,000
minimums)	100%
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$5,000
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	0%
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

# **Pediatric Emergency Medicine**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	1
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 300
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,200
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$1,200
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,200
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	0%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$ 900
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$ 900
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	4.000/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	100%

# **Pediatric Neurology**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	1
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 525
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 525
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 525
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 525
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 525
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 525
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 525
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 525
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 525
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$7,500
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$7,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$7,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$ 525
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$5,250
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	0%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	100%

### **Pediatric Ophthalmology**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	1
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$1,500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$1,500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 800
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 800
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 800
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 900
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 900
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 900
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,200
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$3,200
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$3,200
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	0%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
<b>Backfired</b> Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$3,500
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$7,000
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

# **Pediatric Psychiatry**

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Cancellations
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice 50%
Cancellations
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years   50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b> 0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b> 0%
Was a Good Decision
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance   50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance 0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions   100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with\$1,100
minimums)
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial 100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)\$2,200
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention 100%
Agreement
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years. 50%

### **Pediatric Pulmonology**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	2
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 950
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 900
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 450
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 725
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 750
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 700
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	N/A
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,000
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	0%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	0%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	N/A
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	0%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	N/A
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	0%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

# **Pediatric Urology**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey   1	
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Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
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	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice1	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice 1	00%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years1	00%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b> 1	L <b>00</b> %
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions 1	100%
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minimums)	
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	00%
Agreement	
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### **Pediatrics**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	6
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 617
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 450
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 458
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 533
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ <b>7</b> 50
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 400
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	83%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	80%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,600
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	67%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	67%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	50%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$2,133
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	50%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$4,667
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	17%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	33%

### **Pharmaceutical Research**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	2
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 525
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 750
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 525
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 750
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 300
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	50%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,200
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$1,200
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,200
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	50%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$5,000
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	50%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$5,000
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	50%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

### **Pharmacist**

# Pharmacology

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	8
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 537
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 245
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 326
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 195
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 537
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 245
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	88%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	0070
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,938
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$3,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
	25%
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	2376
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years	0%
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under Daubert/Frye or for qualifications at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	078
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	25%
Cancellations	23/0
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	25%
Cancellations	23/0
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	63%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
<b>Backfired</b> Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	0,0
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	40%
Was a Good Decision	-0/0
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	38%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	75%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,832
minimums)	+-,
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	63%
Average <b>Minimum Charge for Trial</b> (for those with minimums)	\$2,278
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	38%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	13%

# Pharmacology – Clinical

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	5
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$1,080
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$2,500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 455
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 700
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$1,020
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$2,500
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 350
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	60%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,140
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$3,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 700
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	40%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	40%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	40%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	80%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	60%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	60%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	80%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$2,550
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$5,440
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	40%
Agreement	<b>CO</b> 2/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	60%

## Photography/Imaging

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Number of Experts Responding In Survey	1
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	0%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	N/A
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	N/A
<b>Retainer</b> HIGH (of those who require retainers)	N/A
<b>Retainer</b> LOW (of those who require retainers)	N/A
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	0%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	0%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	N/A
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	0%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	N/A
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

# **Physical Medicine and Rehab**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	28
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 718
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 386
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 624
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$1,500
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	71%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	75%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,838
<b>Retainer</b> HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$7,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 700
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	82%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	89%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	71%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	71%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	64%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	71%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,113
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	79%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,557
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	36%
Agreement	1.40/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	14%

# **Physical Therapy**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	2
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 448
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 595
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 423
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 595
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 423
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 595
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,250
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$2,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	50%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	100%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	50%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,190
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,690
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	50%

# **Plastic Surgery**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	4
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 838
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 513
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 450
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 725
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	75%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,567
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$2,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	25%
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	75%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	75%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	25%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	75%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	75%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	50%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,400
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	50%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$4,250
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	75%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	25%

# Plumbing

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	2
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 300
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	0%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	N/A
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	N/A
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	N/A
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	N/A
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	50%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	0%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	N/A
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	0%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	N/A
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	50%
Agreement	00/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

## Podiatry

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	1
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 833
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 833
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 833
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 385
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 385
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 385
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 400
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	100/0
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$ 385
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$ 385
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 385
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	,
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
<b>Backfired</b> Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,200
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,500
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

### **Police Practices and Procedures**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	7
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 296
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	71%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,929
<b>Retainer</b> HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$10,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	29%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	50%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	86%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	50%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	86%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	43%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$2,293
minimums)	=40(
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	71%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,710
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	86%
Agreement	740/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	71%

## **Premises Liability**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	17
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 358
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 311
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 358
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	76%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,560
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,125
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	65%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	9%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	35%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	41%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	82%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	86%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	71%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	53%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	53%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,411
minimums)	<b>9</b> 00/
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	29%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,590
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	94%
Agreement	710/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	71%

#### **Preventive Medicine**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	3
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 492
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 800
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 175
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 492
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 800
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 175
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	67%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,067
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$1,200
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	33%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	33%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	67%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,367
minimums)	4.000/
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,733
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	33%
Agreement	679/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	67%

## **Products Liability**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	11
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 363
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 625
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 306
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 425
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 363
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 625
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 200
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	91%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	50%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,240
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$10,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	9%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	27%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	18%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	82%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	56%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	45%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	27%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	55%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,883
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	36%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,925
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	64%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	36%

## **Psychiatry**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	17
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 498
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 750
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 446
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 750
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 180
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 483
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 750
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 300
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	76%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	92%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,731
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$7,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	6%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	71%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	82%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	71%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	58%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	47%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	47%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	71%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,788
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	76%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,792
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	71%
Agreement	2=0/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	35%

## Psychology

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	29
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 435
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 850
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 314
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 125
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 545
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$4,800
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 175
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	79%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	91%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,489
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$12,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,200
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	17%
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	79%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	79%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	52%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
<b>Backfired</b> Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	80%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	69%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	66%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	62%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,014
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	72%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,724
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	69%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	41%

### **Public Health**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	1
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 800
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 800
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 800
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 800
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 800
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 800
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	0%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$3,200
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	0%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	N/A
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	100%

# **Pulmonary Critical Care Medicine**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	2
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 800
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,200
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 475
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 800
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 800
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$1,200
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 400
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	50%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,200
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$1,200
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,200
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
<b>Backfired</b> Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	50%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$ 400
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	50%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,200
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	50%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	100%

#### **Pulmonary Disease**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	3
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 717
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 453
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 360
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 717
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	67%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$2,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	33%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	33%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	100%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$ 833
minimums)	670/
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	67%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$ 750
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	33%
Agreement	229/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	33%

### **Radiation Oncology**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey         Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	1 \$ 600 \$ 600
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	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 000
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 600
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,000
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$3,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$3,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	100%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	0%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	N/A
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$5,000
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	100%

## Radiology

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	5
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 529
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 509
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ <b>529</b>
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 400
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	80%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,575
<b>Retainer</b> HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$2,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	20%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	100%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	e <b>100%</b>
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	40%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
<b>Backfired</b> Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	50%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	60%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	60%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	60%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,430
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	60%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,993
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	60%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	40%

#### **Real Estate**

24
\$ 398
\$ 550
\$ 275
\$ 348
\$ 500
\$ 195
\$ 394
\$ 550
\$ 275
96%
52%
\$4,566
\$10,000
\$1,000
13%
0%
25%
29%
46%
0%
55%
46%
46%
46%
\$1,809
33%
\$3,306
92%
38%

# **Reproductive Endocrinology**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	1
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 300
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	N/A
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,200
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$1,200
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,200
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	100%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	0%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	0%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	N/A
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$3,000
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	0%
Agreement	4.000/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	100%

# Rheumatology

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	2
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 450
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 200
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	10076
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,300
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$1,600
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	50%
<i>Daubert/Frye</i> or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years	50%
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<i>Daubert/Frye</i> or for qualifications at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	0,0
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	0%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
<b>Backfired</b> Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	0%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	N/A
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	50%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$4,800
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	50%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	50%

## **Risk Management**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	9
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 359
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 495
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 271
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 185
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 342
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 495
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	78%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	71%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,286
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$7,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	44%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	44%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	67%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	67%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	11%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	44%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,519
minimums)	= = = = = = = = = = = = = = = = = = = =
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	56%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,715
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	78%
Agreement	220/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	33%

### Safety

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	32
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 326
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 800
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 175
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 294
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 800
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 321
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 800
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 175
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	81%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	85%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,517
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$6,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	38%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	38%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	41%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	66%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	86%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	47%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	38%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	41%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,382
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	47%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,011
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	63%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	31%

# **School Safety**

Number of Exports Responding In Survey	3
Number of Experts Responding In Survey Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 383
	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 317
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 383
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,900
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	33%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	67%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	67%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	33%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,200
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	33%
Average <b>Minimum Charge for Trial</b> (for those with minimums)	\$1,200
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	67%
	67%
Agreement Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	67%

### **Securities and Investments**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	9
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 442
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 750
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 359
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	89%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	50%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$6,250
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$10,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$2,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	56%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	44%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	67%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	83%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	56%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	56%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	44%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$2,938
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	44%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$3,317
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	78%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	22%

### Security

Number of Exports Responding In Survey	15
Number of Experts Responding In Survey	\$ 313
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 278
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 306
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 200
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	80%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	92%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,900
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$7,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	33%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	27%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	33%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	87%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
<b>Backfired</b> Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	85%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	53%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	53%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	67%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,381
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	40%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,558
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	73%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	40%

# **Sleep Medicine**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	3
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 450
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 700
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$1,200
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 400
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,033
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$1,200
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 900
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	67%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	67%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$ 800
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	33%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,200
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	67%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	67%

## Slip, Trip and Fall

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	16
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 348
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 175
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 269
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 175
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 393
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$1,500
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 175
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	75%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	83%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,788
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$6,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	31%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	40%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	19%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	25%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	94%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	60%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	56%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	56%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	44%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,371
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	50%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,650
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	75%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	63%

#### **Social Work**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	4
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 288
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 450
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 238
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 288
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 450
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 150
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	75%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,333
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	50%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	50%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	75%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	50%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	25%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	25%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$ 900
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	25%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$ 900
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	75%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

# Spine Surgery and Spine Care

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	12
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 729
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 438
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 692
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$1,500
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 300
	75%
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	73%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	1070
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	\$2,200
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications During the Last 5 Years	NI / A
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	750/
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	75%
Cancellations	929/
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	83%
Cancellations	F 00/
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	58%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	420/
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	43%
Was a Good Decision	020/
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	83%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	67%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,413
minimums)	500/
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	58%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$2,579
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	50%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	17%

### **Sports Medicine**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	10
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 895
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 420
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 840
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$1,500
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 350
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	80%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	75%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,488
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$4,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 700
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	90%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	90%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	60%
Was a Good Decision	1000/
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	90%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	90%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,517
minimums)	80%
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	80%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$3,263
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	30%
Agreement Demonstring Liltimate Failure to be Baid in Last Five Verm	50%
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	50%

### **Statistics**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	5
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 395
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 625
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 360
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 625
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 395
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 625
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ <b>250</b>
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	80%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,750
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$3,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	40%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	20%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	20%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	20%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
<b>Backfired</b> Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	40%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	20%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	40%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$ 700
minimums)	400/
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	40%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$ 700
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	00/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

## Technology

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Number of Experts Responding In Survey	8
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 406
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 372
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	63%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$5,200
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$10,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	25%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	38%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	38%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	63%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	60%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	38%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	25%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	13%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$2,400
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	0%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	N/A
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	88%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	50%

### **Telecommunications**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	9
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 392
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 650
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 200
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 347
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 120
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 381
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 650
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 150
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	33%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	67%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$6,667
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$10,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	11%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	22%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	11%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	78%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	71%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	22%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	11%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,200
minimums)	110/
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	11%
Average <b>Minimum Charge for Trial</b> (for those with minimums)	\$1,200
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	67%
Agreement Demonstring Ultimate Failure to be Baid in Last Five Verm	22%
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	33%

# **Thoracic Surgery**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	4
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 675
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 388
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	50%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$2,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	25%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Was a Good Decision	<b>97</b> 0/
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	25%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	25%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	50%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$2,050
minimums)	750/
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	75%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$3,667
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	25%
Agreement	F.0%/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	50%

# Toxicology

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	19
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 425
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 800
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 326
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 425
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 800
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 150
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	79%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	87%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,240
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 700
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	32%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	33%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	42%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	42%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	63%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	67%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	53%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	42%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	42%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,381
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	37%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,757
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	63%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	47%

## **Transportation**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	12
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 315
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 290
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 408
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$1,500
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	67%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,969
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	33%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	50%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	42%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	42%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	83%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	60%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	33%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	33%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,138
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	42%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,190
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	83%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	58%

### **Trauma Surgery**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	3
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 583
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 650
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 532
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 495
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 583
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 650
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Generally <b>Requiring Up-Front Retainer</b>	67%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	50%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,948
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$2,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,895
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
Daubert/Frye or for qualifications at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	33%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	100%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	33%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,950
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	0%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	N/A
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	0%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

#### **Travel and Tourism**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	2
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 450
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 325
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 400
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 450
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 350
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	50%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,750
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$2,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	0%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	100%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	50%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	0%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	0%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	N/A
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	0%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	N/A
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	00/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	0%

# **Urology/Urological Surgery**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	2
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,250
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$2,500
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$2,000
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	100%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	0%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	N/A
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	50%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$2,000
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	100%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$4,500
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	50%

### **Vascular Surgery**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	4
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 700
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,000
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 425
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 500
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 525
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	50%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	50%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$ 875
<b>Retainer</b> HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$1,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 750
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	25%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	75%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	75%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	25%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	25%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	25%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$ 600
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	50%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$3,750
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	25%
Agreement	250/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	25%

# Vascular/Interventional Radiology

Number of Experts Responding in Survey       5         Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE       \$ 517         Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW       \$ 400         Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE       \$ 450         Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE       \$ 450         Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW       \$ 400         Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE       \$ 450         Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH       \$ 500         Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE       \$ 440         Hourly Fee for Deposition NEGH       \$ 500         Hourly Fee for Deposition NEGH       \$ 500         Hourly Fee for Deposition NEGH       \$ 400         Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainers       \$ 400         Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose       N/A         Retainer are at Least Partially Non-refundable       \$ 400         Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)       N/A         Retainer HICH (of those who require retainers)       N/A         Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under       33%         Daubert/Frye or of qualifications During the Last 5 Years       \$ 67%         Percentage Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under       \$ 67%         Cancellations       \$ 67%	Number of Exports Responding In Survey	3
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	Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	0%
Percentage Reporting Ultimate <b>Failure to be Paid</b> in Last Five Years. <b>100%</b>		
	Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	100%

### Video

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	2
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 263
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 175
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 263
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 175
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 263
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 350
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 175
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	100%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$3,250
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$1,500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	N/A
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage RAISING RATES during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	50%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	50%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,750
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	50%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,750
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	100%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	50%

#### **Vocational Rehab**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	21
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 305
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 125
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 227
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 475
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 125
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 291
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 600
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 125
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	81%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	88%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
<b>Retainer</b> AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,477
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$5,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 750
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	29%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	71%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	67%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	76%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	81%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	76%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	52%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	71%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,077
minimums)	F70/
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	57%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,833
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	71%
Agreement	200/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	38%

# Warnings and Labels

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	2
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 338
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 300
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 313
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 338
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 375
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 300
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	100%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	50%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$2,125
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$3,750
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 500
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	50%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	50%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	50%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring Deposition Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	100%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	50%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,200
minimums)	500/
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	50%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$1,200
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	50%
Agreement	F 00/
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	50%

#### **Wound Care**

Number of Experts Responding In Survey	13
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court AVERAGE	\$ 558
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court HIGH	\$1,250
Hourly Fee for Testifying in Court LOW	\$ 250
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation AVERAGE	\$ 415
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation HIGH	\$ 550
Hourly Fee for Case Review/Preparation LOW	\$ 150
Hourly Fee for Deposition AVERAGE	\$ 477
Hourly Fee for Deposition HIGH	\$ 800
Hourly Fee for Deposition LOW	\$ 250
Percentage of Experts Generally Requiring Up-Front Retainer	62%
Percentage of Those Experts Who Require Up-Front Retainers Whose	75%
Retainers are at Least Partially Non-refundable	
Retainer AVERAGE (of those who require retainers)	\$1,481
Retainer HIGH (of those who require retainers)	\$3,000
Retainer LOW (of those who require retainers)	\$ 600
Percentage of Experts Who Were CHALLENGED at Least Once Under	23%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage of Those Challenged Who Were EXCLUDED under	0%
<b>Daubert/Frye or for qualifications</b> at Least Once During the Last 5 Years	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Trial Late Notice	69%
Cancellations	
Percentage Charging CANCELLATION FEES for Deposition Late Notice	69%
Cancellations	
Percentage <b>RAISING RATES</b> during Last Five Years	54%
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	0%
Backfired Because They May Have Priced Themselves out of the Market	
Percentage of Those who Raised Rates Reporting that <b>RAISING RATES</b>	57%
Was a Good Decision	
Percentage Usually Requiring <b>Deposition Payment in Advance</b>	54%
Percentage Usually Requiring Trial Payment in Advance	46%
Percentage Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Depositions	62%
Average Minimum Deposition Charge for Depositions (for those with	\$1,275
minimums)	
Percentage of Experts Usually Requiring Minimum Charge for Trial	38%
Average Minimum Charge for Trial (for those with minimums)	\$5,000
Percentage Usually Requiring Counsel to Sign a Written Retention	38%
Agreement	
Percentage Reporting Ultimate Failure to be Paid in Last Five Years.	31%