
DIGEST

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Abstract: Increases the medical malpractice cap to \$750,000.

Present law provides that the total amount of recovery for the injury to or death of a patient of qualified providers shall not exceed \$500,000 plus interest and costs, exclusive of the costs of future medical care.

Proposed law increases the amount of recovery from \$500,000 to \$750,000.

(Amends R.S. 40:1231.2(B)(1), 1231.3(D), and 1237.1(F)(intro. para.), (2), (3), (6), and (7))