What To Know

LEGAL MALPRACTICE

Ways Lawyers Can Defraud or Mislead You



Fraudulent credentials by the attorney to induce you to hire him or her.



Fraudulent promises that were never fulfilled



Fraudulent assurances that work was being performed (when it was not)



Fraudulent concealment of records or letters provided by the opposing side



Fraudulent concealment of court orders or other court papers



Fraudulent failure-to-disclose court conferences and hearings



Fraudulent failure to reveal major milestones in the case



Misrepresentation about settlement offer to induce client to take higher or lower figure



Misrepresentation about the law



Misrepresentation about expenses, court costs, or fees



Diversion or misappropriation of settlement funds or paid judgment, accompanied by fraudulent explanation for why client has not received full payment of rightful share of funds.