

# Malpractice

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# First, about those Model Rules:

- Can't base malpractice actions on them, but they can help form opinions on standards of conduct.

# The Model Rules:

- Check out Model Rules 1.1 (Competence), 1.3 (Diligence), 1.4 (Communications), 1.6 (Confidentiality), 1.7 (Conflict of Interest: Current Clients)—these can get you started.
- And, of course, these don't “count” the way your state rules do.

*Pirates of the Caribbean: The Curse of the Black Pearl* (Walt Disney 2003):



# So many ways to commit malpractice...

- And so little time.

*Murder in the First* (Warner Bros. 1995):



*Legally Blonde (MGM 2001):*



*My Cousin Vinny* (20<sup>th</sup> Century Fox 1992):





*Anatomy of a Murder* (Columbia Pictures 1959):



*The Simpsons Season 20 (20<sup>th</sup> Century Fox Home Entertainment 2009) (Episode 7):*



*Bananas* (United Artists 1971):



*My Cousin Vinny* (20<sup>th</sup> Century Fox 1992):



*Legal Eagles* (Universal Pictures 1986):



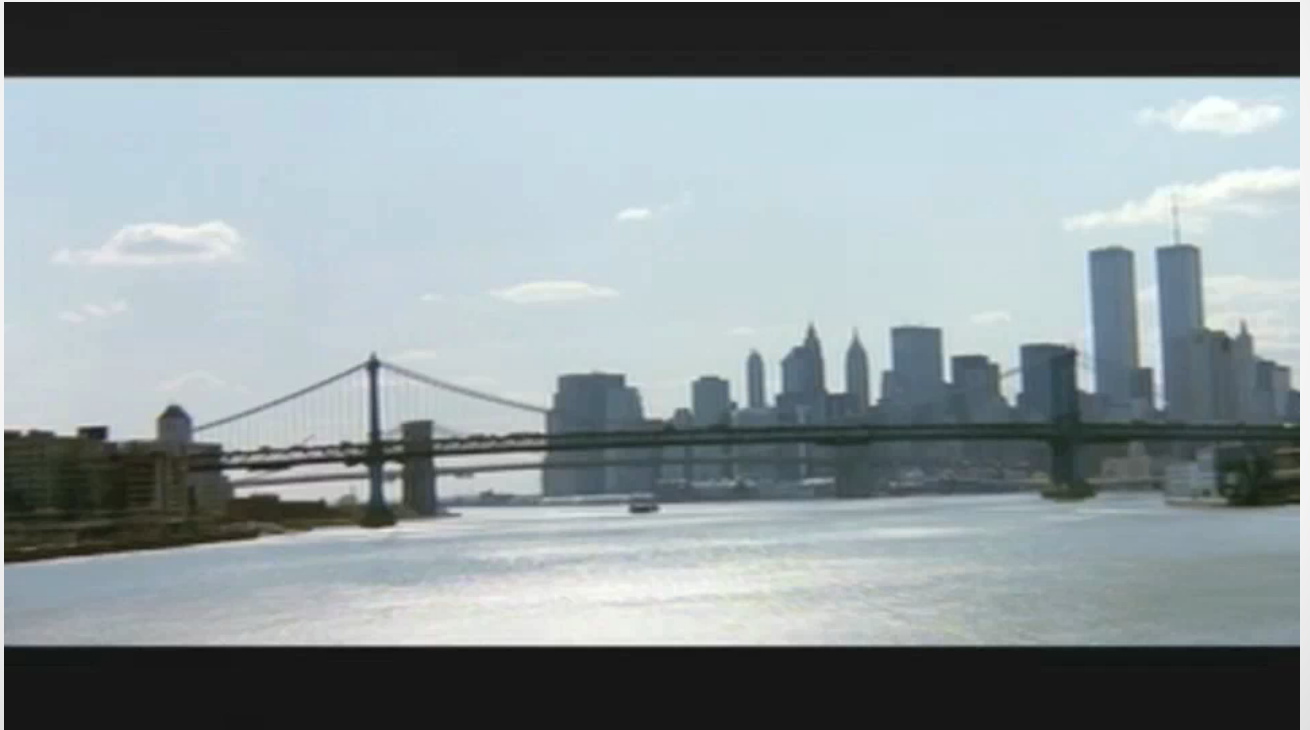
*Liar Liar* (Universal Pictures 1997):



*Matlock: The First Season* (Paramount 2008)  
(Episode 1)(1986):



*15 Minutes* (New Line Home Video 2001):





*Body Heat* (Warner Bros. 1981):



*The Simpsons Season 2 (20<sup>th</sup> Century Fox Home Entertainment 2002) (Episode 10):*



*The Lincoln Lawyer* (Lions Gate Films Home Entertainment 2011):



*The Simpsons* Season 4 (20<sup>th</sup> Century Fox Home Entertainment 2004) (Episode 2):



# *Bananas* (United Artists 1971):

