

# East Texas Firm Chalks Up \$43.3 Million Med-Mal Verdict



In a **new video**, lawyers from Tyler, Texas-based Martin Walker PC discuss a recent medical malpractice case that yielded their client a \$43.32 million verdict, including \$25 million in exemplary damages.

Jurors found the hospital grossly negligent in its retention and supervision of a doctor on probation whose abandonment and improper care led to a patient's complete loss of his quality of life and ability to provide for his family, plaintiff's lawyers said.

A statement from the firm continued: "In reaching the gross negligence verdict, jurors agreed that the hospital had put its patients in extreme risk by allowing Dr. Gary Boyd to treat them even though the Texas Medical Board had placed him on probation which automatically suspended his hospital privileges pursuant to the hospital's bylaws and policies."

After the jury's verdict, the case settled for \$9 million, with the defendants agreeing not to appeal, according to the firm's video.

**Watch the video.**