

# Attorneys Say Disgraced Theranos Founder Elizabeth Holmes Isn't Paying Them

## *News*

Cooley LLP lawyers say their client has not paid for their work for more than a year.

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# California Jury Returns \$40 Million Talc Verdict Against Johnson & Johnson

## *News*

Plaintiffs' lawyers said Nancy Cabibi, 71, of Hasuer, Idaho, and her husband Phil sued Johnson & Johnson, makers of Johnson's Baby Powder, following her pleural mesothelioma diagnosis in 2017.

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# Discover Drexel's Online LLM Programs

## *Insight and Event*

Kline School of Law representatives will answer questions about the program at an online open house on Tuesday, Oct. 22,

2019, at 6 p.m. ET.

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# **Webinar: HIPAA Compliance and Cybersecurity in Business**

***Webinar, Oct. 23, 2019***

Compliance Group will present a webinar on HIPAA compliance and cybersecurity on Wednesday, Oct. 23, 2019, at 2 p.m. Eastern time.

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# **Purdue Pharma's Bankruptcy Plan Includes Special Protection for the Sackler Family Fortune**

***News***

Purdue asked the bankruptcy judge to take the unusual step of temporarily halting lawsuits against the Sackler family.

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# Judge Strikes BigLaw Lawyer's Closing Argument In Case Alleging Talc Caused Mesothelioma

## *News*

Judge Ana Viscomi of New Brunswick struck from the record the entire argument made by Diane Sullivan, a litigation partner with Weil, Gotshal & Manges.

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# Private Lawyers Stand to Make \$90 Million in Johnson & Johnson Opioid Ruling

## *News*

The judgment in the Oklahoma opioid litigation, if upheld, could yield a huge return on investment for the private plaintiffs lawyers involved.

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# Michael Best Adds Partner

# Mark Yacura to FDA Regulatory Group

## *News*

Mark Yacura has joined Michael Best's Washington, D.C. office as partner.

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# Dallas County Trial to Lead the Way in Addressing Opioid Crisis in Texas

## *News*

The first Texas trial addressing the role of pharmaceutical manufacturers, distributors and physicians in creating and fueling the state's opioid crisis has been scheduled for Dallas County next year.

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# Martin Walker Honored for Winning Texas' Largest Medical Malpractice Verdict

# in 2018

## **News**

Trial law firm Martin Walker has earned honors for winning the largest medical malpractice verdict in Texas in 2018 for the \$43.32 million jury award.

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## **Feds Charge Pharma Ex-Compliance Officer, President, Pharmacists in Opioid Case**

## **News**

The former compliance officer and president of pharmaceutical distributor Miami-Luken were charged by federal prosecutors in Ohio Thursday with conspiring to distribute controlled substances.

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## **Environmental Lawyers Probing Water Contamination from 'Forever Chemicals'**

## **News**

Environmental trial lawyers at Dallas-based Fears Nachawati

Law Firm are investigating water contamination cases on behalf of states, counties and cities across the nation.

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## **Fears Nachawati to Represent Maryland's Calvert County in Opioid Lawsuit**

### **News**

Dallas-based Fears Nachawati has been retained by the Calvert County Board of County Commissioners in Maryland to pursue a lawsuit against opioid manufacturers and distributors.

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## **New Malpractice Suit Highlights Mass Tort Referrals, Fee Splitting**

### **News**

A lawsuit alleges that several New Jersey and Texas law firms committed procedural violations and overcharged clients in about 1,450 mesh cases brought in New Jersey state courts, reports Reuters.

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# Law School Donor Blasts Abortion Law, University of Alabama Might Give Funds Back

## *News*

The University of Alabama law school's largest donor, has called for a boycott of Alabama – school and state – over the state's latest near-total abortion ban law.

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# SCOTUS Denies Appeal From Biglaw Partner's Widow in Paxil Drug Labeling Suit

## *News*

The court denied the appeal petition from plaintiff Wendy Dolin in her lawsuit against pharmaceutical company GlaxoSmithKline.

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# 13 Greenberg Traurig Texas Attorneys Named in 2019

# Chambers USA

## *News*

Chambers also recognized three Greenberg Traurig practice areas in Texas: Health Care, Intellectual Property, and Real Estate.

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## **Bayer Bets on ‘Silver Bullet’ Defense in Roundup Litigation; Experts See Hurdles**

## *News*

Bayer has a better shot if a business-friendly U.S. Supreme Court takes up the case, experts said.

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## **A Physician’s Guide to Employment Contracts with Hospitals and Health Systems**

## *Insight*

Christopher J. Shaughnessy discusses some important issues to consider when evaluating whether to enter into an employment agreement with a hospital or health system.

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# Fears Nachawati Lawyer a Featured Speaker at Opioid Litigation Conference

## *News*

Trial lawyer Jonathan Novak will be a featured speaker at a continuing legal education conference in Austin exploring legal issues surrounding the opioid epidemic.