



“TORT REFORM” HAS A DISPARATE IMPACT ON THE ELDERLY, THE UNEMPLOYED AND WOMEN



When politicians cap, or limit, compensation to the injured, “the hardest hit appear to be unemployed patients and the elderly. And because these two groups ‘are disproportionately female,’ this disparate effect likely extends to women as well.”

Bernard S. Black et al., “Medical Malpractice Litigation: How It Works, Why Tort Reform Hasn’t Helped,” Cato Institute (2021). Based on Texas data.

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