

## University of California, Riverside Psychiatry Grand Rounds Psychiatrist Beware! Malpractice and Medical Board Complaints.

July 16, 2025 – 12:00 PM

Teleconference

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### **Target Audience**

Specialties – Psychiatry & Human Behavior  
Professions – Physician, Resident Physician

### **Objectives**

**At the conclusion of this activity, the participant should be able to:**

- 1 Review relevant legal concepts.
- 1 Outline the basic elements of a malpractice claim.
- 3 Discuss areas of malpractice risk for Psychiatrists.
- 4 Compare malpractice claims and medical board complaints.
- 5 List navigation strategies for handling legal board complaints.

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Dennis Alters, MD	Course Director	Nothing to disclose - 04/16/2025
Kayla Fisher, MD, JD	Faculty	Nothing to disclose - 06/11/2025

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