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EXPERT WITNESS: SCHOOL-RELATED CASE EXPERIENCE

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P-Expert witness, 2019; Discipline over-reach by administrator, resulting in trauma, large public high school, SC. Status: case settled.

D-Pending, 2019; Neglect of duty in student/personnel safety incident involving chemical release in area of midwestern IL school. Status: case in progress.

D-Expert witness, 2018 Failure to supervise, resulting in serious student injury; small district middle school in WV. Status: Opinion rendered, case settled.

P-Expert witness, 2018; Excessive force in K-12 classroom, large public district in SC. *Federal court*. Status: Deposition completed, case settled.

P-Expert witness, 2018; Discrimination against OH teacher on basis of disability in multiple districts. *Federal court*. *Daubert challenge, judge upheld expert's qualifications*. Status: report/deposition completed, case settled.

D-Expert witness, 2017; School enrollment dispute re Shared Parenting Agreement, suburban district, OH. Status: Report & deposition completed; case settled July 2018.

D-Expert witness, 2017; Elementary school evaluation/placement, minor child with suspected disabilities in small district, OH. Status: settled.

D-Expert witness, 2017; Liability: urban elementary student death en route to school, Chicago area, IL. Status: Report completed, case settled.

P-Expert witness, 2016: U.S., Race/religious discrimination, whistleblower & retaliation issues. Large urban public district, *Federal court*. Race/religious discrimination against NJ high school teacher. Status: Opinion & report completed, case settled.

P-Expert witness, 2014: U.S. high school liability/supervision; serious permanent injury/disability to student, WV. Status: Opinion rendered, case settled.

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P-Expert witness, 2009: Chicago. IL. *Federal court*. K-12 class-action equity/ federal entitlement suit for underserved homeless public school population. Review & production of data analysis, Status: Report completed, case settled.

+ Brief consults on cases of sexual abuse of students (TX, NY, CT), sexual assault in high school (WV), school evaluation/child custody (CO), special education services (PA).

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