

SLATTERY PT SERVICES, PLLC

Independent Expert Witness Services

Expert Witness Fee Schedule

Effective: July 30, 2026

PROFESSIONAL FEE SCHEDULE

Service	Fee
Initial conflict check (up to 30 minutes)	No charge
Professional services (record review, consultation, research, reports, affidavits, preparation)	\$450/hour
Travel time	\$300/hour
Deposition testimony	\$650/hour (4-hour minimum)
Mediation / Arbitration	\$650/hour
Trial testimony	\$5,500/day

RETAINER

A \$3,500 retainer is required before work begins. Fees are billed against the retainer as work is performed; any unused portion is refunded upon completion of the engagement or final invoice.

BILLING

Time is billed in 0.25-hour increments. Invoices are due within 30 days. Trial and deposition reservations may require advance payment.

EXPENSES

Reasonable travel and case-related expenses are billed at cost, including mileage (IRS rate), airfare, lodging, parking, tolls, and shipping.

CANCELLATION

Depositions: more than 14 days' notice, no charge; 7–14 days, 50% of the minimum; less than 7 days, 100% of the minimum.
Trial: 14–30 days' notice, 50% of the reserved fee; less than 14 days, 100%.

PROFESSIONAL INDEPENDENCE

Opinions are independent, objective, and evidence-based. Slattery PT Services, PLLC accepts engagements from plaintiff and defense counsel. Compensation is never contingent on the substance of opinions or the outcome of litigation.

PROFESSIONAL CREDENTIALS

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Specializing in wound care, lymphedema, pressure injury, venous ulcer, home health, skilled nursing facility, and physical therapy standard-of-care matters.