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FEE SCHEDULE

Life Care Planning, Forensic Expert, Consulting services

Services are provided throughout the United States by Elise P. Salerno, M.D., a board certified Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation physician and Certified Life Care Planner with a master's degree in Clinical Research and more than 15 years of experience as a licensed medical doctor.

▶ **Retainer**

\$3,000 nonrefundable deposit per evaluatee

The retainer will be applied to charges for services rendered.

▶ **Life Care Plan**

\$300 per hour + expenses (listed below)

Rate includes case review and assessment, research, generation of written report(s), plan development, testimony preparation, and related services.

▶ **Professional Assessment**

\$300 per hour + expenses (listed below)

Consultation without request for creation of a life care plan includes case review and assessment, research, generation of written report(s) or commentary, testimony preparation, and related services.

▶ **Expert Testimony**

\$400 per hour

Invoice will be submitted to the retaining party for all testimony requested by the retaining, opposing, or third party. If testimony is canceled within 10 calendar days of the scheduled date, a \$600 minimum fee will apply, plus reimbursement for any non-refundable expenses incurred, such as travel or accommodations.

▶ **Travel Time**

\$200 per hour

+ lodging and transportation expenses (when applicable)

▶ **Expedited Work Fees**

Fees for Life Care Plan and Professional Assessment services will be billed at 150% of the standard rate under the following conditions:

- If work product is required within 60 days of the execution of the Retainer Agreement.
- If additional materials, records, or evidence are provided within 60 days of the anticipated work product delivery date. The fee rate applies irrespective of whether modifications to the work product are necessary, as it reflects the increased workload intensity, scheduling adjustments, and prioritized time required to review and analyze newly submitted materials.

▶ **Expenses**

Actual incurred expenses will be billed at cost for items including but not limited to copyright fees for peer-reviewed journal articles obtained in the course of research for the Life Care Plan, printing and copying, economy class air travel, ground transportation, vehicle rental fees, and lodging.

Terms

Upon delivery of the work product, Bright Alliance, LLC will apply all outstanding fees to the retainer deposit. Any additional costs, expenses, or fees exceeding the deposit will be invoiced separately, with payment due within 30 days of the invoice date.