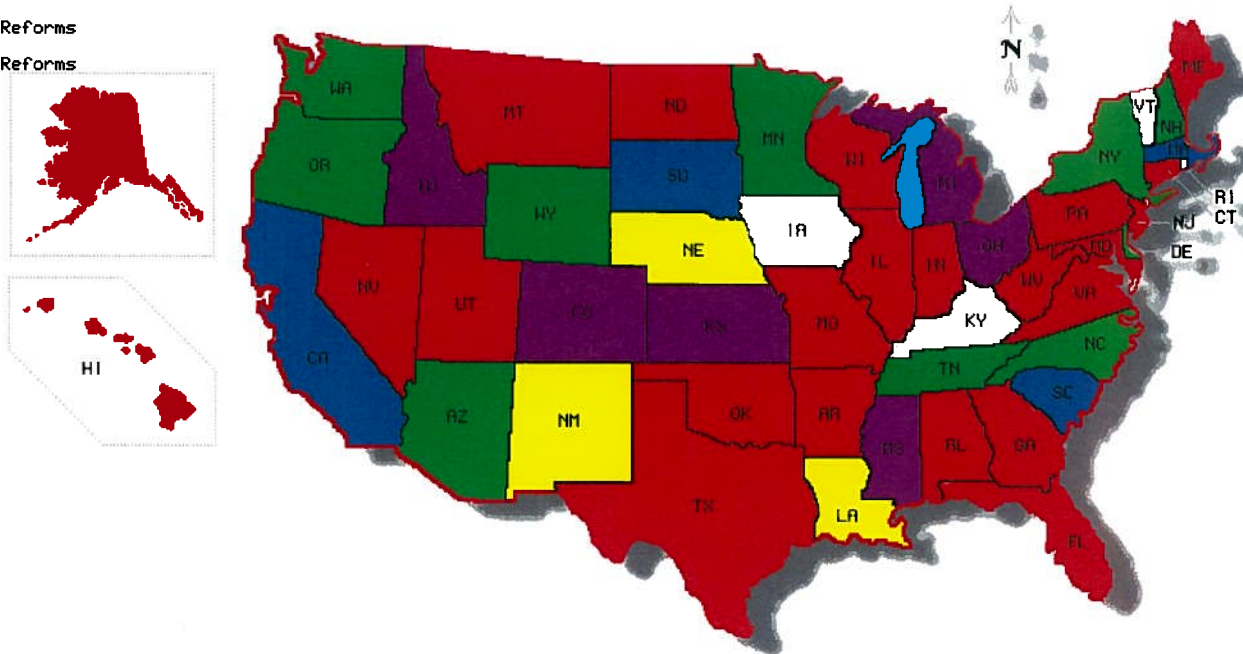


Medical Malpractice: Been There, Done That!

- - Cap: Medmal NonEco
- - Cert Merit/Rev Panel
- - Cap: Total Medmal
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NOTES:
 In Maine, both punitive and noneconomic damages are capped in wrongful death cases - not medmal specific.

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KEY

- Cap: Medmal NonEco** = States with a medical malpractice specific cap on noneconomic damage awards.
- Cert Merit/Rev Panel** = States requiring a Certificate of Merit or Review Panel.
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- 2-3 Reforms** = States with 2-3 of these measures in place.
- 4-5 Reforms** = States with 4-5 of these measures in place.

46 STATES HAVE PASSED MEDICAL MALPRACTICE REFORM. THERE IS NO REASON TO BOG DOWN THE HEALTH CARE REFORM BILL WITH UNNECESSARY MEASURES.