

# LEGAL 235 : Tort Law

**Credits** 5

**Quarter Offered** Spring

Learn key concepts and practical principles of tort law. Apply tort concepts in current cases. Distinguish how to carefully consider variables in a case and potential resolutions. Realistic situations are designed to improve legal understanding and skills. Identify the principles of tort law needed for a successful career as a paralegal. This class may include students from multiple sections.

**Course Outcomes**

Introduce the key concepts and practical principles of tort law.

Identify the types of liability.

Identify the elements of intentional torts.

Identify the criteria used to assess the reasonableness of a person's conduct.

Recognize the components of negligence damages.

Identify the elements of negligence defenses.

Understand what constitutes negligence.

Distinguish among intentional, negligent, and innocent misrepresentation.

Identify possible areas of liability.