

# Checklist: How to Choose an Asbestos Law Firm

Working with a specialized mesothelioma law firm can offer you life-changing benefits. The most important of which may be peace of mind. These lawyers focus on asbestos cases every day. They have the resources and knowledge to build strong cases that win compensation.

But many law firms claim to specialize in asbestos litigation. How can you tell which is the best? Experienced, high-end mesothelioma law firms usually have the characteristics below.

*Review this list before chatting with potential firms.*

## Free Case Evaluation and No Upfront Fees

- Top mesothelioma law firms offer free case reviews with no obligation to hire the law firm. This allows you to ask questions and decide how to proceed with no pressure. Most quality firms receive payment on a contingency basis. This means they only receive money if they win your case.

## Experience Winning Mesothelioma Cases

- Top law firms should have demonstrated success winning mesothelioma lawsuits. The best mesothelioma law firms have a track record of winning large settlements and jury awards. Experienced law firms also have extensive knowledge of asbestos trust funds and how to file a successful mesothelioma claim.

## Individual Attention and Support From Mesothelioma Lawyers

- Top mesothelioma firms handle cases for you and provide services to minimize stress. They will not ask you to travel. The firm should provide:
  - A dedicated legal team to discuss your questions, case status and compensation details
  - Comprehensive lawsuit handling, including representing you in all court proceedings
  - Timely updates on the progress of your case

## Extensive Knowledge of the Asbestos Industry

- Winning asbestos cases requires knowledge of the asbestos companies, products and high-risk occupations linked to exposure. They will gather evidence and help pinpoint your asbestos exposure sources. Specialty firms have the resources to build a strong case against the responsible parties.

## A Thorough Understanding of Mesothelioma

- Asbestos lawyers understand mesothelioma and other asbestos-related diseases. They can present compelling evidence to show how exposure can lead to mesothelioma, lung cancer and asbestosis. They can also help connect clients with mesothelioma doctors and cancer centers.

## Nationwide Representation

- Top mesothelioma law firms are licensed to practice throughout the United States. They have decades of experience working in each state's legal system. They can determine the best place to file your lawsuit based on the facts of your case, relevant laws and statutes of limitations.

## Questions to Ask Your Mesothelioma Law Firm

The free case review gives you an opportunity to get to know the firm's legal team. You can ask questions at this time to learn if the firm feels trustworthy and capable, including:

- Do you have any client testimonials I can see?
- How does your firm approach building a mesothelioma case?
- What are the costs associated with hiring your firm?
- What are some examples of asbestos cases you have successfully litigated?
- Which attorneys will be assigned to my case? What experience do they have?
- Will it be a problem that your offices are not located in the state I live in?

This is also a perfect time to ask any other questions you may have. Qualified firms are prepared with answers relevant to mesothelioma litigation. The best firms have been involved in asbestos law for many years and are equipped to answer complex or basic questions.

**With this list of questions, you're one step closer to a productive legal consultation.**

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