

Civ. J.I. 13.1805 Nonmedical expense.

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Statute text

The reasonable value of necessary nonmedical expenses which have been required as a result of the injury [and the present cash value of such nonmedical expenses reasonably certain to be required in the future].

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

Under proper circumstances, this instruction is to be included in the blank in UJI 13-1802. It is not every case where the bracketed material will be used. If the bracketed material is used, then UJI 13-1822 on present cash value must also be used.

Annotations

Committee comment. - If the plaintiff has sustained injuries which require caretaking expenses, then such expense is a proper element of damages when plaintiff has proved that the expense has been incurred and the reasonable value thereof. Mere inconvenience is not a proper element of damages. [As amended, effective November 1, 1991.]

COMPILER'S ANNOTATIONS

Am. Jur. 2d, A.L.R. and C.J.S. references. - 22 Am. Jur. 2d Damages § 355.

Damages in action for personal injuries or death as including value of care and nursing necessitated by the injury, rendered by one to another or by a third person gratuitously or as a result of hospitalization insurance previously carried, 90 A.L.R.2d 1323.