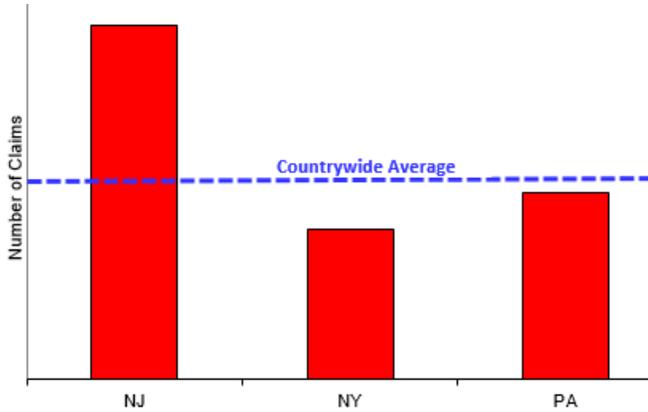


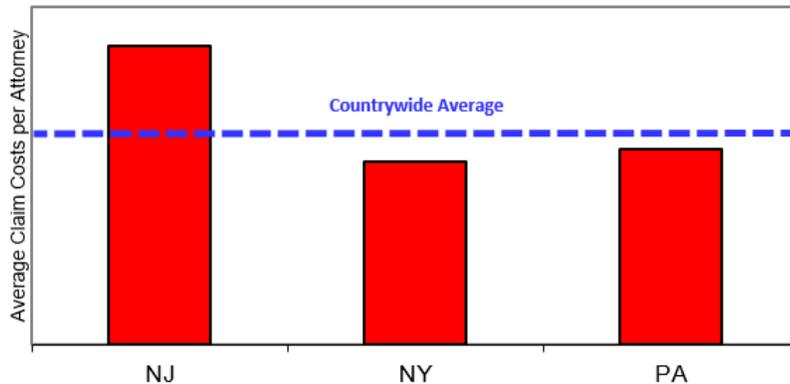
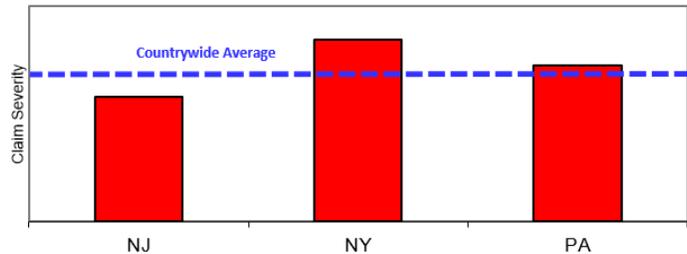


## LEGAL MALPRACTICE DATA HIGHLIGHTS NEW JERSEY'S OUTLIER STATUS



New Jersey lawyers are 70% more likely than their counterparts nationwide to file a claim with their malpractice insurer. Even attorneys practicing in our notoriously litigious neighboring states face fewer malpractice claims.

New Jersey has a lower than average cost per claim despite having a higher rate of claims. This means New Jersey lawyers see many more smaller claims filed against them than do their counterparts in other states.



Although the cost per claim is lower in New Jersey than in other states, the fact that there are so very many more claims brought means that the overall cost per attorney is significantly higher in New Jersey than in other states.

This data was provided by CNA Insurance, the leading provider of legal malpractice insurance in New Jersey. It covers the years 2003-12.