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Topic: : how to become a fly fishing guide

Re: how to become a fly fishing guide

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Yotrout wrote:

Could you really be sued f your a guide and someone twists there ankle? Im sure theres some sort of liability waiver involved. I wonder what the worst thing one has been sued for is? Maybe an issue with a strong current.

You could be sued. If you pushed him. Simple negligence law in PA. Owe a duty to protect, breech duty, damages suffered then liability is asserted. Client was walking slipped and twisted ankle, then no. Client twisted ankle after being push by guide, yes. Guide knows that pool is 15' deep and instructs client to walk through it, breech of duty. Still needs damages. These policies are made more for real issues with real damages. Guide demands they stay out to fish epic olive hatch in a lightning storm, client gets all sparky and dies, then ya. Money is owed.

The "liability waiver" you are thinking about would be a hold harmless agreement. No, generally it wouldn't work. Most hold harmless agreements are pure #OOPS# in court. \$1 mil liability with minimum gear coverage of \$10,000 in a package Business Owners Policy should be around \$500 a year.