

QUESTION 1 THE ANSWER TO THIS QUESTION SHOULD GO IN BLUEBOOK I

Meredith and her boyfriend, McDreamy, were out on a date. Because his mother, Abby, wanted him to make a good impression, McDreamy was allowed to drive his mother's brand new Camaro. Although he was driving, he was texting his friend to give him the details of his date with Meredith. He looked up at the last moment, just in time to notice that he was driving into oncoming traffic. He swerved to avoid an oncoming car, but clipped the fender anyway. His car spun out of control and smashed into a tree. Meredith was taken to the hospital for her injuries.

It is undisputed that Meredith suffered the following injuries: a fractured bone in her leg that required a surgical procedure to install a metal rod; she wore a cast for two months and was on crutches temporarily; she underwent several months of physical therapy; she was off from work for approximately two months; per her doctor's instructions, she was not allowed to lift anything over five pounds or do household chores for approximately three months, but now has no restrictions; she also loved to bicycle before the accident but cannot anymore because it causes her too much pain; she still has difficulty standing or sitting for prolonged periods of time.

Assuming McDreamy will completely admit liability as to the cause of the accident, assess under Michigan law whether Meredith is entitled to any non-economic damages for her injuries. Additionally, who are the potential defendants? Explain your answers.

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