FIDUCIARY OBLIGATIONS IN INVESTING

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Legal Requirements

- 1. General Fiduciary Duties
- 2. UPMIFA/Prudent Investor Act
- 3. Other Statutory Provisions



Fiduciary Duties

- 1. Duty of Care
 - A. Remain informed
 - B. Ask reasonable questions
 - C. Appropriate reliance
- 2. Duty of Loyalty
 - A. Conflicts of interest



UPMIFA

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- 1. Uniform Prudent Management of Institutional Funds Act (Chapter 163, Tex. Prop. Code)
- 2. Guidelines for investing "institutional funds" and expending "endowment funds"
- 3. Applicable to charitable funds other than funds held in trust by non-charity trustee



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