

New York Forms

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Major Sets

Useful Links

- Bloomberg Law
<http://www.bloomberglaw.com>
- Lexis Advance
<https://signin.lexisnexis.com/laccess/app/signin?aci=la>
- WestlawNext
<https://lawschool.westlaw.com/shared/signon10.asp?path=%2fDesktopDefault.aspx>

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Major New York Sets

In addition to the sources listed in this guide, forms also appear in [NEW YORK CONSOLIDATED LAWS SERVICE \(CLS\)](#), as well as in the [Official Compilation of Codes Rules and Regulations \(NYCRR\)](#).

- **Bender's Forms for the Civil Practice (Bender)**
Call Number: Reading Room KFN 5995 .A65 .B4; LexisNexis database BECPRA
<http://libweb.hofstra.edu/search~S1/?YBenders+Forms+for+the+Civil+Practice+&searchscope=1&SORT=DZ/YBenders+Forms+for+the+Civil+Practice+&searchscope=1&SORT=DZ&extended=0&SUBKEY=Benders+Forms+for+the+Civil+Practice+/1%2C5%2C5%2CB/frameset&FF=YBenders+Forms+for+the+Civil+Practice+&searchscope=1&SORT=DZ&1%2C1%2C>Multi-volume looseleaf set (about 40 volumes) which includes NY forms. The set provides annotated forms for the CPLR, RPAPL, SCPA, EPTL, DRL and the court acts. Form numbers correspond to CPLR section numbers.
- **West's McKinney's Forms (West)**
Call Number: Reading Room KFN 5068 .W4; Westlaw database MCF-All
<http://libweb.hofstra.edu/search~S1/?YWest+McKinneys+Forms&SORT=D&searchscope=1&b=&m=/YWest+McKinneys+Forms&SORT=D&searchscope=1&b=&m=&SUBKEY=West+McKinneys+Forms/1%2C3%2C3%2CB/frameset&FF=YWest+McKinneys+Forms&SORT=D&searchscope=1&b=&m=&2%2C2%2C>This form set is divided into separate sections for the CPLR, UCC, BCL, CPL and specific topic areas. It is cross-referenced with McKinney's Consolidated Laws.
- **Carmody-Wait, 2d, Cyclopeda of New York Practice with Forms (West)**
Call Number: Reading Room KFN 5995 .C342; Westlaw database CW2D
<http://libweb.hofstra.edu/search~S1/?searchtype=Y&searcharg=Carmody-Wait%2C+2d%2C+Cyclopedia+of+New+York+Practice+&searchscope=1&sortdropdown=-&SORT=DZ&extended=0&SUBMIT=Search&searchlimits=&searchorigarg=YWest+McKinneys+Forms%26SORT%3DD>Multi-volume (around 70-80 volumes) hardbound encyclopedia covering New York civil and criminal practice. Where relevant, forms are integrated with the text.
- **Bender's Forms of Pleading for the State of New York (Bender)**
Call Number: Reading Room KFN 6010 .A65 .B43; LexisNexis database BFRMPL
<http://libweb.hofstra.edu/search~S1/?searchtype=Y&searcharg=Benders+Forms+of+Pleading+for+the+State+of+New+York+&searchscope=1&sortdropdown=-&SORT=DZ&extended=0&SUBMIT=Search&searchlimits=&searchorigarg=YCarmody-Wait%2C+2d%2C+Cyclopedia+of+New+York+Practice+%26SORT%3DDZ>This multi-volume (around 25-30 volumes) looseleaf set is arranged by subject area. Each section includes "Suggestions for Drafting" – a brief statement of the substantive law necessary to prepare the pleading and illustrative forms.
- **Bender's Forms for the Consolidated Laws of the State of New York (Bender)**
Call Number: Reserve KFN 5068 .B4
<http://libweb.hofstra.edu/search~S1/?YBenders+Forms+for+the+Consolidated+Laws+of>

[+the+State+of+New+York+&searchscope=1&SORT=DZ/YBenders+Forms+for+the+Consolidated+Laws+of+the+State+of+New+York+&searchscope=1&SORT=DZ&extended=0&SUBKEY=Benders+Forms+for+the+Consolidated+Laws+of+the+State+of+New+York+/1%2C5%2C5%2CB/frameset&FF=YBenders+Forms+for+the+Consolidated+Laws+of+the+State+of+New+York+&searchscope=1&SORT=DZ&1%2C1%2C](#)Large 56-volume set. Form numbers correspond to the section numbers of the Consolidated laws. Contains both procedural practice forms and forms for a full range of legal instruments.

- **New York Forms, Legal and Business (West)**

Call Number: Westlaw database NY-LF; WestlawNext

<http://libweb.hofstra.edu/search~S1/?YNew+York+Forms%2C+Legal+and+Business&searchscope=1&SORT=DZ/YNew+York+Forms%2C+Legal+and+Business&searchscope=1&SORT=DZ&extended=0&SUBKEY=New+York+Forms%2C+Legal+and+Business/1%2C19%2C19%2CB/frameset&FF=YNew+York+Forms%2C+Legal+and+Business&searchscope=1&SORT=DZ&1%2C1%2C>Provides practice-oriented forms for New York legal and business transactions.

- **New York Lawyer's Formbook (sponsored by the General Practice Section of the New York State Bar Association)**

Call Number: Reserve KFN 5068 .N47




<http://libweb.hofstra.edu/search~S1/?searchtype=Y&searcharg=New+York+Lawyers+Formbook+&searchscope=1&sortdropdown=-&SORT=DZ&extended=0&SUBMIT=Search&searchlimits=&searchorigarg=YNew+York+Forms%2C+Legal+and+Business%26SORT%3DDZ>Consists of 25 sections, each covering a different area of practice. Serves to familiarize the new practitioner, or one not familiar with a particular area, with forms and various other materials regarding that area of practice.

- **New York Forms of Jury Instruction**

Call Number: Reading Room KFN6171.A65 N49

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Business Law

- **Commercial Litigation in New York State Courts (West) by Robert L. Haig**
Call Number: Reading Room KFN 5225 .C65; Westlaw database NYPRAC-COMM
<http://libweb.hofstra.edu/search~S1?/YCommercial+Litigation+in+New+York+State+Courts+&SORT=D&searchscope=1&b=&m=/YCommercial+Litigation+in+New+York+State+Courts+&SORT=D&searchscope=1&b=&m=&SUBKEY=Commercial+Litigation+in+New+York+State+Courts+/1%2C4%2C4%2CB/frameset&FF=YCommercial+Litigation+in+New+York+State+Courts+&SORT=D&searchscope=1&b=&m=&1%2C1%2CM>
multi-volume set (about 5 volumes) containing text on law and procedure, strategies, jury instructions, rules, numerous checklists, as well as tables of forms.
- **New York Practice Guide: Business and Commercial (Bender) by Peter L. Bain et al**
Call Number: Reading Room KFN 5337 .N48
<http://libweb.hofstra.edu/search~S1?/YNew+York+Practice+Guide+Business+and+Commercial+&SORT=D&searchscope=1&b=&m=/YNew+York+Practice+Guide+Business+and+Commercial+&SORT=D&searchscope=1&b=&m=&SUBKEY=New+York+Practice+Guide+Business+and+Commercial+/1%2C2%2C2%2CB/frameset&FF=YNew+York+Practice+Guide+Business+and+Commercial+&SORT=D&searchscope=1&b=&m=&1%2C1%2CA>
multi-volume set (about 5 volumes) takes practitioners step-by-step through many types of New York business and commercial transactions.

Criminal Procedure

- **Handling a Criminal Case in New York (Lawyers Cooperative Publishing) by Gary Muldoon and Sandra J. Feuerstein**
Call Number: Reserve KFN 6155 .A9 M85; Westlaw database HCCNY
<http://libweb.hofstra.edu/search/Y?SEARCH=Handling+a+Criminal+Case+in+New+York+&SORT=D&searchscope=1&b=&m=Single-volume+looseleaf+provides+step-by-step+guidance+for+handling+criminal+cases+in+New+York.+Includes+more+than+75+model+forms.>
- **New York Criminal Practice, 2nd ed. (Bender) by Marvin Waxner; contributors Marvin T. Hyman et al.**
Call Number: Reading Room KFN 6155 .W3; LexisNexis database NYCRR
<http://libweb.hofstra.edu/search~S1?/YNew+York+Criminal+Practice&searchscope=1&SORT=DZ/YNew+York+Criminal+Practice&searchscope=1&SORT=DZ&extended=0&SUBKEY=New+York+Criminal+Practice/1%2C78%2C78%2CB/frameset&FF=YNew+York+Criminal+Practice&searchscope=1&SORT=DZ&4%2C4%2CM>
Multi-volume looseleaf (about 8 volumes). Treatise on procedural and substantive aspects of New York criminal practice. Includes text and forms.
- **Criminal Procedure in New York (West) by Robert G. Bogle**
Call Number: Reserve KFN 6155 .B76
<http://libweb.hofstra.edu/search~S1?/YCriminal+Procedure+in+New+York+&searchscope=1&SORT=DZ/YCriminal+Procedure+in+New+York+&searchscope=1&SORT=DZ&extended=0&SUBKEY=Criminal+Procedure+in+New+York+/1%2C96%2C96%2CB/frameset&FF=YCriminal+Procedure+in+New+York+&searchscope=1&SORT=DZ&1%2C1%2C>
This 3-volume work focuses on Practice and Forms in Part 1 and Evidence in Part 2.

Evidence

- **New York Suppression Manual: Arrest, Search & Seizure, Confession, Identification (Bender) by Lewis R. Katz and Jay Shapiro.**
Call Number: Reading Room KFN 6166 .K38
<http://libweb.hofstra.edu/record=b1925719~S1> One-volume looseleaf that provides comprehensive analysis of relevant federal and state statutes and case law. Useful checklists and sample forms.
- **Evidence in New York State and Federal Courts (West) by Robert A. Barker and Vincent C. Alexander**
Call Number: Reserve KFN 6030 .B37
<http://libweb.hofstra.edu/search~S1?/YEvidence+in+New+York+State+and+Federal+Courts+&SORT=D&searchscope=1&b=&m=/YEvidence+in+New+York+State+and+Federal+Courts+&SORT=D&searchscope=1&b=&m=&SUBKEY=Evidence+in+New+York+State+and+Federal+Courts+/1%2C2%2C2%2CB/frameset&FF=YEvidence+in+New+York+State+and+Federal+Courts+&SORT=D&searchscope=1&b=&m=&1%2C1%2C> One volume; presents New York evidence law in a modern analytical framework.
- **Richardson on Evidence by Richard T. Farrell**
Call Number: Reserve KFN 6030 .R52
<http://libweb.hofstra.edu/search~S1?/YRichardson+on+Evidence+&searchscope=1&SORT=DZ/YRichardson+on+Evidence+&searchscope=1&SORT=DZ&extended=0&SUBKEY=Richardson+on+Evidence+/1%2C2%2C2%2CB/frameset&FF=YRichardson+on+Evidence+&searchscope=1&SORT=DZ&1%2C1%2C> Provides a quick guide to the law of New York on each evidence topic.

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Negligence

- **New York Practice Guide: Negligence (Bender) by Norman H. Dachs and Jonathan A. Dachs**
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<http://libweb.hofstra.edu/search~S1/?searchtype=Y&searcharg=New+York+Practice+Guide+Negligence+&searchscope=1&sortdropdown=-&SORT=DZ&extended=0&SUBMIT=Search&searchlimits=&searchorigarg=YRichardson+on+on+Evidence+%26SORT%3DDZ> Multi-volume looseleaf (about 4 volumes). Analysis of New York negligence case and statutory law, accompanied by such practice materials as forms, checklists, timetables, strategy and practice tips.
- **Injury Practice in New York (West) by Francis P. Bensel, Richard Frank and Douglas E. McKeon**
Call Number: Reading Room KFN 6028 .P4 B36
<http://libweb.hofstra.edu/search~S1?/YInjury+Practice+in+New+York&searchscope=1&SORT=DZ/YInjury+Practice+in+New+York&searchscope=1&SORT=DZ&extended=0&SUBKEY=Injury+Practice+in+New+York/1%2C5%2C5%2CB/frameset&FF=YInjury+Practice+in+New+York&searchscope=1&SORT=DZ&1%2C1%2C> Two-volume

looseleaf covers all stages of litigation and arbitration for personal injury cases in New York. Includes more than 70 forms in print and on computer disk.

Real Property

- **Steinman's, Bergerman and Roth, New York Real Property Forms Annotated (Bender)**
Call Number: Reading Room KFN 5140 .165 S7

Trusts and Estates

- **Drafting New York Wills and related Documents (Bender) by Ira Mark Bloom and William P. LaPiana**
Call Number: Reserve KFN 5201 .K55; LexisNexis database NYWILL
<http://libweb.hofstra.edu/record=b2138223~S1> Two-volume looseleaf; complete package of forms and analysis. All complete wills and will clauses included on diskette.
- **New York Wills, 2d (Lawyers Cooperative Publishing) by Lawrence P. Keller**
Call Number: Reserve KFN 5205 .K3; Westlaw database NYWILLS
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- Corporations Forms from the New York State Department of State
http://www.dos.ny.gov/corps/forms_listing.html

- New York Court of Claims Forms
<http://www.nycourts.gov/COURTS/nyscourtofclaims/forms.shtml>
- Miscellaneous New York State Records Forms from the New York State Department of State
http://www.dos.ny.gov/corps/forms_listing.html
Click "State Records"
- New York City Civil Court Forms
<http://www.nycourts.gov/courts/nyc/civil/forms.shtml>
- New York City Housing Court Forms
<http://www.nycourts.gov/courts/nyc/housing/forms.shtml>
- New York City Small Claims Court Forms
<http://www.nycourts.gov/courts/nyc/smallclaims/forms.shtml>
- New York Family Court Forms
<http://www.nycourts.gov/forms/familycourt/index.shtml>
- New York State Division of Tax Appeals and Tax Appeal Tribunal
<http://www.nysdta.org/forms.htm>
- New York State Tax Forms
<http://www.tax.ny.gov/forms/default.htm>
- New York State UCC Forms
<http://www.dos.ny.gov/corps/uccforms.html>
- New York State Unified Court System Forms
<http://www.nycourts.gov/forms/>
- United States Bankruptcy Court Southern District Forms
<http://www.nysb.uscourts.gov/>
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- United States District Court for the Eastern District of New York Forms
<https://www.nyed.uscourts.gov/forms-and-instructions>
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