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Sommario/riassunto	Healthcare professionals face an increasing threat of litigation from parties whom they have never met in their daily medical practice and

who look nothing like the traditional patient. This book explores the legal principles and conundrums which arise when determining a healthcare professional's liability in negligence towards a wide variety of non-patients.
