

## JURY AWARDS AMPUTEE \$16M

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January 31, 2004 – A Brooklyn jury has awarded \$16 million to a Manhattan mother of two who had to have her leg amputated after a doctor at St. Mary's Hospital waited nearly a month to operate although a blood clot was cutting off circulation to her foot

“Brenda Allen suddenly developed a clot in her leg that obstructed the blood flow to her foot on Feb. 21, 1999, according to her attorney, Steven North. She required immediate surgery, but Dr. Michael Mesbah, a vascular surgeon at St. Mary's, allowed her to deteriorate for almost a month, North said.

Lawyers for the doctor and hospital could not be reached late yesterday

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