

## Ashley Lipson's "Big 12" Objections

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1. Argumentative
2. Best evidence
3. Conclusion
4. Facts Assumed
5. Hearsay
6. Irrelevant or immaterial
7. Leading
8. Multiple
9. Privilege
10. Repetitive
11. Speculative
12. Vague