

Music Licensing Process

Any form of music, including both sound recordings and compositions, must be fully licensed for use in the filming of any scene and for marketing use.

Please start the music licensing process as early as possible during the pre-production stage to assure the availability of your desired music. Consult with your Production Counsel or Music Counsel on any questions or concerns related to your music clearance obligations. Be sure to budget for all necessary licensing. If music rights cannot be cleared, Producer must substitute with alternative licensed music.

Please review music clearances in the Legal & Compliance Guidelines for detailed information on clearing [original music](#), [licensed music](#), and other special considerations.