

CRIME SHOW CONTROVERSIES



Victims' families were upset by the use of their real names and details of their loved ones' deaths without consent, feeling the show exploited their grief for profit.

"Dahmer — monster: The Jeffrey Dahmer Story" (Netflix, 2022)



"The Life and Deaths of Robert Durst" (HBO, 2015)

Filmmakers recorded Durst making self-incriminating remarks, leading to his unexpected arrest for the murder of Susan Berman and sparking criticism of the film's potential influence on the legal proceedings.



"The Act" (Hulu, 2019)

Although Gypsy gave permission for the story to be told, the film's portrayal of her life and actions led to debates about how much control victims and their families should have over such retellings.

