

Lauralee B. Baker

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OVERVIEW:

Lauralee is a partner in the firm's Litigation Practice Group and Health Care Industry Group. She represents health care providers such as hospitals and physicians in medical malpractice defense litigation and before regulatory agencies. In her more than 35 years of practice, she has tried more than 60 jury cases to verdict with the vast majority concluded in favor of her client.

Lauralee brings a unique perspective to her health care and litigation trial practice as she has a medical background with both a RN and BS in nursing. She counsels her health care clients in compliance, assisting them with the minimization of risk and exposure to liability. Lauralee is well-versed in regulations and current issues facing the health care industry and has spoken on issues such as informed consent, health care risk management and electronic medical records.

With Lauralee's extensive experience in jury trials in both state and federal court, she has represented physicians, nurses and hospitals in dozens of counties across Pennsylvania. In addition, she has represented physicians and nurses in regulatory matters before the applicable state regulatory agency.

EDUCATION:

- Dickinson School of Law, J.D.
- Penn State University, BSN, with distinction
- Massachusetts General Hospital Institute of Health Professionals, R.N.

ADMISSIONS:

- Pennsylvania
- United States District Court, Middle District of Pennsylvania
- United States District Court, Eastern District of Pennsylvania
- United States Supreme Court

PRACTICE AREAS:

- Litigation
- Appellate Litigation

INDUSTRY GROUPS:

- Health Care
- Senior Living

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT:

Lancaster Symphony Orchestra
Board of directors

Marietta Restoration Associates
Former Member

Marietta Community House
Former Board member

RECOGNITIONS:

- Rated AV Preeminent by Martindale-Hubbell
- Best Lawyers Lawyer of the Year in Harrisburg Health Care Law (2023, 2026)
- The Best Lawyers in America, Litigation - Health Care (2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027), Health Care Law (2022 , 2023, 2024, 2025, 2027), Medical Malpractice Law - Defendants (2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027)

- Pennsylvania Super Lawyers (2022, 2023, 2025, 2026)

MEMBERSHIPS:

- Defense Research Institute
- Lancaster Bar Association
- Dauphin County Bar Association
- Pennsylvania Bar Association

PRESENTATIONS:

- "The Nuts and Bolts of the Medical Malpractice Case," Pennsylvania Bar Institute
- "Informed Consent and the Family Physician," Family Practice Physicians
- "The Nuts and Bolts of the Medical Malpractice Case--Recent Developments in Malpractice Litigation," Pennsylvania Bar Institute
- "Risk Management and the Family Physician," Family Practice Physicians
- "Brave New World of Medical Malpractice Litigation" focused on "Mediation/Trial Strategy/Jury Selection," Pennsylvania Bar Institute, Medical Malpractice Update: "Brave New World of Medical Malpractice Litigation" focused on
- "The Requirements of a Family Physician to Obtain Informed Consent," Pennsylvania Medical Society Liability Insurance Company
- "Electronic Medical Records," Nationwide Insurance Company
- "The Impact of Electronic Medical Records on the Family Physician Practice," Family Practice Physicians

RELATED NEWS:

- Barley Snyder Partner Lauralee Baker Named Lawyer of the Year in Medical Malpractice Defendants by Best Lawyers
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- Barley Snyder Welcomes Attorney Shane Brackup to Litigation and Health Care Groups
  July 21, 2025

- Barley Snyder Partner Lauralee Baker Named Health Care Industry Group Chair
  June 24, 2025
- Barley Snyder Attorney Lauralee Baker Named to Lancaster Symphony Orchestra's Board of Directors
  October 11, 2023
- Fourteen Barley Snyder Attorneys Named 2023 Super Lawyers
  May 22, 2023
- Best Lawyers Honors 30 Barley Attorneys
  August 25, 2021
- Barley Snyder Announces 2021 Leadership Changes
  January 12, 2021
- Nearly Thirty Barley Snyder Attorneys Named Best Lawyers
  August 20, 2020
- Barley Snyder Places 21 Attorneys on Best Lawyers List
  August 15, 2019
- How the Federal Government Shutdown Could Affect Your Business
  January 24, 2019
- Sixteen Barley Snyder Attorneys Named to Best Lawyers List; Werner Named a Lawyer of the Year
  August 16, 2018
- Barley Snyder Announces Leadership Updates
  January 29, 2018
- Eleven Barley Snyder Attorneys Named Best Lawyers
  August 15, 2017
- Thirteen Barley Snyder Attorneys Named Select Lawyers
  December 27, 2016
- Eight from Barley Snyder Named to Best Lawyers list
  November 3, 2016
- Contact Helpline Names Attorney Lauralee Baker to its Board of Directors
  January 29, 2015
- Eight Barley Snyder Attorneys Listed in The Best Lawyers in America 2015
  August 21, 2014