Lisa Prather

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Practices

FOCUS: Health Care

Corporate

Corporate Governance

Health Care Regulatory and Compliance

Health Care Transactions

Health Information Privacy and Security

Industries

Pharmaceutical and Life Sciences

Education

JD, Texas Tech University School of Law, magna cum laude

BS, The University of Texas at Austin, with high honors

Board Certified, Health Law, Texas Board of Legal Specialization

Bar Admissions

Texas

Community Involvements

American Health Law Association (AHLA)
Camp John Marc, Board Member
Children's Cancer Fund, Board Member
Dallas Bar Association, Health Law Section
Chair 2024

Lisa Prather focuses her practice on health care regulatory and compliance matters. She also handles mergers and acquisitions, corporate governance and other health care industry-related special projects.

Advising clients on how to stay ahead of complicated compliance regulations

Lisa's clients are from diverse sectors of the health industry. These include hospital systems, physician groups, pharmacies and other professionals. Lisa assists her clients in meeting their business goals while navigating the increasingly complex health care regulatory environment. Her unique background of working at a Fortune 500 company, a nationwide hospital system and law firms, combined with her experience in federal and state health care law compliance, enables Lisa to offer her clients an exceptional level of assistance and support. This includes advice on everything from HIPAA, the Stark Law and the Anti-Kickback Statute to state-level matters, such as telehealth, corporate practice of medicine doctrines, and licensing board rules and regulations for health care providers.

Immediately prior to joining Katten, Lisa served as deputy general counsel to a nationwide system of hospitals and physician group practices. In this role, she oversaw operational, regulatory and compliance, transactional and corporate governance matters for the system's southwest region.

Representative Experience

- Assisted client with review of laws, rules and guidance for all 50 states in order for the client to pursue offering telehealth services nationwide.
- Provided compliance review and advice regarding more than 1,200 contracts for a group of ambulatory surgery centers and hospitals.*

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- Counseled investors and operators in the formation of 5.01(a)-type nonprofit health care organizations.
- Negotiated dozens of agreements related to clinical research studies among sponsors, institutions, and donors.
- Provided health care regulatory advice for an acquisition that was later recognized as one of Dallas' top health care deals of 2018.*
- Assisted a Dallas-based operator of freestanding emergency departments in acquiring additional freestanding emergency departments across the state.*
- Provided HIPAA compliance advice and training for hospitals, clinics, laboratories, pharmacies, and other health care providers and business associates.

Recognitions

Recognized or listed in the following:

- Best Lawyers in America
 - Health Care Law, 2024

News

- Katten Attorneys Distinguished by Best Lawyers® (August 17, 2023)
- Katten Attorney Gives Snapshot of Rapidly Evolving Health Law Field in Texas Lawbook Interview (December 16, 2021)
- Coronavirus (COVID-19) Resource Center (November 10, 2021)
- Katten Team Represents eTrueNorth in COVID-19 Mobile Testing Agreements (May 8, 2020)

^{*}Experience prior to Katten

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Publications

- Financial Markets and Funds Quick Take | Issue 17 (August 2023)
- Privacy, Data and Cybersecurity Quick Clicks | Issue 6 (June 2023)
- Health Care Law Perspectives (August 2020) | Contributor

Presentations and Events

- Ten Post-Deal Steps for Healthcare Entities (July 15, 2020)
- Health Law Sections of Dallas and Austin Bar Associations (November 2017) | Co-Presenter | The Stark Law and Certain Trending Arrangements: What to Know When Analyzing Lithotripsy, Neuromonitoring, and Pathology Arrangements