

ALYSON J. KIRLEIS

SHAREHOLDER



AREAS OF PRACTICE

Health Care Liability
Long-Term Care Liability

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ADMISSIONS

Pennsylvania
1988

U.S. District Court Western District
of Pennsylvania
1988

U.S. Court of Appeals 3rd Circuit
1990

U.S. Supreme Court
1993

U.S. District Court Middle District
of Pennsylvania
2023

EDUCATION

University of Pittsburgh School of
Law (J.D., 1988)

Lehigh University (B.A., 1985)

HONORS & AWARDS

Pennsylvania Super Lawyers
2007-2015

Approved Mediator, United States
District Court for the Western
District of Pennsylvania

OVERVIEW

Alyson has defended health care providers for more than 35 years, with clients ranging from physicians, nurses and dentists, to hospitals and long-term care facilities. She is an experienced litigator who has handled civil, trial and appellate matters throughout western Pennsylvania. She has successfully tried cases to verdict before juries in state and federal courts, and has prevailed on a number of appeals before both Pennsylvania and Federal appellate courts. Alyson also represents health care professionals before various licensing boards in Pennsylvania, providing counsel from the initial incident through interviews with the licensing Board investigators and hearings in front of the Hearing Examiner or Professional Licensing Board.

In addition to her litigation practice, Alyson provides risk management counseling for health care organizations and dental practices. She has also represented employers in governmental agency hearings and labor grievance arbitrations.

An active member of the legal community, Alyson was inducted into the Academy of Trial Lawyers of Allegheny County, where she currently serves as a member of the Board of Governors and the Membership Committee. She is also a member of the American Bar Association's Tort Trial Insurance Practice Section, and the Allegheny and Pennsylvania Bar associations.

Alyson is a frequent speaker on topics germane to her practice, including medical records documentation, licensing board matters, disruptive physicians, successful trial strategies, discovery, and labor/employment matters.

THOUGHT LEADERSHIP

Medical Malpractice Trial Lawyer Alyson J. Kirleis Joins Marshall Dennehey's Health Care Department in Pittsburgh

Health Care Liability
February 6, 2024

Highly accomplished medical malpractice litigator, Alyson J. Kirleis, has joined Marshall Dennehey's Pittsburgh office as a shareholder in the Health Care Department.

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ASSOCIATIONS & MEMBERSHIPS

Academy of Trial Lawyers of Allegheny County; Board of Governors (2023-2026), Membership Committee (2022-present)

Allegheny County Bar Association

American Bar Association; Tort Trial Practice Section member

Pennsylvania Bar Association

YEAR JOINED

2024