

# Special Report

## Outstanding Young Healthcare Lawyers – 2008

Lawyer	Firm	Outstanding Achievements
<b>Alan J. Arville</b>	Ober Kaler Washington, DC Tel: (202) 326-5020 ajarville@ober.com	Counsel for: multi-provider joint venture planning a statewide health information exchange; national pharmacy/optical chain in acquisition of vision center and structuring of in-store healthcare retail clinics; continuing care retirement community in reorganization; 50-member anesthesiology practice in sale to public company; 5 healthcare systems in cross-funding arrangements.
<b>Kathryn Ashton</b>	Sonnenschein, Nath & Rosenthal Chicago, IL Tel: (312) 876-3157 kashton@sonnenschein.com	Served as underwriter's counsel to one of the nation's largest tax-exempt bond offerings on behalf of a large health system; advised national electronic health records certification group in development of vendor software certification contracts and related guidelines, standards, and policies; negotiated loan documents on behalf of several joint ventures in which a hospital client holds a majority interest.
<b>Charmaine T. M. Chiu</b>	Smith Hulsey & Busey Jacksonville, FL Tel: (904) 359-7700 cchiu@smithhulsey.com	Recent work includes: formation of the Cyberknife Cancer Center located on the campus of Memorial Hospital of Jacksonville; issuance of \$225 million in hospital revenue and refunding bonds on behalf of Southern Baptist Hospital of Florida and affiliated entities; issuance of \$116 million in healthcare facilities revenue and refunding bonds on behalf of Florida Proton Therapy Institute.
<b>Daniel A. Cody</b>	ReedSmith San Francisco, CA Tel: (415) 659-5909 dcody@reedsmith.com	Recently represented a hospital in civil False Claims Act investigation of Medicare claims submitted in connection with a clinical trial. Represented public hospital company in its \$150 million high yield bond offering and second offering of \$4.5 million in common stock. Counsel for various entities in connection with joint ventures, including implications of recent changes to the federal Stark law.
<b>Jeffrey L. Kapp</b>	Jones Day Cleveland, OH Tel: (212) 586-7230 jlkapp@jonesday.com	Represents hospitals/health systems in physician contracting matters, such as structuring and negotiating physician employment agreements, hospital-based physician agreements, physician recruitment agreements, and medical director agreements; and in significant business functions, such as negotiation of strategic materials management agreements and other agreements.
<b>Jordan B. Keville</b>	Hooper Lundy & Bookman Los Angeles, CA Tel: (310) 551-8103 jkeville@health-law.com	Recently involved in several large-scale litigation matters related to Medicare and Medicaid reimbursement policies. In 2008, participated in challenging the legality of a competitive bidding demonstration project for laboratory services being implemented by the CMS, wherein the U.S. District Court for San Diego issued a preliminary injunction to halt the demonstration project.
<b>Kathleen Lester</b>	Patton Boggs Washington, DC Tel: (202) 457-6562 KLester@pattonboggs.com	Recently worked with patient advocates, physicians, nurses, dialysis providers, and manufacturers to secure reforms for the Medicare End Stage Renal Disease (ESRD) program, constituting a victory in the just-passed Medicare Improvements for Patients and Providers Act of 2008, the most far-reaching reform of the Medicare ESRD program since its inception.
<b>Charles A. Luband</b>	Ropes & Gray Washington, DC Tel: (202) 508-4762 charles.luband@ropesgray.com	Advisor to hospitals and health systems on regulatory issues, including Medicare/Medicaid disproportionate share hospital payment issues, Medicare/Medicaid graduate medical education payment issues, Medicaid upper payment limit payments, intergovernmental transfers and provider taxes, Medicaid state plan requirements, the \$340B drug pricing program, SCHIP, and EMTALA.
<b>Julia McMillen</b>	Proskauer Rose New York, NY Tel: (212) 969.3793 jcmcmillen@proskauer.com	Counsels clients in healthcare transactions, including mergers, corporate and real estate acquisitions, joint ventures, and equity and debt financings. Advises clients on Medicare and Medicaid compliance and resolving compliance conflicts with state and federal administrative agencies. Conducts due diligence investigations to defend against qui tam and government false claims actions.
<b>Patricia M. Ochmann</b>	Vorys, Sater, Seymour and Pease Akron, OH Tel: (330) 208-1023 pmochmann@vorys.com	Lead counsel in multi-million dollar transaction involving hospital acquisition of physician practice, purchase of real estate, and employment of multiple physicians. Counseled hospital on peer review immunity under the Health Care Quality Improvement Act and National Practitioner Data Bank reporting. Assessed academic medical center's regulatory compliance stemming from OIG investigation.
<b>Rene Y. Quashie</b>	Drinker Biddle & Reath Washington, DC Tel: (202) 230-5161 Rene.Quashie@dbr.com	Represents hospitals/healthcare providers in federal regulatory and administrative healthcare matters. Recently prepared comprehensive privacy and security policies and procedures for national health care system and performed full-scale audit of clinical research protocols of a renowned academic medical center for compliance with federal government reimbursement policy.
<b>R. Brent Rawlings</b>	McGuireWoods LLP Richmond, VA Tel: (804) 775-1126 rbrawlings@mcguirewoods.com	Provided large academic medical center with analysis and opinions of financial arrangements between its components and for compliance with Stark and fraud and abuse laws; performed analysis of Stark, fraud and abuse laws, and Medicare reimbursement issues in development of cardiology joint venture; performed contract drafting and review for long-term acute care hospital management agreement.