

COURTNEY C. BARBACANE

BIOGRAPHY

Courtney C. Barbacane is a seasoned trial attorney defending doctors, hospitals, and long-term care facilities in medical malpractice and professional liability matters throughout state and federal courts in Pennsylvania and New Jersey. She is a Member at Burns White and based out of the Philadelphia office.

With experience in both initiating and defending claims, Ms. Barbacane brings to her healthcare practice at the firm a comprehensive understanding of legal strategies and issues relevant to both sides of the law. She has a background in handling complex personal injury actions involving medical and nursing malpractice.

Ms. Barbacane received a Medical School Lawyers Certificate from the Pennsylvania Bar Institute in 2014. In 2008, she graduated from Widener University School of Law with a Certificate in Health Law. While in law school, she was the President of the Health Law Society and wrote for *The Delaware Journal of Corporate Law*. Ms. Barbacane received a B.A. in Mass Media Communications from the University of Delaware in 2003.

CREDENTIALS

Areas of Law

- Medical Malpractice
- Nursing Neglect
- Professional Liability

Education

- Widener University School of Law (J.D., 2008)
- University of Delaware (B.A., 2003)

Bar and Court Admissions

- Pennsylvania
- New Jersey
- United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania
- United States District Court for the Middle District of Pennsylvania
- United States District Court for the District of New Jersey

Memberships

- Pennsylvania Bar Association
 - Commission on Women in the Profession
 - Professional Liability Committee
- New Jersey State Bar Association

ACCOLADES & INVOLVEMENT

Honors/Awards

- Selected for inclusion on the 2014-2018, 2020-2021 *Pennsylvania Super Lawyers* "Rising Stars®" lists



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PRESENTATIONS

- “Traumatic Brain Injury Cases: Doctor and Attorney Perspectives” National Business Institute, October 2014
- “Advanced Trial Tactics” National Business Institute, April 2014
- “Advanced Issues in Personal Injury Litigation” National Business Institute, November 2013
- “Advanced Trial Tactics” National Business Institute, May 2013
- “Evidence and Expert Testimony Best Practices: Supporting Your Case” National Business Institute, May 2011

PUBLICATIONS

- “Medical Malpractice Cases and Placing One’s Mental Health at Issue” *The Legal Intelligencer*, April 2020
- “To Delete or Not Delete: When Can Patient Records be Modified” *Burns White Insights*, December 2019

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