



Mary Connolly

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Education

- New England School of Law, *Cum Laude*; *New England Journal on Criminal and Civil Confinement*, Senior Literary Editor, JD
- Manhattan College, *Magna Cum Laude*, BA

Practices & Industries

- Commercial Litigation
- Health & Human Services Providers
- Health Care
- Health Care Controversies

Admitted to Practice

- New York
- Massachusetts

Biography

Mary primarily concentrates her practice on representing health care providers in a variety of matters, including litigation under the False Claims Act, Anti-Kickback Statute, related state statutes, and Article 78 proceedings; regulatory and transactional issues; not-for-profit formations and dissolutions; and applications for NYS Department of Health licensure. Her clients include, among others, adult care and assisted living facilities, nursing homes, licensed home care services agencies, OPWDD providers, pharmacies, and substance-use disorder and mental health treatment providers.

Bar Associations

- Albany County Bar Association
- New York State Bar Association, Health Law Section
- Saratoga County Bar Association, Young Lawyers' Committee Chair and Law Day Committee Member

Selected Memberships & Affiliations

- Barclay Damon Women's Forum
- Phi Beta Kappa

Prior Experience

- O'Connell & Aronowitz, P.C., Associate
- Tully Rinckey, PLLC, Associate
- PUMA North America, Inc., Law Clerk
- Massachusetts Attorney General's Office, Trial Division Intern
- United States Attorney's Office, Civil Division Intern
- Harvard Legal Aid Bureau, Summer Fellow
- Outten & Golden LLP, Litigation Paralegal

Selected Honors

- *The Best Lawyers in America*®: Ones to Watch: Commercial Litigation, Health Care Law, 2022
- Selected to *Super Lawyers* Upstate New York Rising Stars: Health Care, 2019–2021

Selected Media

- Medical Group Management Association Newsletter, “Does a Provider’s Waiver of Copays Raise a Red Flag?”
- Albany County Bar Association Newsletter, “Could the End of Surprise Billing Be in Sight?”
- Albany County Bar Association Newsletter, “Department of Justice Publishes Guidance on Dismissal of False Claims Act Cases Going Forward”
- Albany County Bar Association Newsletter, “Lyft’s Deal With Allscripts Continues Trend of Non-Emergency Medical Transportation by Ride-Hailing Companies”
- Albany County Bar Association Newsletter, “Crackdown on the Nation’s Opioid Epidemic”

Selected Alerts & Blog Posts

- The No Surprises Act: What Does It Mean for Covered Providers?
- New York State Quietly Diverts \$1.6 Billion in Federal Pandemic Funds to a Small Group of Large Home Care Providers
- NYS DOH Hosts Webinar on the Availability of Funds for Residential Health Care and Other Providers
- NYS DOH and DASNY Announce Availability of Funds for Residential Health Care and Other Providers
- NYS DOH Issues FAQs Clarifying Parameters of COVID-19 Vaccination Mandate for Health Care Workers