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Claire O'Brien advises companies in the health care, medical device and pharmaceutical industries on a wide range of regulatory compliance issues.

MY PRACTICE

HEALTH CARE

Claire counsels clients on a wide range of health care issues, including compliance with federal and state regulations, and day-to-day operations of health care facilities.

She has significant experience advising companies in a range of industries on regulatory compliance issues, including counseling them in interactions with the FDA, USDA, FTC, and National Advertising Division (NAD). Claire also provides regulatory advice and conducts due diligence related to corporate transactions done by medical device and pharmaceutical companies.

Having formerly practiced with a large international firm in Washington, D.C., Claire has experience representing clients in preparing public comments and petitions related to regulatory agency rulemakings and guidance documents.

PRACTICE AREAS

Administrative and Regulatory
Compliance & Internal Investigations
Government Relations & Public Policy
Health Care
Privacy

INDUSTRIES

Health Care

EDUCATION

University of North Carolina School of
Law

J.D., 2016, high honors; Order of the
Coif; Gressman-Pollitt Award for
Outstanding Oral Advocacy;
Comments Editor, *North Carolina
Law Review*

Wake Forest University

B.A., 2011, *magna cum laude*; Phi
Beta Kappa

CLERKSHIP

Law Clerk to the Honorable Liam
O'Grady, U.S. District Court for the
Eastern District of Virginia, 2017-18

BAR & COURT ADMISSIONS

District of Columbia
North Carolina

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Member, American Health Law Association

Member, North Carolina Bar Association

Volunteer Attorney, Legal Aid of North Carolina Lawyer on the Line Program (2020-present)

Co-chair, Communications Committee, Young Lawyers Division, North Carolina Bar Association (2020-present)

Virginia Becomes the Second State—and the First on the Eastern Seaboard—to Adopt a Comprehensive Data Protection Law, March 31, 2021

EEOC Releases Guidance on COVID-19 Vaccine in the Workplace, December 17, 2020

Claire O'Brien Named Co-Chair of Communications Committee for North Carolina Bar Association's Young Lawyers Division, December 4, 2020

Office for Civil Rights Settles Five Investigations in HIPAA Right of Access Initiative: Don't Give Your Patients Any Reason to Complain, September 16, 2020

Brooks Pierce Welcomes New Associate, August 18, 2020