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Biography

Kelly Weaver is Of Counsel in the Tampa office of Hall Booth Smith, where she focuses her practice on medical malpractice and aging services. With more than 30 years of legal experience, Kelly represents healthcare providers and long-term care facilities in complex litigation – drawing on her on her extensive litigation background in defense of healthcare providers, long term care facilities, assisted living facilities, in addition to her experience in representing insurance carriers and defending businesses and individuals in general liability cases. She has managed cases through all stages of litigation, including trial, arbitration and appeal.

Kelly was a partner in a Tampa-based law practice, concentrating on healthcare, long-term care, assisted living and medical malpractice defense. Earlier in her career, she worked for a Sarasota law firm in a broad civil litigation practice defending clients in matters involving medical malpractice, general liability, professional liability, insurance coverage and other complex disputes.

Kelly earned her Juris Doctor from Capital University Law School in

Services

Aging Services

Medical Malpractice

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1992. She achieved a class rank in the top 9% of her class; served as a member of Capital University Law Review and Notes Editor for Capital University Law Review. She represented her law school in National Moot Court Team competitions as an oral advocate. While in law school, she also interned for Federal judge Allen E. Norris in the Sixth Circuit Court of Appeals.

Kelly attended Purdue University, graduating in 1988 with bachelor's degree in history and bachelor's degree in French. She completed a year of study abroad at the University of Strasbourg in France.

An active member of her professional and local community, Kelly is a former Master of the John Scheb American Inn of Court in Sarasota, where she served for many years, and she volunteered as a Girl Scout troop leader for six years. She is an active member of the Florida Bar and a retired member of the Pennsylvania Bar.

Credentials

Admitted

State Courts:

- Florida

Education

- J.D., Capital University
- B.A., Purdue University

Memberships

- American Inns of Court, Sarasota Chapter
- Florida Defense Lawyers Association
- DRI Defense Research Institute

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