

## Pathology Group Representation

Our National Pathology Practice, like our Laboratory Industry Practice, is one of the largest such legal practices in the country. Our clients include over 500 academic and community-based pathology groups ranging in size from small, single location, to large, multi-location groups. We also work with national, state, and local pathology associations and societies. In addition, the firm represents several hundred laboratory clients.

The firm provides a full menu of services to our pathology clients and our clients frequently engage us to assist them in significant strategic planning, transactional, compliance, hospital contracting, and other high stakes projects due to our depth of experience in the sector.

Our National Pathology Practice Team consists of lawyers dedicated to the pathology sector. Our professionals are well-grounded in the unique challenges and opportunities applicable to pathologists and pathology groups.

Our attorneys are also frequent contributors to pathology publications and seminars, and co-develop education curriculums with some of the leading national pathology trade associations, seminar companies, and publications

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McDonald Hopkins offers our pathology clients a full range of legal services, including, but not limited to, the following:

- Accreditation and licensure
- Antitrust analysis and avoidance
- Benefit plans and qualified retirement plans
- Compliance and regulatory matters
- Data privacy and cybersecurity
- Employment and labor law
- FDA issues, including laboratory developed tests and commercialization of such tests
- Financing
- Government contracting and government incentive program consulting
- Healthcare reform strategic planning, including ACO positioning
- HIPAA, including Business Associate Agreements
- Hospital contracts
- Intellectual property protection
- Litigation
- Mergers, acquisitions, joint ventures, recapitalizations, and consolidations
- Network development
- Payer contracting
- Reimbursement and payer investigations and disputes (including RAC, MAC, UPIC, TPE, and SMRC audits)
- Research and development (clinical research, material transfer and commercialization matters)
- Risk management, including compliance plans
- Tax matters
- Vendor contracting and other contract matters
- Venture development employment, and health law

### Our healthcare team is here to help.

Be sure to connect with our attorneys speaking at the Executive War College this year.

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