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Practice Areas

Medical Device Litigation

Medical Malpractice

Nursing Home Litigation

Pharmaceutical / Healthcare

Professional Liability

Bar & Court Admissions

Alabama State Bar

Alabama Supreme Court

Northern, Middle and Southern Districts of the United States District Court

Bio

Jennifer "JD" Devereaux Segers's perspective and competitive spirit provide a solid representation for her clients, who have come to appreciate her unwavering dedication in the throes of complex litigation. JD grew up watching her mother build a successful law practice in Montgomery, Alabama, and followed in her footsteps by attending law school after college. JD began her career as a clerk at Huie before joining the firm in 1995. Since then, JD has built a successful practice focusing on medical malpractice, dental malpractice, insurance litigation, long term care and nursing home liability, pharmaceutical liability, professional liability and professional license defense. She also frequently lectures on medical malpractice and related topics for private insurance firms.

Outside of managing her busy law practice, JD is very active in the community. For six years, she served on the Board of Trustees for the Alabama Chapter of the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, as both Secretary and Vice President. In addition, she is a member of St. Luke’s Episcopal Church, where she continues to be involved and has also served as Clerk and a member of the Vestry. She is active in the arts and the community through membership in organizations such as the Junior Women’s Committee of 100 to support the Emmet O’Neal Library, the Ballet Guild to support the Alabama Ballet and the Symphony 30 to support the Alabama Symphony Orchestra.

When she's not working or serving her community, JD enjoys being on the lake in Eufaula, Alabama, watching Alabama football and spending quality time with her family and friends.

JD earned her BA from Rhodes College (Memphis, TN; 1992) and her JD from The University of Alabama School of Law (Tuscaloosa, AL; 1995).

Memberships

Alabama Defense Lawyers Association

Alabama Nursing Home Defense Lawyers Association

Defense Research Institute

International Association of Defense Counsel | Medical Malpractice Committee

Distinctions & Contributions

01 Named to BBJ's 2025 "Who's Who in Health Care Law"

02 Named to B-Metro's 2024 Top Women Attorneys List

03 Honoree, "2024 Top Birmingham Women" listing by the Birmingham Business Journal

04 Listed by The Best Lawyers in America since since 2015 for Insurance Law and Litigation – Insurance; listed since 2020 for Medical Malpractice Law – Defendants; and listed since 2023 for Litigation – Health Care

05 Honoree, The American Cancer Society's 41st Annual Hope Gala

06 Listed, B-Metro 2020 Top Women Attorneys

07 Listed, B-Metro Magazine Top Attorneys for 2020

08 Appointed 2019 Vice Chair of Programs for the ADLA Women in the Law Committee

09 Listed, B-Metro Magazine Top Flight Attorneys for 2019

10 Listed, B-Metro Magazine Top Lawyers 2018

11 Faculty Member, 2018 Medical Malpractice Conference for Alabama Attorneys presented by Alabama Law Weekly; "Hospital Liability in Alabama: Who Can Be Sued?"

12 Committee Member, 2018 Women, Wine & Shoes benefiting the Baptist Health Foundation

13 Guest Lecturer, Samford University Department of Physical Therapy Program (October 2016 and November 2017)

14 Included in B-Metro 2017 Top Women Attorneys listing

15 Guest Speaker, Alabama Association Medical Staff Services August 2017 Quarterly Education Program

16 Selected as a 2017 Top Flight Lawyer by B-Metro magazine

17 Co-author, "Issues In Today's Medical Malpractice Litigation Employees, Agents, and More – Claims of Hospital Liability for Physician Conduct," Alabama Defense Lawyers Association Journal, Spring 2017

18 Co-author, "Anesthesia Litigation – Clinical Basics and Current Liability Issues," For the Defense, a DRI publication, May 2017

19 Best Lawyers 2017 Litigation Insurance "Lawyer of the Year" in Birmingham

20 Listed in "Birmingham's Top Attorneys", Birmingham Magazine

21 Elected as Alabama Chapter of the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society's Woman of the Year (2008)