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Education

University of Baltimore

School of Law

(J.D., *summa cum laude*, 2004)

United States Naval Academy

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Bar Admissions

Maryland

Court Admissions

Court of Appeals of Maryland

Christopher Dean represents hospitals, physicians, physician group practices, and other health care facilities on health care regulatory and traditional business law issues.

He also advises ambulatory surgical centers and other health facilities on the Certificate of Need program, licensing and other regulatory matters.

Chris provides regulatory advice on Medicare and Medicaid billing and reimbursement, the federal Stark Law and anti-kickback statute, the Maryland Patient Referral Law, the Privacy and Security Rules of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) and the Health Information Technology for Economic and Clinical Health Act (HITECH), and telehealth.

He also counsels clients on a broad range of Advanced Payment Models under the Affordable Care Act of 2010, including the negotiation and drafting of participation agreements for the Bundled Payment for Care Improvement Advanced (BPCI Advanced) model and other advanced payment models.

Chris also advises on regulatory matters related to the merger and acquisition of health care providers, ambulatory surgery centers, and professional corporations. He negotiates and prepares complex management and professional services agreements involving health care professionals and hospitals.

He is a frequent speaker and author on Medicare and Medicaid fraud and abuse, advanced payment models, and health care legislation.