

ERICA C. MUDD

EDUCATION

University of Baltimore School of Law, Baltimore, MD

J.D., May 2005, *cum laude*

Journal: *University of Baltimore Law Forum*, Recent Developments Editor (2004-2005); Associate Editor (2004); Staff Editor (2003-2004)

Publication: *State v. Snowden*: Hearsay Statements Made By Child Abuse Victims To A Social Worker May Not Be Admitted At A Criminal Trial Through The Social Worker Under Maryland's Tender Years Statute

Activities: Legal Analysis Research & Writing I & II, Supervising Teaching Assistant (2004-2005); Teaching Assistant (2003-2004)

University of Colorado, Boulder, CO

B.A. History, May 1999

BAR ADMISSIONS

Court of Appeals of Maryland

District of Columbia Court of Appeals

United States District Court for the District of Maryland

United States District Court for the District of Columbia

United States Court of Appeals for the 4th Circuit

CURRENT POSITIONS

Armstrong, Donohue, Ceppos, Vaughan & Rhoades, Chartered, Rockville, MD

Shareholder, May 2014 to Present

Partner, January 2011 to May 2014

Associate Attorney, September 2006 to December 2010

Represent health care providers in medical negligence and personal injury actions before state and federal courts and arbitration boards in both Maryland and the District of Columbia from pre-suit notice of a claim through trial and any appellate proceedings. Also represent physicians, nurses, and other licensed professionals before professional licensing boards in both Maryland and the District of Columbia. Additional practice areas include: Appeals and General Trial Practice.

The American University Washington College of Law, Washington, D.C.
Adjunct Faculty, July 2013 – Present

Teach in the Litigation Skills Summer Institute, which is a program designed for both practitioners and law students interested in mastering litigation skills.

PAST EXPERIENCE

The Honorable Patrick L. Woodward, Court of Special Appeals of Maryland, Rockville, MD

Judicial Law Clerk, August 2005 to August 2006

Hamilton, Altman, Canale, & Dillon, LLC, Bethesda, MD

Law Clerk, June 2003 to May 2005

Rothwell, Figg, Ernst, & Manbeck, P.C., Washington, D.C.

Patent Litigation Legal Assistant, November 2001 to August 2002

Howrey, Simon, Arnold, & White, LLP, Washington, D.C.

Legal Assistant, January 2000 to October 2001

Gilberg & Kiernan, Attorneys at Law, Washington, D.C.

Legal Assistant, September 1999 to January 2000

AWARDS/RECOGNITION

Daily Record – 2018 Best Lawyers in Maryland (Medical Malpractice Law – Defendants)

Best Lawyers – 2018 Washington, D.C. (Medical Malpractice Law – Defendants)

Super Lawyers – District of Columbia Rising Star – 2017, 2016, 2015, 2014, 2013

Super Lawyers – Maryland Rising Star – 2017, 2016, 2015, 2014, 2013

MEMBERSHIPS

Maryland-DC Society for Healthcare Risk Management

Maryland State Bar Association

Montgomery County Bar Association

District of Columbia Bar Association

Defense Research Institute

LECTURES AND PRESENTATIONS

Big Problems Come in Little Packages – Series of Risk Management Presentations to Pediatricians and Pediatric Specialists (2017).

Legal Issues for the Surgical Services Nursing Staff – In-Service Presentations to Hospital OR and PACU Staff Members (2017).

Legal Issues and Forms for Physicians – Series of Presentations to Physician Groups (2016).

Informed Consent Policy Changes – In-Service Presentation and Question and Answer Session to Hospital Surgical Services Staff (2015).

Standard of Care Issues – Series of Presentations to Physician Groups (2015).

Risk Management Issues Unique to the Operating Room Nurse – Presentation to AORN Members (2015).

Peer Review – Presentation to Orthopaedic Surgery Practice (2015).

EMR and Risk Management Concerns – Presentation to MD/DC/VA Hospital Risk Managers (2015).

Mock Trial (In-Service Presentation to Hospital Nursing Staff) – Highlighting Importance of Nursing Documentation in Defending Skin Breakdown Cases (2015, 2017).

Top 10 Statutes for Physicians – Series of Presentations to Physician Groups (2014).

Defensive Documentation and Risk Management Issues – Series of Presentations to Physician Groups, Residents, Fellows, and Hospital Staff Members (2012 – 2014).

Defensive Electronic Medical Record Documentation – Series of Presentations to Physician and Nurse Groups (2011-2014).

Risk Management Issues – Orientation Presentation to Transfer Resident Physicians and Fellows (2013).

HIPAA and HITECH – Series of Presentations to Physicians Groups (2013).

Risk Management Issues for Surgical Staff Members – Presentation to Hospital-Based Operative Services Staff Members (2013).

“Bullying of the New Lawyer” - Video Presentation to New Members of the Maryland State Bar (2011-2012).

Updates in Maryland and District of Columbia Medical Malpractice Law - Presentation to Health Care System Corporate Claims Committee (2012).