



# Rachel L. King

Partner

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Rachel has more than a decade of experience spanning the intersection of healthcare policy, law, and compliance. Having served as General Counsel for two state healthcare agencies and Chief Compliance Officer of the Southeast's largest pediatric hospital system, Rachel understands the complex legal landscape of the healthcare industry and is uniquely positioned to counsel clients on a multitude of legal, regulatory, and operational matters.

As General Counsel of the Georgia Department of Community Health, Rachel played a pivotal role in providing advice and counsel on proposed healthcare legislation, policies, and regulations related to a variety of matters including Medicaid, state health benefit plans, pharmacy services, fraud, waste, and abuse in federal programs, health planning, facility licensure, and emergency management. She also worked closely with state agencies and the Attorney General's office reviewing litigation matters, engaging in negotiations, and developing legal strategies.

During her tenure as Executive Director of the Department's Office of Health Planning, Rachel oversaw the administration and operation of the state Certificate of Need (CON) program, reviewed and provided input on the impact of proposed legislation, reviewed CON decisions, determined policy, and engaged with healthcare providers and suppliers and their attorneys regarding regulatory compliance matters.

As General Counsel of the Georgia Department of Human Services, Rachel provided legal and compliance advice on matters ranging from child and elder welfare to member enrollment in federal programs.

Most recently, during her tenure as Chief Compliance Officer of Children's Healthcare of Atlanta, Inc., Rachel partnered with legal and operational teams to enhance compliance and audit policies and practices.

Rachel understands first-hand that the unique challenges healthcare clients face demand tailored legal solutions. Her collaborative business-minded approach means she works closely with clients to identify their specific needs and develop strategies that not only meet legal requirements but also foster long-term growth and success. She is a trusted advocate and a strategic partner who helps clients thrive in today's ever-changing environment.



## SERVICES

- Strategy + Planning
- Healthcare Regulatory + Compliance
- Outside General Counsel
- Outside Compliance Officer

## CREDENTIALS

### Education

- Georgia State University College of Law. Juris Doctor, 2009
- University of Georgia Athens. Bachelor of Arts, 1997

### Professional Associations

- State Bar of Georgia,
  - Health Law Section Member
  - Administrative Law Section Member
- Atlanta Bar Association,
  - CLE Board of Trustees, Member (2014-2021)
  - CLE Board of Trustees, Vice Chair (2018-2019)
  - CLE Board of Trustees, Chair (2019-2020)
  - CLE Board of Trustees, Immediate Past Chair (2020-2021)
- Atlanta Bar Association Foundation, Bard Show Member
- Georgia Society of Healthcare Compliance and Privacy Leaders
- Georgia Association for Women Lawyers, Foundation Board Officer (2017-2020)

## Admissions

- Georgia
- Georgia Supreme Court
- Georgia Court of Appeals
- United States District Court for the Northern District of Georgia

## Prior Positions

- Children's Healthcare of Atlanta, Chief Compliance Officer
- Georgia Department of Community Health, General Counsel + Executive Director, Division of Health Planning + CON Program Counsel
- Georgia Department of Human Services, General Counsel
- Convergent Resources, Inc., Corporate Human Resources Director
- Heely-Brown Co., Human Resources Director
- Transamerica Asset Management, NASD licensed Retirement Plan Consultant

## COMMUNITY

- Active Committee Chair in HOA and regular community volunteer