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Laura practices in the firm's Virginia Beach office and is a member of the firm's Commercial, Data Privacy and Security, Health Care, Senior Housing and Care Team, and Mergers, Acquisitions and Strategic Alliances practice groups. As part of her health care law practice, Laura regularly advises physicians, practices, hospitals, and long-term care providers on commercial, contractual, and regulatory matters. She also frequently assists healthcare covered entities and business associates in analyzing potential breaches of protected health information and HIPAA reporting requirements. Her commercial law practice includes advising clients on corporate law, entity formation, mergers and acquisitions, joint ventures, and strategic alliances. Laura also has experience in structuring and negotiating commercial real estate transactions, including joint ventures and preferred equity and mezzanine loan investments.

PRACTICE AREAS

- Commercial
- Health Care
- Data Privacy and Security
- Senior Housing and Care Team
- Mergers, Acquisitions & Strategic Alliances

REPRESENTATIVE MATTERS

- Advised multispecialty physician practice on reporting breach of protected health information affecting more than 3,000 individuals
- Regularly advises physicians, practices, hospitals, and long-term care providers regarding HIPAA privacy and security policies and procedures
- Regularly assists healthcare covered entities and business associates in analyzing potential breaches of protected health information and HIPAA reporting requirements

RECOGNITION AND HONORS

- Virginia Beach Health Care Law; *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch*, 2021-2023
- Millennial on the Move; *CoVaBIZ Magazine*, 2020
- Virginia's Legal Elite; *Virginia Business Magazine*, 2015-2022
- Top Lawyers; *CoVaBIZ Magazine*, 2019-2023
- Virginia Rising Stars; Health Care, 2022
- Board of Editors; *North Carolina Law Review*, 2011-2012
- Staff Member; *North Carolina Law Review*, 2010-2011
- Law Clerk to the Honorable Robert J. Conrad, Jr., U.S. District Chief Judge, Western District of North Carolina; Summer 2010

ASSOCIATIONS

- Virginia Museum of Contemporary Art; Board of Trustees
- Virginia Beach Court Appointed Special Advocates, Inc.; Board of Directors

ASSOCIATIONS (CONT.)

- Virginia Bar Association
- Norfolk-Portsmouth Bar Association
- American Health Lawyers Association
- TowneBank: Norfolk Leadership Alliance
- University of North Carolina General Alumni Association; Co-Chair, Hampton Roads Carolina Club

ADMISSIONS

- Virginia, 2012

EDUCATION

- University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill; B.S., with highest honors, 2008
- University of North Carolina School of Law; J.D., with honors, 2012

WEBINARS

- The HIPAA Breach Notification Rule and Patients' Claims for Damages

PRESS AND PUBLICATIONS

- 44 Kaufman & Canoles Attorneys named as Top Lawyers 2023 in *CoVaBIZ Magazine*
- 53 Kaufman & Canoles Attorneys Named *Virginia Business Magazine's* "Legal Elite" 2022
- 48 Kaufman & Canoles Attorneys Named Best Lawyers In America© 2023, 4 Named "Lawyer of the Year" and 8 Named "Ones To Watch"
- 17 Kaufman & Canoles Attorneys Named as Super Lawyers & 3 Named as Rising Stars in *Virginia Super Lawyers & Rising Stars 2022*
- 40 Kaufman & Canoles Attorneys Named as Top Lawyers 2022 in *CoVaBIZ Magazine*
- 52 Kaufman & Canoles Attorneys Named *Virginia Business Magazine's* "Legal Elite" 2021
- 48 Kaufman & Canoles Attorneys Named *Best Lawyers in America*© 2022, 4 Named "Lawyer of the Year," and 8 Named "Ones to Watch"
- 19 Kaufman & Canoles Attorneys Named as Super Lawyers & 3 Named as Rising Stars in *Virginia Super Lawyers & Rising Stars 2021*
- 40 Kaufman & Canoles Attorneys Named as Top Lawyers 2021 in *CoVaBIZ Magazine*
- 53 Kaufman & Canoles Attorneys Named *Virginia Business Magazine's* "Legal Elite" 2020
- 46 Kaufman & Canoles Attorneys Named to *Best Lawyers in America* 2021 and 5 Named "Lawyer of the Year" and 7 Named "Ones to Watch"
- Health Care Client Alert - Medicare Providers Can Now Apply for Additional HHS Stimulus Funding, April 28, 2020
- Health Care Client Alert - Good News for Providers Who Received HHS Relief Funds and Hopeful News for Those Who Have Not, April 2020
- Health Care Client Alert - Distribution by HHS of Relief Funds to Medicare Providers, April 2020
- Health Care Client Alert - Apply for 3 Months of Advanced Medicare Payments, April 2020
- 45 Kaufman & Canoles Attorneys Named as Top Lawyers 2020 in *CoVaBIZ Magazine*
- 48 Kaufman & Canoles Attorneys Named *Virginia Business Magazine's* Legal Elite 2019
- 48 Kaufman & Canoles Attorneys Named *Virginia Business Magazine's* Legal Elite 2018
- 40 Kaufman & Canoles Attorneys Named as Top Lawyers 2019 in *CoVaBIZ Magazine*
- 48 Kaufman & Canoles Attorneys Named to *Virginia Business Magazine's* Legal Elite 2017
- Health Care Client Alert - Health Care Compliance Update
- Data Privacy and Security Client Alert - Securing PHI on Laptops and Other Portable Devices
- 48 Kaufman & Canoles Attorneys Named to *Virginia Business Magazine's* Legal Elite 2016
- Health Care Client Alert - August 2016
- Health Care Client Alert - July 2016
- 44 Kaufman & Canoles Attorneys Named to *Virginia Business Magazine's* Legal Elite 2015
- Health Care Client Alert - Federal Government Issues Fraud Alert on Medical Directorships
- Health Care Client Alert - August 2014
- Cybersecurity Client Alert - HHS Releases HIPAA Security Risk Assessment Tool
- The Far-Reaching and Unintended Consequences of the State Corporation Commission's Newly Granted Authority to Void Transactions Between Entities That Are "Substantially the Same" Pursuant to H.B. 2102 (2013)

PRESS AND PUBLICATIONS (CONT.)

- Paradigms of Plagiarism: Fair Use and Plagiarism Detection Software in *A.V. ex rel. Vanderhye v. iParadigms, LLC*, 89 N.C. L. REV. ADDENDUM 29 (2011)