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Elyse practices health law, professional liability and general civil litigation. The major focus of Elyse's practice is health law advocacy. In this regard, she frequently represents clients in matters involving various administrative Boards and Tribunals, including committees of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario, the College of Nurses of Ontario, the College of Physiotherapists of Ontario, the Health Professions Appeal and Review Board and the Health Services Appeal and Review Board.

As well, Elyse provides opinions and general advice on various health law issues, including matters involving public hospitals, protection of personal health information and end-of-life decision-making. She has also been active in assisting professional organizations in creating their own regulatory structure and in seeking

regulation under the Regulated Health Professions Act.

Elyse advocates for her clients in everything from obtaining licensure for their independent health facilities to lobbying for legislative change. She also regularly assists health professionals in preparing for inspections and audits, including peer reviews and other assessments.

Elyse frequently presents to various groups on issues relating to health law and has also authored various articles.

## AREAS OF PRACTICE AND INDUSTRY SPECIALTY

- **Health Law** - providing advice and representation on various regulatory, administrative and litigation matters.
- **Dispute Resolution** - civil litigation in corporate, commercial, employment and other disputes.

## EDUCATION

- Called to the Ontario Bar, 1999
- University of Western Ontario, LL.B. 1997
- University of Western Ontario, B.A. 1994

## MEMBERSHIPS

- Law Society of Upper Canada
- Advocates' Society
- Ontario Bar Association
- Medico-Legal Society of Toronto
- Toronto Lawyers Association