

Andrew Ferrer

Partner

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Andrew has more than 15 years of experience assisting major healthcare entities in navigating a range of complex legal issues.

Andrew blends academic rigor with practical experience. His legal experience encompasses a wide spectrum, including day-to-day business operations and services, regulatory compliance, contractual matters, corporate governance, mergers and acquisitions, healthcare privacy (HIPAA), patient rights, academic affiliations, and proficiency in healthcare licensing matters for new ventures, construction/renovations, renewals and service line changes, such as plan review, survey and licensure, ownership transfers, essential service closures, drug control registration, laboratory registration, payor enrollment, and the Determination of Need process.

Andrew's client roster includes large hospital networks and health systems, clinics, ambulatory surgery centers, satellite emergency facilities, urgent care providers, imaging facilities, physician groups, nursing homes, hospices, home health agencies, trade associations, and individual practitioners. Recognized for his adept problem-solving skills, Andrew has successfully fostered cooperation between clients and government agencies, such as the Massachusetts Department of Public Health, the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, and MassHealth.

Amidst the challenges posed by the COVID-19 pandemic, Andrew has showcased adaptability and strategic thinking, providing crucial counsel on emergency orders, health protocol guidance, testing procedures, infection reporting, and the establishment of field hospitals.

Andrew most recently served as a Partner at Barrett, Harrell & Ferrer LLC. Beyond professional achievements, Andrew's commitment to fostering an innovative and inclusive healthcare sector is deeply personal. As the father of a daughter with special needs, he brings a unique perspective to his work. Clients can trust Andrew's established reputation for unwavering dedication, legal acumen, and strategic insight.

Services/Industries

- Health Care & Life Sciences

Education

- Boston College Law School (J.D.)
- Williams College (B.A., *cum laude*)

Bar Admissions

- Massachusetts

Memberships

- Boston Bar Association

Honors

- Selected by peers for inclusion *Massachusetts Super Lawyers*®, 2021 – 2023
- *Boston Magazine's Top Lawyers*, 2022 – 2023
- Listed in *Best Lawyers*®, 2024

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Court and Other Admissions

- U.S. District Court of Massachusetts

Publications & Podcasts

April 18, 2024

Don't Wait – CMS Expects Hospitals to Take Action on Informed Consent for Certain Exams and Procedures

February 9, 2024

Telehealth and the Evolving Landscape of Medicare Requirements