

Alma E. Carver

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Alma Carver is passionate about the health care industry and understands the numerous complexities and legal issues that can impact health care-related businesses. She is dedicated to providing effective, efficient, innovative legal health care solutions. Clients rely on Alma to analyze each health care matter and develop a strategic approach to representation based on the client's immediate and long-term goals. She assists clients through performing research and analysis of:

- State and federal health care regulations
- Physician employment agreements and non-compete laws
- State self-referral prohibitions and anti-kickback provisions
- Scope of practice and licensure for various health care professionals

Prior to law school, Alma worked in public health and health care industries, where she managed and directed large-scale programs and worked with stakeholders at all levels. Alma is a certified PMP®.

Education

- Saint Louis University School of Law (J.D., *cum laude*, 2021)
- SDA Bocconi School of Management (MIHMEP, *cum laude*, 2013)
 - International Healthcare Management, Economics and Policy
- Washington University in St. Louis (B.A., 2009)
 - Anthropology
 - Economics

Bar Admissions

- Missouri
- Illinois

Memberships

- American Bar Association
- Bar Association of Metropolitan St. Louis

Capabilities

- Health Care
- Behavioral Health

- American Health Law Association
- Illinois Association of Healthcare Attorneys
- Missouri Hospital Association

Recognition

- Named one of *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch® in America* in Health Care Law, 2025-2026
- National Health Care and Life Sciences Practice, 23rd Annual Health Care and Life Sciences Writing Competition, 2021 Second Place Award. Reconsidering Controlled Human Infection Studies in a Paradigm Favoring Placebo Controlled Trials.
- Alpha Sigma Nu Jesuit Honors Society
- Academic Excellence Awards for: Antitrust and Health Care Markets (Fall 2019), Seminar: Emerging Health Technologies (Fall 2020), Transactional Health Care Practice (Spring 2021),
- Journal for Health Law & Policy Editor; Lead Editor of the Year (2020-21); Staff Editor of the Year (2019-20)

Certificates

- Project Management Certificate Program (2016), University of Texas at Austin
- Project Management Professional Certification, Active
- Global Health Delivery Intensive Certificate Program (2014), Harvard Medical School and Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health

Community

- Edwardsville Community Unit School District #7
 - Vice President
- United Way of Greater St. Louis, Leadership Society

Publications

February 2025

2025 Health Care Reimbursement Newsletter

January 4, 2024

Reimbursement End-of-Year Highlights