

Keith C. Volpi

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Keith Volpi is a savvy litigator who helps clients manage enterprise risk and defend high-stakes, high-exposure litigation. Keith tailors his approach to align with each client's business objectives, focusing on strategies that achieve results both inside and outside the courtroom.

Keith primarily serves as lead litigation counsel and manages enterprise risk for an NFL team. As Chair of Polsinelli's Health Care Professional Liability practice, Keith also serves as lead trial counsel in the Kansas City market for the nation's largest for-profit health system. Keith routinely advises legal and business teams on litigation exposure, crisis response and operational decision-making that may carry downstream legal implications, helping clients anticipate risks before they escalate.

Across industries, clients rely on Keith to protect their interests and manage risk effectively. His practical, business-minded counsel helps organizations navigate high-stakes disputes while maintaining focus on their long-term goals and bottom line.

In addition to his trial work, Keith partners with clients to evaluate enterprise-wide vulnerabilities, develop mitigation strategies and strengthen internal processes that support sustainable risk management. He is known for being highly responsive, collaborative and focused on clear communication – qualities that help clients make confident decisions amid complex and fast-moving challenges.

Education

- Creighton University (J.D., *cum laude*, 2006)
 - Dean's List; Creighton Law Review, Lead Articles Editor; Moot Court Board of Directors, Director
- University of Iowa (B.B.A., 2003)
 - Finance/Marketing; Dean's List
- Harvard University (Coursework, 2002)

Bar Admissions

- Missouri, 2006

Capabilities

- Health Care Litigation
- Sports & Entertainment
- Commercial Litigation
- Litigation

- Kansas, 2007

Memberships

- Kansas City Metropolitan Bar Association
- Christian Legal Society – Kansas City

Recognition

- Selected for inclusion in *Best Lawyers in America*® for Mass Tort Litigation / Class Actions - Defendants, 2024
- *Benchmark Litigation* Top Litigators Under 40 Recognition: 2016-2021
- *Super Lawyers* "Rising Star," 2013-Present
- Named "Future Star" by *Benchmark Litigation*, 2021-Present

Civic and Community Involvement

- Kansas City Metropolitan Bar Association, Lawyers Encouraging Academic Performance, Director: 2019-Present
- Man Up - Kansas City, Director: 2024-present
- Liberty Women's Clinic Board of Directors, Director: 2017-2024
- Office of Chief Disciplinary Counsel Region IV Disciplinary Committee, Member: 2016-2019
- Rebuilding Together Clay County Board of Directors, Director: 2012-2018

Matters

- Lead enterprise risk and litigation counsel for an NFL team.
- Lead regional trial counsel for the largest health care system in the nation.
- Counsel to countless health care professionals in actions before state licensing boards.