



# John P. Carney

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John is an active member of the firm's Government Relations team, and also chairs two significantly regulated practice areas: Health Care and Cannabis.

He counsels a broad range of health care providers and payers - individual physicians, multi-specialty physician practices, dental practices, hospitals, insurance companies and a range of other community health providers. John assists these clients with corporate health care law issues, including medical practice formation and practice acquisition, contract review and preparation, employment grievances, medical practice compliance, fraud and abuse and Stark law compliance, internal investigations, Medicare, Medicaid and third party reimbursement issues, COVID-19 health and safety measures, procurement activities and internal dispute resolution. He also has represented physicians and other health care professionals in licensing board investigations and peer review matters.

John was a three-term member of the Ohio General Assembly. During his time in the legislature, John served as the ranking member of the Insurance Committee, vice chair of the Finance Committee, vice chair of the Health and Aging Committee and served as an appointee to the Joint Committee on Agency Rule Review (JCARR). John was particularly focused on health care law issues in the legislature which benefits his clients as it informs his advice in advancing their business interests. This experience is particularly helpful for his client advocacy efforts in the Ohio General Assembly and with the governor's office.

**As a result of John's combined legal and legislative experience, he possesses the ability to solve complex issues in a creative and collaborative manner.**

John has navigated a range of regulatory issues for clients at the state and federal level. These engagements have resulted in client advocacy with the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, Health and Human

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## EDUCATION

The Ohio State University Michael  
E. Moritz College of Law, J.D., 2001

The Ohio State University, B.A.,  
1998

## SERVICES

### Government & Regulatory Affairs

- Legislative advocacy
- Regulatory advocacy
- Economic development

### Health Care

- Physicians and related organizations
- Litigation
- Antitrust counseling and litigation, including clinical integration
- Fraud and abuse counseling, defense, prevention and compliance

Services, the Ohio Department of Medicaid, the Ohio Department of Health, the Ohio Department of Insurance, the Ohio Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services, the Ohio Department of Agriculture, the Ohio Department of Public Safety, the Ohio Department of Commerce, Ohio Homeland Security, the Ohio Department of Administrative Services, the Ohio Office of Budget and Management, JobsOhio, the Development Services Agency, the Ohio Department of Developmental Disabilities, the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency, the Ohio Department of Workers' Compensation, the Ohio Department of Jobs and Family Services, the Ohio Ethics Commission, the Joint Legislative Ethics Commission and the Ohio Department of Taxation.

## BAR ADMISSIONS

- Ohio

## PUBLIC SERVICE

- Ohio General Assembly, State Representative, 22nd District, 2009-2014

## PRESENTATIONS

- "State of Play: The Ohio Cannabis Legislative Battle Towards Legalization," Young Association of Corporate Growth, May 11, 2023
- "Legislative and Judicial Update," Central Ohio Association of Corporate Counsel, Jan. 31, 2023
- "Scouting Ahead! The Ohio General Assembly's COVID-19 Legislative Approach," Porter Wright Employment Relations Webinar, Nov. 9, 2021
- "Getting Back to Business: Post-COVID Policies & Regulations," Greater Cincinnati European American Chamber of Commerce, March 31, 2021
- "Medical Marijuana in Ohio: 2021 Update," Ohio State Medical Association Symposium, March 9, 2021
- "Cleveland Post-COVID-19: What's Next for our Business Community?" Porter Wright, June 25, 2020
- "Telehealth During the COVID-19 Pandemic," Columbus Medical Association, April 2, 2020
- "Trends in Reinsurance and Insurance," Ohio Insurance Institute Continuing Legal Education Symposium, March 3, 2020
- "Post-Election Forecast," Columbus Chamber Government Spotlight Series, Dec. 4, 2018

## PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

- American Health Lawyers Association
- Columbus Bar Association
- Ohio State Bar Association

## HONORS | AWARDS

- *The Best Lawyers in America*®
- Ohio Super Lawyers, Rising Stars Edition
- County Engineers Association, Legislator of the Year, 2013
- Ohio Association of Justice, Legislator of the Year, 2013

## SERVICES (CONTINUED)

### Health Care

- Regulatory and legislative advice
- Reimbursement and overpayment audit defense
- Business governance and best practices

### Labor & Employment

- Executive compensation

### Cannabis

### LGBTQ+ Business

### Environmental

- Chemical industry

### Business Growth & Operation

- Chemicals

- Central Ohio Association of Justice, Legislator of the Year, 2013
- Central OEA/NEA, Friend of Education Award, 2013
- AIDS Resource Center of Ohio, Spirit of Healing Award, 2013
- Mid-Ohio District Nurses Association, Legislator of the Year, 2011
- Voices for Ohio Children Award, 2011
- Friend of Education Award, Worthington Education Association, 2010
- Ohio Chapter of American Academy of Pediatrics, Antoinette Parisi Eaton Child Advocate of the Year Award, 2010
- ARC of Ohio, Freshman Legislator of the Year, 2009
- *Columbus Business First*, Forty Under 40