

Andrew A. Schillinger

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Andrew has more than 20 years of experience as a health care attorney and compliance officer advising hospital systems, physician practices, academic medicine networks, health sciences professional education programs and diverse clinical therapy practices.

He has extensive experience in the areas of Medicare and Medicaid compliance, reimbursement, Anti-Kickback Statute, False Claims Act, beneficiary inducement civil monetary penalties law, fraud and abuse, the Emergency Medical Treatment and Labor Act (EMTALA), information privacy and security (e.g. HIPAA compliance), graduate medical education programs, risk assessments and designing and implementing an effective health care compliance program.

Andrew served as Assistant Attorney General for the Washington State Office of the Attorney General, providing in-house legal services to Washington State University. In 2021, he was honored with the Excellence Award from the Attorney General for outstanding performance.

Prior to his role as Assistant Attorney General, Andrew served as Director of Compliance for Providence's Washington and Montana Service Areas. He has also served as the Director of Risk Management & Compliance at Inland Northwest Health Services where his position included being the HIPAA privacy and security officer.

Services

Public Finance & Municipal Government

Health Care

Privacy, Cybersecurity & Data Protection

Admissions

Washington



Throughout his career, Andrew has embraced a collaborative and multidisciplinary approach to resolve complex legal, compliance and risk management issues. He holds a J.D. from Gonzaga University School of Law and a B.A. in Politics from Whitman College.

Education

J.D., Gonzaga University School of Law, cum laude

- Gonzaga Law Review, Associate Editor
- L. Warren Hanel Bankruptcy Scholarship Recipient
- Saul Lefkowitz Moot Court Team (Intellectual Property)
- B.A., Whitman College, Politics
 - Whitman College Presidential Scholarship
 - Whitman College Varsity Basketball Team, Captain 1995-1997

Clerkships

Legal Extern to Hon. John Rossmeissl, U.S. Bankruptcy Court, Eastern District of Washington

Honors & Recognition

Excellence Award, Attorney General, 2021

Rising Star, Super Lawyers, 2010

Professional Activities

American Health Law Association, Member, 2013-present

American Society for Healthcare Risk Management, Member, 2013-2018

National Association of College and University Attorneys (NACUA), Member, 2019-present

Community Activities

Brain Injury Association of Washington, Spokane Chapter, President, 2009-2012



St. Luke's Rehabilitation Institute Community Advisory, Board Member and Vice-Chair, 2009-2013

St. Mark's Lutheran Church, Usher, 2023-present

West Valley Education Foundation, Board Member, 2012-2015

Youth Basketball Coach, 2021-present

News

Foster Garvey Welcomes Municipal, Health & Housing Counsel Andrew Schillinger in Spokane *Foster Garvey Newsroom*, 11.11.24

Speaking Engagements

"Finding Balance in Combatting the Opioid Epidemic. Supporting Patient Centered Care While Stemming the Tide of Opioid Related Harms," Providence Health System Speaking Engagement 9.18

"Does Your Compliance Program Measure Up?" 2017 Second Annual Spokane Audit and Risk Forum Speaking Engagement 9.13.17

"Battling the Opioid Epidemic - Regulatory Efforts and Enforcement Trends," Washington Department of Health, Nursing Care Quality Assurance Commission Speaking Engagement 9.7.17

Publications

Student Health Clinics: To Bill or Not to Bill Payers for Services, the Legal Implications, Risks, and Strategies for Complying with the Law and Reducing Risk *NACUANOTES, Vol. 22, No.3*, 5.29.24

AHLA - How Does This Work? Using Mobile Health Technology While Protecting Your Privacy 16