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To properly represent a client, a lawyer must understand the client's goals, desires, fears and motivations. I strive to build lasting relationships with my clients that allow me to develop practical and efficient solutions to the problems they face.

Mr. Croce focuses his practice in the field of healthcare. His work includes representing clients in hospital reimbursement matters before the Department of Health and the Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services. He provides counsel on issues related to contracting, civil litigation and professional licensing matters, and represents a variety of healthcare industry clients including physicians, dentists, hospitals and for-profit and non-profit healthcare systems.

Mr. Croce also has substantial experience defending attorneys and other licensed professionals against claims of malpractice and ethics grievances.

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REPRESENTATIVE MATTERS

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- Represented hospitals in Medicaid rate appeals and Medicaid calculation error appeals
- Represented hospitals in connection with appeals of their Medicaid Disproportionate Share Hospital subsidy allocations, including

Departments

Healthcare
Litigation

Education

Seton Hall University School of Law, J.D., *cum laude*, 2008
Arizona State University, B.A., 1998

Bar Admissions

New Jersey, 2008
New York, 2009
U.S. District Court, District of New Jersey, 2008

appeals of their Graduate Medical Education and Charity Care subsidies

- Represented healthcare providers in connection with commercial payor reimbursement disputes
- Represented hospitals in contract disputes with physicians, physician groups and other service providers
- Represented health care professionals in matters before their professional licensing boards
- Represented physicians in the negotiation of employment agreements
- Represented physician in connection with investigation conducted by New Jersey Office of the Attorney General
- Represented hospital system in responding to investigative subpoena served upon it by the United States Department of Justice
- Represented attorneys in defense of claims of legal malpractice by both clients and non-clients

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- Healthcare Financial Management Association New Jersey Chapter: Regulatory & Reimbursement Committee Co-Chair

PUBLICATIONS & ALERTS

Co-Author, 340B Underpayment Remedy Remanded to HHS

Greenbaum, Rowe, Smith & Davis LLP Healthcare Perspectives Blog, January 24, 2023

Co-Author, A Primer on Medicare Graduate Medical Education Payments: What Hospitals Should Know About How the Government Calculates GME Reimbursement

Garden State Focus, Winter 2022

Co-Author, A Look at a Successful Hospital Challenge to CMS's DGME Calculation – and Some More Recent Cases Overturning Agency Action

Greenbaum, Rowe, Smith & Davis LLP Healthcare Perspectives Blog, December 12, 2022

Co-Author, A Primer on Medicare Graduate Medical Education Payments

Greenbaum, Rowe, Smith & Davis LLP Client Alert, November 29, 2022

Co-Author, CMS Issues OPPI/ASC Payment System Final Rule and Physician Fee Schedule Final Rule

Greenbaum, Rowe, Smith & Davis LLP Healthcare Perspectives Blog, November 11, 2022

Author, Select New Jersey is Considering Expanding the County Option Hospital Fee Program

Greenbaum, Rowe, Smith & Davis LLP Healthcare Perspectives Blog, July 6, 2022

Author, HHS Announces Additional Distributions From the Public Health and Social Services Emergency Fund

Greenbaum, Rowe, Smith & Davis LLP Client Alert, June 17, 2020

Author, Department of Health and Human Services Issues Reimbursement Guidance for Treatment of Uninsured COVID-19 Patients; Opens Uninsured Program Portal

Greenbaum, Rowe, Smith & Davis LLP Client Alert, April 28, 2020

Co-Author, HHS Issues Stimulus Payments Under CARES Act to Eligible Providers

Greenbaum, Rowe, Smith & Davis LLP Client Alert, April 22, 2020

Co-Author, Governor Murphy Signs Executive Order 113 Authorizing the Taking of Private Property to Combat the COVID-19 Crisis

Greenbaum, Rowe, Smith & Davis LLP Client Alert, April 6, 2020

Co-Author, Title III of the CARES Act: Supporting America's Health Care System in the Fight Against the Coronavirus

Greenbaum, Rowe, Smith & Davis LLP Client Alert, March 31, 2020

Author, New Jersey Imposes Mandatory Reporting Requirements on Post-Acute Facilities During COVID-19 Crisis: First Reporting Deadline is Today (March 23, 2020) at 5:00pm

Greenbaum, Rowe, Smith & Davis LLP Client Alert, March 23, 2020

Author, The Calculation of Uncompensated Care Costs in Medicaid DSH Audits: Where Do We Stand?

NJHFMA's Garden State Focus Magazine, Spring 2019, Volume 65, No 3

Co-Author, CMS Issues Its FY 2017 IPPS Final Rule: The Clock Strikes Midnight On The Two Midnight Rule's Payment Reductions

Garden State Focus, Winter 2016, Vol. 63, No. 2