

Melany Birdsong

Consulting Counsel

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Melany serves as consulting counsel to Wiley. She currently concentrates her practice on representing health plans with respect to government-sponsored program lines of business, with expertise in the Medicare Part D and Medicaid managed care programs and complex contracts for pharmacy benefits in the public and commercial spheres. Melany has a broad spectrum of experience across the payer-provider continuum of care.

Professional Experience

- Counsels clients with respect to strategic contracting initiatives.
- Negotiates, drafts, and administers large ancillary services contracts, including pharmacy benefit management and dental contracts.
- Represents clients in contract disputes with industry-leading national vendors.
- Supports clients in the development and execution of community investment strategies.

Practice Areas

Health Care
Medicare Drug Pricing
Pharmacy Benefit Manager (PBM)
Contracting

Credentials

Education
J.D., University of Arkansas William H. Bowen Law School
M.P.H., University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences

Bar and Court Memberships
District of Columbia Bar
Washington State Bar