

Medical Malpractice *Defense*



Damon & Morey

ATTORNEYS AT LAW LLP

Partners

Julie M. Bargnesi
 Patrick B. Curran
 Thomas J. Drury
 Amy A. Flaherty
 Anthony F. Pegnia, Jr.
 Kathleen M. Reilly
 Sharyn G. Rogers
 Marylou K. Roshia
 Vincent G. Saccomando
 Barbara L. Schifeling
 Michael J. Willett

Special Counsel

Eric C. Naegely

Associates

James E. Balcarczyk
 Jesse B. Baldwin
 Melinda L. Grabowski
 Colleen K. Mattrey
 Patric R. O'Brien
 Meghann N. Roehl
 Heidi Brauer Ruchala

▲ PRACTICE GROUP MEMBERS

Few firms in Western New York have had as much involvement in the defense of professional and medical malpractice litigation as Damon & Morey LLP. As counsel for many of the nation's major insurers along with Buffalo's most prestigious hospitals and medical groups, Damon & Morey has represented a great number of institutions, physicians and other individuals in all types of cases. The firm is regularly called upon to provide day-to-day legal counseling on a wide variety of issues in health law and other professional areas.

Our firm employs registered nurse-para-legals to assist in medical malpractice work. Their credentials are invaluable in obtaining important medical information and in locating those crucial experts needed to analyze medical-legal dilemmas and testify on the client's behalf.

Risk management is an essential element of our practice. Our attorneys regularly counsel hospital administrators on the best methods of preventing litigation while exercising sound medical judgment.

Although we work to avoid litigation whenever possible, our trial attorneys are highly skilled, aggressive litigators who have long been recognized in the legal community. Our reputation has proved useful during settlement negotiations, as our adversaries understand that our attorneys stand ready to go to trial if an equitable settlement cannot be reached.