

Karen H. Stiles

PARTNER



Practicing in medical malpractice for the past 20 years, Karen is a partner on the firm's Medical Malpractice team in Charlotte and has successfully defended physicians, physician assistants, nurse practitioners, nurses, hospitals, and nursing homes in a multitude of cases involving virtually every medical specialty.

Karen has been a counselor to many health care providers in litigating allegations of medical malpractice and wrongful death through trial, as well as a counselor for health care providers before their governing boards for investigations. Her experience includes cases in:

- General surgery
- Anesthesia
- Cardiology
- Neurology
- Obstetrics and gynecology

When Karen is not working, she enjoys traveling, scuba diving, volunteering at church, and spending time with her husband and two daughters.

BAR & COURT ADMISSIONS

North Carolina, 2002

SERVICE LINE

Litigation & Disputes

INDUSTRY SECTOR

Financial Institutions &
Insurance
Health Care
Hospitality, Leisure, & Sports
Manufacturing
Real Estate, Construction, &
Development

PRIMARY LOCATION

Charlotte, NC

EDUCATION

J.D., Campbell University,
2002

PROFESSIONAL & COMMUNITY AFFILIATIONS

- Mecklenburg County Bar Association
- North Carolina Bar Association
- American Bar Association
- North Carolina Association of Defense Attorneys, Board of Directors; Chair of the Medical Malpractice Committee, 2017-2018

B.A., University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 1994

HONORS

- *Best Lawyers in America*, 2020 – 2024
- *North Carolina Lawyers Weekly* Diversity & Inclusion Awards Honoree, 2021
- North Carolina Rising Star by *Super Lawyers* magazine, 2012