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Paul Schuster represents healthcare providers on a range of litigation and regulatory matters, including contractual disputes, statutory violations, industry regulations, business torts and class actions. He also has extensive experience representing clients in technology, antitrust, securities, owner/shareholder, consumer finance, insurance and real estate disputes.

Prior to joining Bracewell, Paul was a litigation partner at an international law firm. He also served as a law clerk to the Honorable Joseph T. Sneed of the US Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit.

Industries

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Experience

Health plan

- dispute with selling entities over matters covered by membership interest purchase agreement*

National distributor

- defended client in a lawsuit brought by competitor asserting per se antitrust violations*

Hospitals

- antitrust suits where physicians were alleging anticompetitive conduct and various antitrust allegations*

Private equity fund

- antitrust claims against major competitor in medical device industry*

Physicians

- disputes with physician-led acquiring entity*

Medical device manufacturer

- represented industry newcomer in unfair competition claim against market-dominant player*

* *Work completed prior to Bracewell*

Credentials

Education

- The University of Texas School of Law, J.D., 1992, *with high honors, Chancellor at Large, Order of the Coif*
- University of Pennsylvania, B.A., 1989, *summa cum laude, Phi Beta Kappa*

Bar Admissions

- Texas

Affiliations

- Texas Bar Foundation, Life Fellow
- Dallas Bar Foundation, Life Fellow
- Dallas Bar Association
- Morris Harrell Professionalism Committee of Dallas Bar Association

Recognition

BL Rankings

- *The Best Lawyers in America*, Health Care Law, 2025; Litigation – Health Care, 2025

D Magazine

- "Best Lawyers" in Dallas, 2019 – 2024

US Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit

- Judicial Law Clerk

The University of Texas School of Law

- *Texas Law Review*, Articles Editor