

**ERIN E. RICHARDSON**

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**SELECTED PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**FEDERATION OF AMERICAN HOSPITALS**, Washington, DC

*Senior Vice President, Government Affairs and Counsel*, June 2020 – Present

*Vice President and Associate General Counsel*, February 2017 – June 2020

- Executive leader providing strategy, expertise, and project management across policy, legal, government relations, and public relations to successfully deliver on FAH priorities.
- Lead the FAH government relations team, including managing direct report staff, contractors, and consultants and overseeing a budget of nearly \$5 million.
- Advise FAH members on legal, regulatory, and legislative policy issues, with a focus on Medicare hospital and physician billing and reimbursement; Medicare Advantage; value-based payment and delivery system reform; compliance and program integrity, including conditions of participation, physician self-referral, and Anti-Kickback Statute; privacy and security of health information, and health information technology (health IT).
- Develop and implement FAH regulatory and legislative policy and advocacy strategies, including analyzing and responding to regulations and legislation; representing the FAH before Congress and the administration; and strategically building, and driving FAH participation in, stakeholder coalitions and alliances.
- Manage FAH legal needs, including working with outside counsel on amicus briefs and relevant court cases, participating in settlement negotiations with the administration, and ensuring FAH compliance with relevant laws and regulations.

**WHITE HOUSE DOMESTIC POLICY COUNCIL**, Washington, DC

*Senior Policy Advisor, Health*, June 2015 – January 2017

- Formulated and executed the President’s health policy agenda, with a focus on developing and advancing policies related to Medicare, value-based payment and delivery system reform, health IT, program integrity, and health care quality.
- Managed complex policy development and execution across various departments within the White House and related agencies, including strategic planning and review and approval of regulations, initiatives, and public-facing materials.
- Worked with Congress to advance the administration’s legislative priorities.
- Represented the White House at events and meetings with stakeholders.

**COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS, SUBCOMMITTEE ON HEALTH**, Washington, DC

*Health Counsel/Professional Staff*, May 2012 – June 2015

- Developed, negotiated, and built broad stakeholder support to deliver bipartisan legislation, including to permanently repeal and replace the Medicare sustainable growth rate (SGR).
- Developed and advanced the health policy agenda for the Ranking Member and Committee democrats and advised House Leadership and the Democratic Caucus with a focus on Medicare, including hospital and physician reimbursement, quality, delivery system reform, program integrity, health IT, and Medicare Advantage.
- Crafted policy and legislation, in consultation and collaboration with with the administration, the Congressional Budget Office (CBO), and Members of Congress and staff.
- Reviewed and analyzed regulations and implementation and advocated for administration policies consistent with congressional intent.

- Prepared for Committee hearings, including witness selection and background memoranda.
- Cultivated relationships with stakeholders and policy experts and represented the Committee at events and on expert panels.

**OFFICE OF SENATOR SHERROD BROWN (D-OH), Washington, DC**

*Legislative Assistant for Health, June 2011 – May 2012*

- Crafted the Senator’s health and Social Security policy agendas, including developing policy options and legislation, analyzing proposed legislation and regulations, and monitoring implementation of the Affordable Care Act and other health-related legislation.
- Communicated the immediate and long-term benefits of health reform in a concise and approachable format to constituents and other stakeholders.
- Cultivated relationships with constituents, local and national businesses, providers, trade associations, advocacy groups, and policy experts and represented the Senator at events.
- Drafted background memoranda, remarks, and messaging materials.
- Supervised the Legislative Correspondent and Legislative Fellows.

**DAVID A. WINSTON HEALTH POLICY FELLOWSHIP, Washington, DC**

*Fellow, June 2010 – June 2011*

- Selected as one of two postgraduate health policy fellows to undertake a three-month rotation of visits to key policy development centers and a nine-month full-time government placement.
- Placement: Committee on Ways & Means, Subcommittee on Health.

**AKIN GUMP STRAUSS HAUER & FELD, LLP, Washington, DC**

*Summer Associate, May 2009 – July 2009*

- Advised clients on Medicare and Medicaid regulations and congressional investigations.
- Researched and drafted materials for health care reform meetings with congressional and administration staff.
- Successfully advocated for a pro-bono client in an immigration and domestic violence case.

EDUCATION

**COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, New York, NY**

J.D., Harlan Fiske Stone Scholar, received May 2010, Bar Admission: New York

**CASE WESTERN RESERVE UNIVERSITY, Cleveland, OH**

M.A., Bioethics, received May 2006

**WELLESLEY COLLEGE, Wellesley, MA**

B.A., English, *magna cum laude*, received May 2003

Study Abroad: Trinity College, Dublin, Ireland, October 2001 – June 2002

BOARD MEMBERSHIPS

**DAVID A. WINSTON HEALTH POLICY FELLOWSHIP, Washington, DC**

Member, Fellowship Selection Committee

**NATIONAL YOUTH SCIENCE FOUNDATION, Charleston, WV**

Vice Chair, Executive Committee; Chair, Human Resources Committee