



# Christopher B. Begin

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Christopher focuses his practice on health care law and earned his J.D. from Capital University Law School. His experience includes extensive participation with a number of law school groups and organizations, including Military Law Society president, three years of brief writing and advocacy involvement in Moot Court, two years in his school's Law Review, and student coordinator for the John E. Sullivan Lecture. Outside of the classroom, Christopher honed his skills of solving complex legal issues through his internship experience with the federal attorney's office.

Before entering law school, Christopher served on active duty in the United States Army, which included three overseas tours and a combat tour with the 3rd Infantry Division. While working at Dinsmore, Christopher transitioned his military specialty to the Judge Advocate General's Corps, and he continues his service as a Judge Advocate in the United States Army Reserve. Judge Advocates take on a variety of legal duties, including military prosecutions and defense, legal assistance to service members and their dependents, and advice to commanders on the law of armed conflict. The unique skills Christopher learned throughout his military enable him to analyze complex legal problems and act decisively on his clients' behalf, balancing their legal and practical needs.

## **Services**

Health Care Industry

#### **Education**

- Capital University School of Law (J.D., cum laude, 2020)
  - o CALI Award for Excellence: Legal Analysis and Writing I, Torts I, Law and American History
  - o Order of the Barristers for recognition of excellence in brief writing and advocacy
  - o Ambassador Award for recognition of promotion of university mission and values
  - o Pro Bono Legal Honors
  - o Capital University Law Review, Associate Board
  - o Capital University Law School Moot Court, Leadership Board
- The Ohio State University (B.A., 2009)

#### **Bar Admissions**



Ohio

## Affiliations/Memberships

- U.S. Army Reserve
- · Ohio State Bar Association
- · Columbus Bar Association
- · American Health Lawyer's Association

# **Publications**

April 7, 2025

You've Got A Friend In Me: House Bill 236 Requires Providers to Accommodate Patient's Chosen Advocates

July 3, 2024

Ohio Set to Enter the Dentist and Dental Hygienist Compact and End "Unethical" Dental Insurance Practices

May 20, 2024

Department of Health and Human Services Aligns Substance Use Disorder Privacy Rules with HIPAA Standards

April 26, 2024

Questions Abound in the Healthcare Industry after Federal Trade Commission Bans Non-Competes

November 8, 2023

Ohio Votes for the Decriminalization of Marijuana

September 6, 2023

Ohio's Opioid Fight: Board of Pharmacy's Regulation of Office-Based Opioid Treatment Clinics Axed

July 20, 2023

The Buckeye State Making Major Changes to its Medical Marijuana Control Program

May 12, 2023

CMS-Certified Healthcare Facilities Left in the "Waiting Room" After Other COVID Vaccination Requirements End

March 14, 2023

Deja Vu or a Glitch in the Matrix: The End of the Public Health Emergency

June 28, 2022

340B Hospital Payment Cuts Unanimously Overturned by Supreme Court



March 25, 2022

Temporary Changes to Telehealth Medicare Reimbursement Signed Into Law

January 14, 2022

Supreme Court Allows Enforcement of COVID-19 Vaccine Mandate for Health Care Workers

December 1, 2021

Federal Court Pauses CMS COVID-19 Vaccine Mandate For Health Care Workers; Employers May Still Require Employee Vaccination

November 5, 2021

CMS Requires COVID-19 Vaccine for Health Care Workers at all Facilities Participating in Medicare and Medicaid

May 3, 2021

CMS Proposes Increases to Hospital Reimbursement Rates and GME Residency Caps with a Focus on Rural Hospitals

February 8, 2021

X-Waiver Changes Axed: Federal Government Backtracks on Previously Announced Rescission of Waiver Requirements