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Jessamyn has significant experience in the health care and financial services space, representing major health plans and insurers in both state and federal courts, and advising health care clients regarding regulatory compliance.

**OVERVIEW**

Jessamyn is a partner in the firm's Consumer Financial Services practice, based in Los Angeles. She focuses her practice on the health insurance and managed health care sectors. Jessamyn represents major health plans and insurers in complex litigation in both state and federal courts, including actions for breach of contract, bad faith denial of benefits, ERISA benefits, and unfair competition, among others, with particular emphasis on out-of-network provider reimbursement disputes.

Jessamyn's experience includes advising clients regarding regulatory compliance and representing health care clients in administrative proceedings. She has also represented clients in the energy, entertainment, and technology industries.

Prior to joining the firm, Jessamyn was a judicial law clerk to the Honorable Jacqueline H. Nguyen of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit, and was a partner at a national law firm.

**TOP AREAS OF FOCUS**

- Financial Services
- Health Care + Life Sciences
- Litigation + Trial
- Managed Care Payor Disputes, Investigations + Regulatory Counseling

**ALL AREAS OF FOCUS**

- Consumer Financial Services
- Financial Services
- Financial Services Litigation
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### Health Care + Life Sciences

- Health Care Litigation
- Litigation + Trial
- Managed Care Payor Disputes, Investigations + Regulatory Counseling

## **PROFESSIONAL/COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT**

- Member, Los Angeles County Bar Association
- Member, American Health Lawyers Association
- Member, California Society for Healthcare Attorneys
- Member, American Bar Association Health Law Section

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

- Judicial law clerk, Hon. Jacqueline H. Nguyen, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit, 2012-2013
- Judicial law clerk, Hon. Jacqueline H. Nguyen, U.S. District Court for the Central District of California, 2011-2012
- Extern, Hon. Jacqueline H. Nguyen, U.S. District Court for the Central District of California, 2010
- Extern, Hon. Kim McLane Wardlaw, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit, 2009

## **EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATIONS**

### **EDUCATION**

- University of California, Los Angeles School of Law, J.D., 2011, managing editor, *Women's Law Journal*
- University of California, Los Angeles, B.A., *summa cum laude*, 2008, Dean's List

### **BAR ADMISSIONS**

- California

### **COURT ADMISSIONS**

- U.S. Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit
- U.S. District Court, Central District of California
- U.S. District Court, Northern District of California

### **LANGUAGES**

- French

## **SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS**

- Speaker, "Trends in ERISA Managed Care Litigation," Blue Cross Blue Shield Association, February 13, 2025.
- Speaker, "Mental Health Parity and Implementation of SB 855 in California," California Association of Health Plans Webinar, April 7, 2021.

## PUBLICATIONS

- Co-author, "California Governor Signs Legislation Impacting Health Care Claim Reimbursement and DMHC Requests for Records," *Troutman Pepper Locke*, September 30, 2024.
- Co-author, "White House Finalizes New Mental Health Parity Rule," *Troutman Pepper Locke*, September 9, 2024.
- Co-author, "Fifth Circuit Affirms Vacatur of Insurer-Friendly 'No Surprises Act' Regulations," *Troutman Pepper Locke*, August 8, 2024.
- Co-author, "California Court of Appeal Affirms Grant of Summary Judgment Against Health Care Provider in Win for Managed Care Payors and Claims Administrators," *Troutman Pepper Locke*, August 4, 2023.
- Co-author, "9th Circ. Clarifies ERISA Preemption for Healthcare Industry," *Law360*, June 12, 2024.
- Co-author, "Takeaways From Calif.'s New Health Insurance Rules," *Law360*, October 14, 2020.

## MEDIA COMMENTARY

- Quoted, "Troutman Pepper Hires Manatt Health Litigator in LA," *Law360*, March 10, 2023.
- Mentioned, "Troutman Pepper Names Vedro Litigation Partner in Los Angeles," *Bloomberg Law*, March 9, 2023.