



## Alina Chuklin

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LOCATED IN

Philadelphia, PA

### MEET ALINA

Alina is a member of the Obermayer Health Law Department. As a health law attorney, she represents Pennsylvania Counties in connection with their role as the Primary Contractor for the Behavioral Health HealthChoices Program, advises healthcare providers on negotiating and drafting contracts, and advises healthcare providers, manufacturers and vendors regarding regulatory compliance, including the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act or HIPAA, the state and federal Anti-Kickback Statutes, Stark Law and the False Claims Act.

Alina was included in The Best Lawyers in America: Ones to Watch list in 2024 for Healthcare Law

Alina makes a point to be well-informed on ever-changing federal and state regulations. She actively participates in the education of clients on healthcare compliance and co-authors for the firm's Health Gurus blog. She also brings a unique set of skills to her clients she is fluent in Russian, professionally proficient in Ukrainian, and a certified interpreter and translator.

Alina stays current with global events by reading newspapers and online articles. In her spare time, she enjoys traveling and exploring different countries and cultures. She also takes social dance classes to stay active and meet new people.

### EXPERIENCE

Alina's legal experience includes the representation of healthcare providers, manufacturers and vendors in regulatory compliance matters, including the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act or HIPAA, the state and federal Anti-Kickback Statutes, Stark Law and the False Claims Act. She is also experienced in advising health care clients on negotiating and drafting contracts.

Prior to joining Obermayer, Alina gained a wide range of legal experience in representing plaintiffs in

disputes against life insurance companies, and preparing and reviewing documents for pending litigation in a healthcare fraud *qui tam* action.

Before becoming an attorney, Alina spent 7 years working in the healthcare industry. This experience provided her significant exposure to Medicaid and Medicare regulations and enhanced her understanding and practical application of the rules from the provider's side. In law school, Alina completed the Health Law Concentration Program with honors.

## NEWS & INSIGHTS

### **28 Obermayer Attorneys Named to Pennsylvania 2023 Super Lawyers® and Rising Stars Lists®**

May 23, 2023 by Melissa M. Blanco, Shaun Staller, Amanda C. Frett, Kellie A. McGowan, Michael A. Thom, Charles L. Shute Jr., Marcelina R. Policicchio, Mathieu J. Shapiro, William J. Leonard, Stephanie H. Winegrad, Adam Tanker, Alina Chuklin, Nina B. Stryker, Nicholas Poduslenko, Nicole E. Norcross, Hillary J. Moonay, Thomas A. Leonard III, David L. Ladov, Samantha J. Koopman, Andrew J. Horowitz, Paul C. Heintz, Edmond M. George, Julie R. Colton, Michael E. Bertin

### **New Audio-Only Telemedicine Bill to Expand Telehealth Beyond the Pandemic**

December 31, 2020

### **The Race to Create a COVID-19 Vaccine: Acceleration and Collaboration**

July 07, 2020

### **The COVID-19 Public Health Emergency Ripple Effect: Its Strain on Mental Health and the Importance of Telehealth**

March 26, 2020

### **Pennsylvania's Plan of Action to Address the COVID-19 (Coronavirus) Pandemic**

March 11, 2020

### **Venue back on the menu? Proposed rule change could shift the landscape of medical malpractice in the Commonwealth**

February 14, 2020 by Lawrence J. Tabas, Alina Chuklin

## ACTIVITIES & HONORS

Alina was included in the *Pennsylvania Rising Stars*® list in 2023 – 2025. She was also recognized in the 2024 and 2025 editions of the Best Lawyers: Ones To Watch list.

Alina keeps abreast of ever-changing federal and state regulations and shares this knowledge with her clients in writings, presentations, and other means. She is a regular contributor to Obermayer's [Health Law Gurus](#) blog.

### **Awards Won\***



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## EDUCATION

- Drexel University School of Law, JD, *Health Law Concentration Program*
- Bashkir State University, MA, *summa cum laude*

## ADMISSIONS

- Pennsylvania
- New Jersey

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## CAPABILITIES

### Industry Focus

Health Care