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GinaMarie Slattery concentrates her practice in the trial and defense of product manufacturers and health care providers, particularly related to product liability, pharmaceutical and medical device, toxic tort, and medical negligence litigation. Ms. Slattery has tried cases from coast to coast, some of which have received local, regional, and even national publicity.

Ms. Slattery has significant experience representing manufacturers in product liability litigation and particularly enjoys applying her technical medical background in these types of cases. Currently, she serves as national trial counsel for a global specialty pharmaceutical company in the defense of cosmetic and therapeutic injectables and dermal fillers. Ms. Slattery has extensive experience handling all types of medical and science-related issues, including the retention, preparation, discovery, and trial examination of multi-disciplinary medical expert witnesses. She has defended matters involving fenfluramine-phentermine, factor concentrate, cholesterol-lowering medications, vaccines, anti-depressants, antibiotics, breast implants, surgical equipment, and stents.

Ms. Slattery also has extensive experience representing health care providers, including the defense of national and Arizona-based health care institutions in death and catastrophic injury cases, including the trial of cases to verdict.

Ms. Slattery's trial experience includes the following:

*Plaintiffs v. Global Pharmaceutical Manufacturer* – As national trial counsel, Ms. Slattery has tried five cases related to cosmetic and therapeutic injectables in California, Oklahoma, and Virginia. The first bellwether trial ended in a defense verdict. Another ended in a hung jury mistrial. A third was successfully settled after jury selection. One ended in a split verdict and is currently on appeal. The remaining trial resulted in a plaintiff verdict. However, the verdict was vacated by the trial court, which ordered a new trial.

*Vaughn v. Scottsdale Healthcare* – Ms. Slattery served as trial counsel involving claims of medical negligence resulting in significant birth injury and damages. The case successfully settled during deliberations.

*Plaintiffs v. National Healthcare System* – As co-lead counsel, Ms. Slattery successfully defended a national healthcare system and its health care providers in four separate cases that went to trial related to claims of medical negligence. Each case involved a plaintiff who suffered catastrophic injuries. In each case, the jury returned with a defense verdict. One case was recognized as one of the most significant defense wins in the country by the National Law Journal.

## Prior Employment

Snell & Wilmer LLC – Partner, Co-Chair Pharmaceutical & Medical Device Group (1989-2009)

## Education

University of San Diego School of Law (J.D., *cum laude*, 1989)

Arizona State University (B.S., Sociology, 1985)

Pace University (A.A.S., Nursing 1982)

## Personal

Born Bronx, New York, February 8, 1962

## Court Admissions

Supreme Court of Arizona

United States District Court, District of Arizona

Pro hac vice admissions to state and federal courts throughout the country

## Professional Memberships, Activities, and Achievements

American Bar Association

Litigation Section

State Bar of Arizona

Maricopa County Bar Association

Arizona Association of Defense Counsel

Defense Research Institute

Top Ten Defense Verdicts in 2001, National Law Journal

AV Preeminent® Martindale-Hubbell® Peer Review Rating™ for Legal Ability & Ethical Standards

## Community Involvement

Angel Charity for Children, Inc.

2005 - present

Board Member –

Chair Special Gifts Committee, 2011

Angel Ball Coordinator, 2010

Chair Casino Gifts Committee, 2006

Nominating Committee

Long Term Planning Committee

Fashion Show Committee

Underwriting Committee

Chance Tickets Committee