

CHARLES W. DAHLQUIST, II

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OF COUNSEL

Charles Dahlquist is a member of Kirton McConkie's Risk Management & Insurance Defense practice. He specializes in healthcare law, including medical malpractice defense, physician credentialing, healthcare licensing and risk management. He represents the largest not-for-profit hospital company in the country as well as a number of other healthcare companies in medical malpractice defense, physician credentialing and peer review hearings, healthcare, and healthcare provider licensing issues.

Mr. Dahlquist has served as a mediator in healthcare-related cases and as a hearing officer in connection with physician credentialing cases. He is the former Honorary Consul of the Federal Republic of Germany and has recieved the Order of Merit Second Class (2003) and the Order of Merit First Class (2015) (Bundesverdienstkreuz) from President Johannes Rau, former President of Germany, for his service to Germany and in strengthening its relationship with the United States

EXPERIENCE

Experienced in medical malpractice defense litigation and alternative dispute resolution and credentialing matters.

Represents hospitals and healthcare providers in peer review hearings.

Provides legal advice and consultation to healthcare providers, healthcare institutions and large corporations in a wide variety of healthcare/risk management areas.

HONORS & AWARDS

Mountain States Super Lawyers: Litigation

Utah Legal Elite: Litigation

The Boy Scouts of America: Received the Silver Beaver Award, 1985; Silver Antelope Award, 2006; Silver Buffalo Award, 2007; National Venturing Award, 2007

Rotary: "Service Above Self" Award, 2016

Outstanding Community Leader Award, Community Nursing Services, 2016

Chair, Healthcare Practice Section

Former, Honorary Consul, Federal Republic of Germany, 1999-2014

EDUCATION

University of Utah, S.J. Quinney College of Law, J.D., 1974

Brigham Young University, B.A., Communications, German minor, 1971

ADMISSIONS & AFFILIATIONS

Bar Admissions: Utah, 1974; District of Columbia, 1975 (inactive)

Other Admissions: United States District Court for the District of Utah, 1974; United State Court of Military Appeals, 1975; United States Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit, 1985

Affiliations: Defense Research Institute, American Society of Law and Medicine

Board of Directors, American Health Lawyers Association, 1987-1991

Member, Utah Valley University National Presidential Advisory Board, 2008-present

President, 2010, Great Salt Lake Council, Boy Scouts of America; National Executive Board, 2004-2009, 2015-present, Western Region Board, 2004-2009; Chair, BSA National Court of Honor, 2010; BSA National Commisioneer, 2016-2018

Young Men General President, The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 2004-2009

President, Salt Lake Rotary Club, 2004-2005

Board Chair, Salt Lake Council, American Cancer Society, 2003-2004

President, Utah Consular Corps, 2001-2003

Attache, German Paralympics Team and Coordinator for the German Olympic Team, 2002 Winter Olympics

Advisory Council, Junior Achievement, 2013-present

PRACTICE AREAS

ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION

LITIGATION

MEDICAL MALPRACTICE DEFENSE

INDUSTRIES

HEALTHCARE INSURANCE

LANGUAGES

GERMAN