



## PRACTICES

Corporate

## INDUSTRIES

Healthcare

## EDUCATION

Creighton University School of Law, J.D.  
*cum laude*

Dean's Academic Scholarship

Colorado State University, B.A.

## BAR ADMISSIONS

Practice in Colorado temporarily  
authorized pending admission under  
C.R.C.P. 205.6.  
Nebraska

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Associate

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**Jake guides clients through a broad spectrum of healthcare compliance and transactions, from initial risk assessments and policy development to regulatory investigations and remediation efforts.**

Jake assists healthcare providers, entities, and other businesses with regulatory compliance matters. He represents provider-owned organizations, ambulatory surgery centers, individual healthcare providers, and healthcare staffing companies in navigating complex regulatory landscapes, including fraud, waste, and abuse compliance, HIPAA and data privacy requirements (including data breach notifications and responses), payor contracting, and emerging regulations like the No Surprises Act and Information Blocking rules.

Jake helps clients with healthcare transactions including mergers, acquisitions, buying and selling assets, divestitures, and reorganizations, providing support on due diligence, transaction structuring, regulatory compliance, contract negotiations, and post-closing arrangements. He brings experience on a range of service and provider agreements, including buy-sell, and co-management services. He also counsels healthcare clients on corporate governance matters, including entity formation, operating agreements, bylaws, and employment matters such as employment and separation agreements.

Prior to joining Holland & Hart, Jake was an associate attorney at a regional Nebraska firm.

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## EXPERIENCE

- Anti-Kickback Statute
- Stark Law
- Civil Monetary Penalties Law
- Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA)
- No Surprises Act
- FTC Health Breach Notification Rule
- Accompanying federal regulations and state law analogues
- Federal and state licensing and credentialing issues

- Billing and Reimbursement Issues
- Information Blocking rules

## **PUBLICATIONS**

"Information Blocking is in its Teething Stage," *Physicians Bulletin, Metro Omaha Medical Society* , September/October 2024

"AHLA Health Care Fraud Law – A 50-State Survey, First Edition," *AHLA Health Care Fraud Law: A 50 State Survey, First Edition, Chapter Author*, October 2022

## **PROFESSIONAL AND CIVIC AFFILIATIONS**

- American Health Lawyers Association, Member
- International Association of Privacy Professionals, Member
- Nebraska State Bar Association Health Law Section, Executive Committee Member