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Robyn Ayres joined Goodman Allen Donnelly in 2004. She has devoted her practice to defending physicians, nurses, hospitals, and other health care providers in malpractice litigation. Her practice also includes health care law, commercial law, and products liability litigation, in which she gained experience before joining Goodman Allen Donnelly.

Robyn effectively and efficiently manages an extremely active trial docket. She has tried over 50 complex and high exposure medical malpractice cases to verdict in multiple jurisdictions throughout the Commonwealth of Virginia. In 2008 alone, she successfully defended 5 of the 16 reported "Million Dollar Med Mal Defense Verdicts" reported by Virginia Lawyers Weekly.

She has been consistently recognized by her peers as a Virginia Super Lawyer® (2014-2015) and a Virginia Super Lawyer® "Rising Star" in medical malpractice defense, Law and Politics and Virginia Super Lawyers magazine (2009-2012).

Robyn was also the recipient of the 2013 Chappell-Morris Award by the Virginia State Committee of the American College of Trial Lawyers for her trial skills, professionalism, ethical and moral standards and character.

PRACTICE AREAS

- Health Care
- Medical Malpractice Defense
- State Board Licensing & Credentialing
- Risk Prevention
- Products Liability

EDUCATION

- University of Richmond School of Law, Richmond, VA
J.D., cum laude, 2002
- Virginia Tech, Blacksburg, VA,
B.A., magna cum laude, 1999

ADMITTED TO PRACTICE

- Commonwealth of Virginia
- U.S. Court of Appeals for the 4th Circuit
- U.S. District Court for the Eastern and Western Districts of Virginia

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Virginia State Bar
- Virginia Association of Defense Attorneys
- American Bar Association
- Richmond Bar Association
- Henrico Bar Association