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Carol Sue has an active appellate and trial practice. Her appellate practice involves state and federal court appeals. Her trial practice includes medical malpractice lawsuits as well as administrative proceedings. She regularly represents doctors, dentists, and other health care providers and facilities in licensing and disciplinary litigation, and in connection with Medicaid audits. Carol Sue also counsels health care clients regarding regulatory and medical records confidentiality issues. Before joining Bennett, Bigelow & Leedom, Carol Sue served as a law clerk to a Washington State Supreme Court justice and was a staff attorney for the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit. She also taught basic legal skills at the University of Washington School of Law.

AWARDS AND RECOGNITION

- Defended physicians and doctors in high-profile disciplinary hearings.
- Participated in U.S. Supreme Court litigation defending school diversity plan.
- Briefed federal appeal of facilities challenging Medicare reimbursement.
- Defended providers in Medicaid audits.
- Defended physicians in lawsuits alleging discrimination in hospital privileging.

PROFESSIONAL AND COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- Washington Defense Trial Lawyers
- Amicus Committee
- Newsletter Editorial Board
- Defense Research Institute
- Washington State Society of Healthcare Attorneys
- Washington State Bar Association
- King County Bar Association
- Judicial Screening Committee
- Appellate Practice Section

PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

15 Harv. Envtl. L. Rev. 435 (1991) (with Victor M. Sher)

61 Wash. L. Rev. 263 (1986)

60 Wash. L. Rev. 911 (1984)

EDUCATION

University of Washington School of Law,

J.D. with honors

Executive Editor, Washington Law Review

University of Washington,

B.A. magna cum laude, Phi Beta Kappa

BAR ADMISSIONS

Washington State Bar Association

King County Bar Association

United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit

United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit

United States District Court for the Western District of Washington

United States Supreme Court