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Areas of Practice:

Medical Liability & Health Care
Product Liability Defense
Professional Liability
Wrongful Death & Personal Injury Defense

Industries Served:

Insurance
Manufacturers
Medical Service Providers
Professional Service Providers

Vicky Zeidell has almost 40 years of clinical nursing and legal nurse consultant experience. For more than 20 years, she has worked as a legal nurse consultant for Arizona health care defense law firms, focusing in the areas of medical malpractice, wrongful death, personal injury, product liability, and corrections.

Serving as a liaison between attorneys, physicians and clients, Vicky provides detailed case analysis on the medical facts and issues relating to a case or a claim. Her extensive contributions to the health care defense team include: determining which medical records, specimens, X-rays and other data are pertinent to the case; identifying in which areas expert witnesses are required and researching qualified experts; preparing Rule 26.1 Disclosure Statements; interviewing employees, witnesses and jurors; preparing medical summaries, timeline of events and correlate to the allegations; developing collaborative case strategies with the legal team; obtaining and summarizing timely opinions of experts to support the defense case; screening records for omissions, missing pages and other methods of tampering; and summarizing depositions.

Before beginning her career as a legal nurse consultant, Vicky worked for 12 years as the Director of Nursing for a large regional medical center in Arizona. She also worked as a performance improvement coordinator, system coordinator for information services, and nursing clinical systems manager. Her in-depth clinical experience includes neurology, neurosurgery, neuro intensive care unit, psychiatric, medical, cardiac catheterizations, i-131 radiation therapy, gastroenterology, endocrinology and renal.

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS & MEMBERSHIPS

- American Association of Legal Nurse Consultants (AALNC), Member of National and Phoenix Chapter

EDUCATION

Arizona Registered Nurse License, 1976
Clinical Specialities Certificates
Chemotherapy Administration, HIV Consulting, Quality Management