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## Deborah A. Enck

### Associate

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#### **Practice Areas**

- Appellate
- Healthcare
- Insurance Defense
- Litigation

#### Admissions

Colorado

#### **Education & Honors**

- The Ohio State University, Moritz College of Law, J.D. (2015)
- The University of Arizona, B.S. Psychology & B.A. Political Science (2008)

#### Associations

- Colorado Bar Association
- Colorado Women's Bar Association
- Society for Human Resources Management

#### Awards

 Public Service Fellowship Award, with Dean's Special Recognition (OSU Moritz College of Law, 2015) Ms. Enck is a civil litigator with broad experience handling healthcare, privacy, employment, governmental regulation, and public policy issues. Ms. Enck has experience in all stages of the litigation process, from pretrial investigation through trial and appeal. As a former Assistant Attorney General, Ms. Enck brings a unique perspective that allows her to evaluate issues from multiple viewpoints. Ms. Enck previously represented professional licensing boards within the Colorado Department of Regulatory Agencies. Ms. Enck also served as general counsel for several state agencies. In that capacity Ms. Enck provided risk management advice, including strategic and operational guidance on a variety of topics.

Prior to her legal career, Ms. Enck worked in a community mental health facility. That experience makes her especially sensitive to the mental and emotional stress that can come from involvement in legal proceedings. Ms. Enck approaches her clients with compassion and honesty to pursue the best possible outcomes in difficult situations.

#### **Professional Experience**

- Assistant Attorney General, Colorado Department of Law (2018-2021)
- Associate, Senter Goldfarb & Rice, LLC (2017-2018)
- Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Ohio Attorney General (2015-2017)

#### **Community Involvement**

- DU Sturm College of Law Mentoring Program (2018-Present)
- Colorado Bar Association, High School Mock Trial Program (2017-2019)
- Legal Aid Society of Columbus, Ohio (2016-2017)
- Child Advocates, Denver CASA (2010-2012)