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Toby Singer is one of the nation's leading authorities on mergers and other antitrust matters in the health care industry, and her practice focuses on antitrust counseling and litigation for health care clients. She represents both providers and payers on a wide variety of antitrust issues, from mergers and acquisitions and other transactions to less formal alliances among competitors as well as counseling on conduct issues. She has handled numerous federal and state government investigations and has defended clients in both government and private antitrust litigation.

Significant representations include CaremarkRx's acquisition of AdvancePCS (FTC File No. 03-0239) and Sutter Health's merger with Summit Medical Center (130 F. Supp. 2d 1109 (N.D. Cal. 2000)), as well as defending class action lawsuits against Ascension Health (*Cason-Merenda v. Detroit Medical Center* (E.D. Mich.) and *Fleischman v. Albany Medical Center* (N.D.N.Y.)). Prior to joining Jones Day, Toby served as a deputy assistant director in the Bureau of Competition of the Federal Trade Commission.

Toby chairs the Antitrust Practice Group of the American Health Lawyers Association, is a past vice chair of the Health Care Committee of the American Bar Association Section of Antitrust Law, and is on the advisory board of BNA's Health Law Reporter. She is a frequent speaker on antitrust subjects at American Bar Association and American Health Lawyers Association conferences and has testified at government hearings on competition in health care.

## EXPERIENCE HIGHLIGHTS

St. Elizabeth Medical Center cleared by FTC to merge with St. Luke Hospitals in Northern Kentucky

CIGNA obtains antitrust clearance to acquire Great-West Healthcare

University of Pittsburgh Medical Center wins FTC clearance to acquire Mercy Hospital of Pittsburgh

## AREAS OF FOCUS

Antitrust & Competition Law

Health Care

Antitrust Litigation

Antitrust Mergers/Joint Ventures

General Antitrust Counseling

## HONORS & DISTINCTIONS

BTI Client Service All-Star (2005, 2006, 2009); Chambers USA — health care: leading lawyer (2007-2009); Best Lawyers in America (2007-2010); Washington, DC Super Lawyers (2010)

## EDUCATION

Georgetown University (J.D. 1977; Law Review); Wesleyan University (B.A. magna cum laude 1974; Phi Beta Kappa)

## BAR ADMISSIONS

District of Columbia

## GOVERNMENT SERVICE

Served with the Federal Trade Commission (1977-1988), including as Deputy Assistant Director for Health Care, Bureau of Competition (1986-1988)