



Aneliese Castro

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CAPABILITIES

Administrative Law

Antitrust and Unfair Business Practices

Compliance

Medicare, Medicaid, Other Governmental Reimbursement and Payment

Reproductive Health

Provider and Supplier Operations

Hospitals and Health Systems

EDUCATION

Stanford Law School, J.D., 2023

University of California, Los Angeles Fielding School of Public Health, M.P.H., 2020

Scripps College, B.A., 2013

BAR ADMISSIONS

California, 2023

“Issues related to providing and facilitating access to health care have always been important to me. I feel fortunate that my work involves both serving my clients and helping them meet such a fundamental human need.”

Aneliese Castro focuses her practice on transactional and regulatory matters. Her work with health care providers and advocacy for health care access predates her legal career. Her prior experience with a large health care provider in Southern California evolved into an academic, professional, and personal commitment to health care law and policy that she brings to her work at Hooper, Lundy & Bookman.

A former summer associate at the firm, Aneliese complements her legal knowledge with well-developed project management skills and a deep appreciation that attentive, proactive, and responsive client service is an indispensable aspect of effective counsel.

Aneliese earned her law degree from Stanford Law School, where she received the Judge Thelton E. Henderson Prize for Outstanding Performance and served as a Diversity Chair and Senior Editor on the Stanford Law Review. She was also a Fellow for the Stanford Center for Racial Justice and a Research Fellow for the Robert Crown Law Library.

After receiving her undergraduate degree with honors from Scripps College, Aneliese earned a Master of Public Health degree from UCLA Fielding School of Public Health, where she was a member of the Delta Omega Honor Society, a recipient of the Lee Thomassen Healthcare Finance Fellowship, and winner of the UCLA Sinaiko Business Plan Competition.

Recognition

- Best Lawyers, Ones to Watch, Health Care Law, 2026

Professional Affiliations

- American Bar Association
- American Health Lawyers Association
- California Society for Healthcare Attorneys

- Women Lawyers Association of Los Angeles

News

- HLB's Digital Health Blog
- 35 HLB Attorneys Receive Recognition by Best Lawyers in America 2026
- HLB is Published in Thomson Reuters Westlaw Today
- Emily Brinkman, Rachel Zacharias, Aneliese Castro and Sheryl Xavier Published in Reuters and Westlaw Today
- Charles Oppenheim, Stephanie Gross and Aneliese Castro Published in CHLN's, "California Self-Referral Law (PORA): Still Alive and Kicking"
- HLB Welcomes Associates Sheryl Xavier and Aneliese Castro

Insights

- Update on BOI Reporting Rules: Supreme Court Lifts Injunction on Corporate Transparency Act but Enforcement Remains Paused
- The Future of the Stark Law is Clouded by Uncertainty
- What You Need to Know About the Corporate Transparency Act
- Provider Relief Fund: HHS-OIG Audit Calls for Further Post-Payment Reviews of Providers