

# Family Law

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Our attorneys focus on the unique needs of each client to achieve a fair resolution that avoids unnecessary public displays and anxiety that often arise in divorce proceedings. We provide expert counsel in child custody matters, visitation and support issues and prenuptial agreements. We handle post-judgment matters as well, such as modification of spousal support, child support and child custody.

## Family Law

- Adoption
- Annulments
- Business valuations
- Child custody and support matters
- Court intervention
- Dissolution of cohabitation agreements
- Domestic and international child custody
- Paternity suits
- Personal protection orders
- Personal relationship transitions
- Pre and post nuptial agreements
- Separation agreements
- Tax issues

## Estate Planning and Probate

- Determine your goals and objectives
- Create a customized estate plan
- Reduce or eliminate death taxes
- Avoid probate

## Real Estate

- Property division
- Community property
- Sale and separate property
- Corporate real estate valuation and assessment

## GMH Family Law Attorneys

### **Gilbert Gugni** *Family Law*

Gil is a partner and the section head of the family law group. He has over 35 years of litigation experience, and presently concentrates his practice entirely to family law. He is involved in all aspects of family law including cases involving high assets and custody disputes. Gil is also actively involved as a family law mediator and arbitrator.

### **David A. Binkley** *Family Law*

Dave is involved in all aspects of family law and specializes in product liability and personal injury actions from both plaintiffs' and defendants' side of the aisle.

### **Kellie DeVito** *Family Law*

Kellie has extensive experience practicing in all areas of family law including the complex legal issues of custody, support and property division in divorces involving long term marriages and the acquisition of substantial assets. She also has experience in resolving post-judgment disputes and drafting prenuptial and postnuptial agreements.

### **Jennifer A. Engelhardt** *Family Law*

Jennifer's concentration is in family law. She has handled a myriad of general civil litigation cases including medical malpractice, automobile negligence, premises liability, assault and battery, sexual harassment, and general negligence.

### **Kevin Miller** *Family Law*

Kevin has extensive experience practicing in all areas of family law including the complex legal issues of custody, support and property division in divorces involving long term marriages and the acquisition of substantial assets. He also has experience in resolving post-judgment disputes and drafting prenuptial and postnuptial agreements.

### **Mark S. Papazian** *Family Law*

Mark's concentration is in family law, custody disputes, business and commercial litigation. His practice also focuses on the hospitality and restaurant industry. He is uniquely qualified to represent sellers and purchasers of commercial properties for restaurant development.

### **Christopher J. Schrieber** *Family Law*

Chris is an associate in the firm's Litigation Group. He has practiced in family law, general criminal and civil litigation.

### **Geoffrey S. Wagner** *Family Law*

Geoff is an associate in the firm's Litigation Group. He concentrates his practice in the areas of personal injury, insurance coverage, commercial litigation and family law.

### **Matthew S. Weaver** *Family Law*

Matthew is a partner and concentrates his practice in the areas of family law and real property litigation. He is involved in all aspects of family law and specializes in areas of custody disputes and matters involving a change of domicile to another state.

### **LeRoy H. Wulfmeier, III** *Family Law*

LeRoy is a partner in our litigation group with over 35 years of experience defending health care providers in complex medical malpractice cases; representing both husbands and wives in acrimonious marital, custody and property disputes; and representing plaintiffs and defendants in personal injury cases.

## Experts in Related Fields

### **William H. Heritage, III** *Corporate*

Will concentrates his practice in the areas of mergers and acquisitions, business formation and planning, corporate law and real estate law. Will's practice includes representation of small to large privately-held businesses as well as several international business clients.

### **Joseph F. Page, III** *Chair of Health Care Law Section*

Jeff has specialized in health care law for 40 years. He has extensive experience in every aspect of health care law and the extensive regulations imposed on the delivery of health care by our governments. He is the president of the law firm.

### **Andrew Baran** *Employment and Labor*

Andrew concentrates his practice in the areas of labor and employment law. His practice includes all aspects of labor and employment law including NLRB proceedings, civil rights and wrongful discharge litigation, contract negotiations, arbitration, and union election campaigns.

### **Dennis M. Rauss** *Banking and Workout*

Dennis concentrates his practice in the areas of business litigation, real estate, employment and family law.

### **Thomas L. Treppa** *Real Estate*

Tom is a member of the real estate practice group and is involved extensively in the acquisition, sale and leasing of commercial real estate. His background in municipal law provides additional expertise in the areas of zoning and planning.

## Additional Expertise

### **Taxation**

- Tax planning for individuals, corporations, estates and trusts
- Corporate taxation, including S corporations
- Corporate and business reorganizations, mergers, acquisitions and liquidations
- Partnership and limited liability company taxation
- International taxation of entities and individuals
- Qualified and non-qualified pension and profit sharing plans and ESOPs
- Excise tax matters
- Tax audits — federal, state and local
- Litigation in the United States Tax Court; United States District Court; United States Court of Federal Claims; Michigan Tax Tribunal; and the State of Michigan Court of Claims
- Appeals to all federal and state appellate courts, including the United States Supreme Court
- Tax collection activities, both federal and state
- Employment tax penalties

### **Finance/Reorganization**

- Strategic analysis
- Due diligence
- Preliminary agreements
- Transaction planning
- Negotiation and documentation
- Financing
- Closing and post-closing

### **Corporate**

- Advise clients with selecting the best type of business entity, management structure, financing package and executive compensation plan
- Assist clients with employee, landlord and customer issues
- Handle buy-sell arrangements and succession plans