

# Karolen S. Younan

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### Practices

FOCUS: Corporate

Health Care

Health Care Services Private Equity

Health Care Transactions

### Education

JD, Chicago-Kent College of Law, Illinois  
Institute of Technology, *magna cum laude*,  
*Order of the Coif*

BA, University of Illinois, *cum laude*

### Bar Admissions

Illinois

Karolen Younan is a corporate attorney in Katten's Chicago office. Her practice is focused on a wide range of complex transactions, with an emphasis on mergers and acquisitions in the health care industry.

### Successfully closing a deal takes a perspective that goes beyond legal strategy

Karolen manages all stages of a transaction while she represents physician practices, private equity-backed health care platforms and other healthcare facilities. Karolen counsels clients as they navigate M&A deals, reorganizations, and joint ventures.

Prior to joining Katten, Karolen completed a Public Interest Law Initiative fellowship with the Loyola Business Law Clinic. She worked as a judicial extern for the Honorable Charles Kocoras, US District Court for the Northern District of Illinois and served as a teaching assistant for Legal Writing I and II.

During law school, Karolen served as a notes and comments editor for the *Chicago-Kent Law Review* and was a member of the Moot Court Honor Society.

### Recognitions

*Recognized or listed in the following:*

- *Best Lawyers in America*
  - Ones to Watch
  - Corporate Law, 2022–2024

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## News

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- Katten Attorneys Distinguished by *Best Lawyers*® (August 17, 2023)
- Katten Attorneys Recognized by *Best Lawyers*® (August 18, 2022)
- Katten Attorneys Listed in *The Best Lawyers in America*® (August 19, 2021)