



# Jared T. Heck

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Jared Heck helps insurance companies combat fraud by cultivating claims-handling and litigation strategies designed to minimize his clients' risk and exposure. Jared represents his clients through all aspects of litigation, including pre-suit investigations, motion practice, discovery and trial preparation.

## Minimizing loss and risk with smart fraud reduction strategies

Jared has extensive experience working with insurers across the country to identify fraudulent claim trends – and the parties driving them – before fraudulent claims are paid. Jared helps his clients stay on top of numerous types of fraudulent claims activity, including billing for medically unnecessary services, upcoding, unbundling, violations of anti-kickback and patient brokering laws, violations of state licensure laws, and the use of malware to steal policyholders' private information.

While in law school, Jared served as admissions editor of the *Cornell Law Review* and as a teaching assistant in the legal writing program. He also spent one semester as an extern for the City of Chicago's Department of Law, where he prosecuted violations in traffic court, and he received CALI Excellence Awards in both Employment Law and Conflict of Laws.

## Recognitions

Recognized or listed in the following:

- *Benchmark Litigation*
  - Under 40 Hotlist, 2018–2020
- *Super Lawyers Rising Stars*
  - Illinois, 2011–2019

## News

- Super Lawyers Lists Honor More Than 50 Katten Attorneys in Illinois (January 24, 2019)

## Practices

- Health Care Litigation, Reimbursement and Regulation
- Insurance and Health Care Fraud Litigation
- Litigation

## Education

- JD, Cornell Law School, *magna cum laude*, *Order of the Coif*
- BA, The University of Chicago, *with honors*

## Bar Admissions

- Illinois

## Court Admissions

- US District Court, Eastern District of Michigan
- US District Court, Northern District of Illinois
- US Supreme Court

## Professional & Community Involvement

- Legal Aid Chicago, Board of Directors (Co-Chair)

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- Katten Attorneys Recognized in 2018 Illinois Super Lawyers, Rising Stars Lists (January 25, 2018)
- Katten Attorneys Recognized in 2017 Illinois *Super Lawyers*, Rising Stars Lists (January 13, 2017)
- Katten Names 13 New Partners (July 8, 2016)
- Forty-Seven Katten Attorneys Recognized in 2016 Illinois *Super Lawyers* List (January 8, 2016)
- Fifty-Three Katten Attorneys Recognized in 2015 Illinois *Super Lawyers* List (January 12, 2015)
- Fifty-Four Katten Attorneys Recognized in 2014 Illinois *Super Lawyers* List (January 13, 2014)
- Sixty-Nine Katten Attorneys Included on 2013 Illinois *Super Lawyers* List (January 4, 2013)
- Eighty-Six Katten Attorneys Named 2012 Illinois Super Lawyers (February 28, 2012)

## Publications

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- "*Powell v. Dean Foods Co. et al.*" The First District Adds Teeth to SOJ Motions as of Right," IICLE Civil Litigation Flash Points Series (October 1, 2010)