



## **Erika O'Donnell**

Partner

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### **Admissions**

Massachusetts (2004)  
United States District Court,  
District of Massachusetts (2005)

### **Education**

Suffolk University School of Law,  
J.D. (2004)  
Providence College, B.S., *cum*  
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### **Industry Focus**

Asbestos  
Serious Injury  
Auto Accidents  
Train Accidents  
Pharmaceutical Liability

I decided to become a personal injury attorney at a young age when my father was hurt in a construction accident and our family was unable to find a passionate attorney willing to fight hard to get him the compensation he deserved. I never wanted to see that happen to another family again.

I have been a part of the Shepard Law team since 2005, and have had the opportunity to zealously represent many families and make sure that someone is fighting hard for them. I take great pride in the relationships I have developed with my clients and their families. It is important for me to get to know my clients as individuals, so I can be a better advocate for them in their legal cases. Every client is unique and every family has different dynamics and needs that I try to address in order to make the process a little easier for everyone involved.

*"Erika really knew her stuff and she was very strong and competent."*

### **Industry Leadership and Affiliations**

American Bar Association, Member  
Massachusetts Bar Association, Member, 2005 - Present  
American Association for Justice, Member, 2011- Present

### **Awards & Honors**

Massachusetts Super Lawyers "Rising Star", 2012-2014