

## GABRIELLA M. WITTBROD

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### AREAS OF PRACTICE

Health Care Liability  
Long-Term Care Liability

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### ADMISSIONS

Ohio  
2023

U.S. District Court Northern District  
of Ohio  
2023

U.S. District Court Southern  
District of Ohio  
2023

### OVERVIEW

As an associate attorney in the Health Care Department, Gabriella defends healthcare entities in civil litigation matters including medical malpractice and long-term care liability. Given her strong background in healthcare, Gabriella utilizes her knowledge and skill to effectively represent medical professionals and providers, hospitals, and extended care facilities.

Gabriella received her B.S. in Microbiology from The Ohio State University and her J.D. from Case Western Reserve University. She is admitted to practice in the State of Ohio and the Northern and Southern Federal Districts of Ohio.

### EDUCATION

Case Western Reserve University  
School of Law (J.D., 2023)

The Ohio State University (B.S.,  
2020)

### ASSOCIATIONS & MEMBERSHIPS

Cleveland Metropolitan Bar  
Association

Ohio State Bar Association

### YEAR JOINED

2024

## THOUGHT LEADERSHIP

### Appeals Court Reverses Arbitration Ruling, Citing Improper Credibility Determination by Successor Judge

Cleveland  
Health Care Liability  
July 1, 2025

On May 15, 2025, the Ohio 8th District Court of Appeals held that when a judge takes over a case for another judge, the successor judge cannot rely on a hearing transcript in their ruling when the credibility of witnesses is at issue. Case Law Alerts, 3rd Quarter, July 2025 is prepared by Marshall Dennehey to provide information on recent developments of interest to our readers.

### Defense Victory: Summary Judgment Granted for Corporate Nursing Home Defendants in Medical Negligence Case

Cleveland  
Harrisburg  
Health Care Liability  
May 1, 2025

Leslie M. Jenny and Gabriella M. Wittbrod, both of our Cleveland, OH office, were granted summary judgment on behalf of their corporate nursing home clients in this medical negligence case. Judge Phillip S. The Quarterly Dose – May 2025, has been prepared for our readers by Marshall Dennehey.

## LEGAL ROUNDUP – Ohio

Cleveland  
Health Care Liability  
May 1, 2025

Ohio Supreme Court Orders In Camera Review in Peer Review Privilege Dispute *Stull v. Summa Health System*, 177 Ohio St.3d 543, --- N.E.3d ---, 2024-Ohio-5718 The Quarterly Dose – May 2025, has been prepared for our readers by Marshall Dennehey.

### Defense Victory: Summary Judgment Granted for Corporate Nursing Home Defendants in Medical Negligence Case

Cincinnati  
Long-Term Care Liability  
Health Care Liability  
April 11, 2025

Leslie M. Jenny and Gabriella M. Wittbrod, both of our Cleveland, OH office, were granted summary judgment on behalf of their corporate nursing home clients in this medical negligence case. Judge Phillip S. Legal Updates for Long-Term Care Liability – April 11, 2025

### Ohio Supreme Court Orders In Camera Review in Peer Review Privilege Dispute

Cleveland  
Health Care Liability  
Long-Term Care Liability  
Birth & Catastrophic Injury Litigation  
April 1, 2025

In a discovery dispute over the applicability of peer review privilege, the Ohio Supreme Court ruled that the trial court should conduct an in camera review of the contested residency file. Case Law Alerts, 2nd Quarter, April 2025

## PUBLISHED WORKS

"State Constitutional Law: The Future of Abortion Rights?" *Health Matrix: The Journal of Law-Medicine*, Vol. 33, 2023