

## SUSAN ELLIS WILD

PARTNER



Susan Ellis Wild has practiced law in the Lehigh Valley since 1988, and prior to that was a lawyer for 6 years in Washington, D.C. A litigator, Susan has handled hundreds of cases to verdict, settlement or dismissal. Along the way, she has acquired an interest in and knowledge of legal technologies, which she has incorporated into her courtroom practice, to assist juries in understanding the subject matter of her cases.

Susan's practice is multi-focused and includes the defense of health care practitioners and hospitals, representation of municipalities and public officials in all forms of litigation matters, and a wide variety of insurance defense matters ranging from commercial

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lines to personal injury defense, civil rights claims, and employment matters. Susan is also the City Solicitor for Allentown, having been appointed by the Mayor and approved by a unanimous City Council in January 2015.



Susan also frequently is called upon by courts and private litigants to serve as an independent arbitrator or mediator of cases. She is a Board Certified Civil Trial Advocate by the National Board of Trial Advocacy.

*Lehigh Valley Business* honored Susan for her contributions to the legal industry and her community with a 2016 Women of Influence award. She was selected to be included in the list of Pennsylvania Super Lawyers for seven years in a row (2010-2016), a designation held by attorneys who have attained a high-degree of peer recognition and professional achievement. In 2013, Susan was also selected to the list of Top 50 Female Attorneys in Pennsylvania.

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### Areas of Practices

Litigation  
Medical Malpractice Defense  
Municipal Liability  
Personal Injury

### Admissions

Pennsylvania  
District of Columbia  
Maryland  
U.S. District Court  
Eastern District of Pennsylvania  
Middle District of Pennsylvania  
District of Maryland  
U.S. Court of Appeals  
Third Circuit

### Education

George Washington University Law  
School, J.D., with honors, 1982  
American University, B.A., 1978

### Professional Associations

Pennsylvania Bar Association  
Bar Association of Lehigh County,  
Past President (2006)  
Woman Lawyers of the Lehigh  
Valley, Past President

### Community Involvement

Buy Fresh Buy Local Lehigh Valley,  
Advisory Board Member  
Jewish Federation of the Lehigh  
Valley, Board Member  
Civic Theatre of Allentown, Board  
Member  
Second Harvest Food Bank, Past  
Board Member  
Program for Women and Families,  
Past Board Member  
Candidate for Lehigh County  
Commissioner, 2013