

# Erika O'Donnell

# Partner

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#### **BIOGRAPHY**

When I was a child, my dad suffered a serious injury in a construction accident. I remember our family looking for help but struggling to find a passionate attorney willing to fight hard to get him the compensation he deserved. Seeing my parents face the challenges associated with my dad's injuries and in finding a compassionate attorney to help us, I knew I never wanted to see that happen to another family again. That's when I decided what I would do with my life: become an attorney, so no family would

OUR CLIENTS ARE ALL HARD-WORKING, COMPASSIONATE INDIVIDUALS. THEY DESERVE HARD-WORKING, COMPASSIONATE ATTORNEYS AT THEIR SIDE EVERY STEP OF THE WAY!

#### **EDUCATION**

- Suffolk University School of Law, J.D. (2004)
- Providence College, B.S., cum laude (2001)

#### **BAR ADMISSIONS**

- Massachusetts
- United States District Court, District of Massachusetts

ever have to feel like ours did when my dad was hurt. I've been 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 better advocate for them in their legal cases. Every client is unique; every family has different dynamics and needs that I try to address in order to make the process a little easier for everyone involved.



## **INDUSTRY LEADERSHIP**

- Massachusetts Bar Association, Member, 2005 Present
- American Association for Justice, member, 2011 – Present
- Worcester County Bar Association, Member

## **AWARDS & RECOGNITION**

- Massachusetts Super Lawyers "Rising Star", 2012 2014
- Massachusetts Super Lawyer, 2018 2019