



William D. Edwards is an associate who handles complex disputes involving commercial general liability claims for primary and excess insurers and reinsurers.

Will serves on the firm's Opioid Coverage Task Force, which is dedicated to monitoring and analyzing lawsuits filed by state and local governments nationwide against pharmaceutical manufacturers, distributors, and retail pharmacies. He is also a part of the firm's PFAS team, litigating the nation's first wave of coverage disputes involving "forever chemicals."

Will received his Juris Doctor from Loyola University Chicago School of Law. During his time there, Will was an active member of Loyola's moot court program, participating on the American Bar Association Nationals Team during his third year. Additionally, he served as a senior editor on Loyola's *Consumer Law Review*. As an active member of the community, Will has provided representation to children in guardian ad litem cases with his Illinois Supreme Court Rule 711 license.

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Practice Areas

- Commercial General Liability
- Coverage Litigation
- General Commercial Litigation
- Opioid Coverage Task Force
- Reinsurance

Education

- Loyola University Chicago School of Law, J.D., 2022
 - Dean's List
 - CALI Award for Highest Grade in Legal Writing III
 - Advocacy Certificate
- Miami University (OH), B.A. in Policial Science, Minor in Ethics, 2019

Admissions

- Illinois
- U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Illinois
- U.S. District Court for the Central District of Illinois
- U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Wisconsin