

# **C. ERVIN REID**

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**C. Ervin Reid** joined the firm as a member in July 2006, bringing 20 years of extensive experience in litigation management. He has dedicated his practice primarily to the defense of manufacturers of medical devices and consumer products, and corporations in workers' compensation claims.

Ervin's experience in the courtroom extends from defending Products Liability, Personal Injury and Workers' Compensation cases in both state and federal courts, to summary judgment issues involving Preemption, and Workers' Compensation Bar and procedural requirements.

He served as national counsel for a leading manufacturer of personal consumer products, regional trial counsel for a national pharmaceutical manufacturer and regional counsel for national workers' compensation insurers and third-party administrators.

Ervin also serves as counsel for national retailers in Workers Compensation matters and represents healthcare providers in medical malpractice and other litigation.

His litigation skills have earned him recognition as a Virginia Super Lawyer® in the area of general litigation, Law & Politics, July 2006, and as one of the *Best Lawyers in America®* in workers' compensation defense since 2013.



#### **PRACTICE AREAS**

- Workers Compensation
- Transportation
- Products Liability
- Premises Liability
- Medical Malpractice Defense

#### EDUCATION

- College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, Virginia, J.D. (1986)
- University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, North Carolina, A.B. (1978)

### PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND SERVICE

- Virginia State Bar Association
- Virginia Association of Defense Attorneys
- City of Richmond Bar Association
- Defense Research Institute
- Primerus Defense Institute

#### **ADMITTED TO PRACTICE**

- Commonwealth of Virginia
- United States Court of Appeals for the 4th Circuit
- United States District Court for the Eastern and Western Districts
- United States Supreme Court Bar