

## Lathrop Gage Assists in Merger of OB/GYN Practices to Form Mid America Physician Services LLC

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OVERLAND PARK, Kan. (November 1, 2013) – Lathrop Gage LLP partner Randal Schultz (Healthcare – Overland Park) recently designed a new business relationship for four Kansas City-based obstetrics and gynecology practice groups to form Mid America Physician Services LLC.

Schultz worked with Johnson County Ob/Gyn, Women's Care, Women's Clinic of Johnson County and Women's Health Associates to create multiple employment, shareholder, management services and real estate related contracts, performed a detailed anti-trust analysis and designed health benefit and retirement plan funding formulas to take into consideration the ACA and the unique plan contribution requirements of multiple physician owners. There will be more than 30 physicians in the combined practice, which became effective today.

Schultz is a partner at Lathrop Gage LLP and the chair of the firm's Healthcare Strategic Business Planning Practice group. He has more than 28 years of experience handling significant transactions in healthcare law, insurance/employee benefits law, and corporate compliance.

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