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### Practice Areas:

Medical Malpractice, Civil Litigation, General Liability Defense, Nursing Home Abuse, Product Liability, Personal Injury, Premises Liability



Andrew A. Rief (Andy) is a partner in the firm's West Palm Beach office. He litigates claims involving personal injury or wrongful death related to allegations of medical malpractice, product liability, automobile negligence, commercial trucking negligence, premises liability, nursing home abuse, and general negligence. Mr. Rief also is a member of the U.S. Court of Federal Claims wherein Vaccine Injury Claims are filed. Moreover, Mr. Rief handles construction defect cases and other commercial disputes.

Mr. Rief has a Bachelor of Science in Nursing and worked for several years at St. Joseph's Hospital in Tampa, Florida as a health care professional, before pursuing his law degree at the University of Miami. This medical training and experience in the hospital setting has provided Mr. Rief with a unique insight into his cases and is invaluable to the representation of his clients.

Mr. Rief has received an AV Preeminent® rating from Martindale-Hubbell which reflects the greatest degree of ability and integrity as recognized by the legal community including judges and attorneys.

### EDUCATION

University of South Florida  
(B.S., 1996)

University of Miami School of Law  
(J.D., 2000)

### HONORS

South Florida's Legal Guide Top Rated Lawyers  
2012

### PRESENTATIONS

Documentation in the Outpatient Surgery Setting

Documentation-Protect Your Patient, Protect Your License

Who Can Give Informed Consent for Medical Treatment When the Patient Is Unable? (Health Care Surrogate, Proxy, Power of Attorney and Court Appointed Guardians)

Advanced Directives

### MEMBER

Florida Bar (2000)

U.S. Court of Federal Claims

U.S. District Court, Southern District of Florida