



## Religious Liberty and the Current Healthcare System

### Law and Policy Contacts/Additional Resources

#### A. Alliance Defending Freedom (ADF): [www.alliancedefendingfreedom.org/](http://www.alliancedefendingfreedom.org/)

1. **Primary Contact:** Alan Sears, Esq., President, CEO 2. **Mission:** An alliance-building legal organization that advocates for the right of people to
4. **See:** <https://www.adflegal.org/issues/sanctity-of-life/beginning-of-life/defending-those-who-defend-life/key-issues/obamacare/hhs-obamacare> 4. **See:** <https://www.adflegal.org/search?q=healthcare&category=&contentType=>

#### B. First Liberty Institute: [www.firstliberty.org](http://www.firstliberty.org)

1. **Primary Contact:** Kelly Shackelford, President 2. **Mission:** The largest legal organization in the nation dedicated exclusively to protecting religious
3. **See:** <https://firstliberty.org/newsroom/three-supreme-court-justices-warn-of-ominous-sign-in-rejection-of-pharmacy-case/>

#### C. Liberty Counsel: <https://www.lc.org/>

1. **Primary Contact:** Mathew Staver, Esq., President, CEO 2. **Mission:** An international nonprofit litigation, education and policy organization dedicated to
3. **See:** <https://www.lc.org/search-results?query=healthcare>

#### D. Pacific Justice Institute: [www.pacificjustice.org/](http://www.pacificjustice.org/)

1. **Primary Contact:** Brad Dacus, Esq., President 2. **Mission:** A legal defense organization specializing in the defense of religious freedom, parental
3. **See:** <http://www.pacificjustice.org/apps/search?q=healthcare>

#### E. American Center for Law and Justice: [www.aclj.org/](http://www.aclj.org/)

1. **Primary Contact:** Jay Sekulow, Esq., President 2. **Mission:** To protect religious and constitutional freedoms by engaging in legal, legislative and public
3. **See:** <http://aclj.org/search?q=healthcare>

#### F. Family Research Council: [www.frc.org/](http://www.frc.org/)

1. **Primary Contacts:** Tony Perkins, President and Lt. Gen. (Ret.) William G. "Jerry" Boykin, Executive Vice President 2. **Mission:** To advance family values
3. **See:** <http://www.frc.org/get.cfm?i=PG13F01&q=healthcare>

#### G. The Beckett Fund for Religious Liberty: [www.becketfund.org/](http://www.becketfund.org/)

1. **Primary Contacts:** William Mumma, President 2. **Mission:** A non-profit, public-interest legal and educational institute to protect the free expression of
4. **See:** <http://www.becketfund.org/?g=true&s=healthcare> 4. **See:** <http://www.becketfund.org/?g=true&s=health%20care%20mandates> 5. **See:** <http://www.becketfund.org/?g=true&s=health%20care%20lawsuits> 6. **See:** <http://www.becketfund.org/?g=true&s=health%20care%20religious%20>

#### H. Religion News Service: <http://religionnews.com/>

1. **Primary Contacts:** Jerome Socolovsky, Editor-in-Chief 2. **Mission:** A non-profit, secular news source that provides in-depth, non-sectarian coverage of
3. **See:** <http://religionnews.com/?s=healthcare> 4. **See:** <http://religionnews.com/2016/06/27/supreme-court-strikes-down-abortion-restrictions/>

#### I. Acton Institute: <http://www.acton.org/>

1. **Primary Contacts:** Rev. Robert A. Sirico, President 2. **Mission:** To promote a free and virtuous society characterized by individual liberty and
3. **See:** <http://www.acton.org/pub/religion-liberty/volume-19-number-4/christian-perspective-health-care-reform> 4. **See:** <http://www.acton.org/search>

#### J. United States Conference of Catholic Bishops: <http://www.usccb.org/>

1. **Primary Contacts:** Bishops and Eparchs 2. **Mission:** To act collaboratively and consistently on vital issues confronting the Church and society in
3. **See:** [http://www.usccb.org/search.cfm?site=newusccb&proxystylesheet=newusccb\\_frontend&q=healthcare&btnG.x=0&btnG.y=0&lang=eng](http://www.usccb.org/search.cfm?site=newusccb&proxystylesheet=newusccb_frontend&q=healthcare&btnG.x=0&btnG.y=0&lang=eng) 4. **See:** <http://www.usccb.org/news/2016/16-090.cfm>

#### K. Christian Medical and Dental Association: <https://www.cmda.org/>

1. **Primary Contacts:** Jonathan Imbody, Vice President 2. **Mission:** To provide programs and services supporting its mission to "change hearts in
3. **See:** <https://cmda.org/issues/detail/healthcare-reform>