

Involuntary Commitments: Much Has Changed in a Year


John W. Kaveney, a partner in the firm's [Healthcare](#) Department, will be on the faculty for the webinar "Involuntary Commitments: Much Has Changed in a Year" on Tuesday, October 1, 2024, from 11:00 am to 12:15 pm. The presentation will be hosted by the New Jersey Hospital Association (NJHA).

This webinar will examine changes to the New Jersey Involuntary Commitment Law, which provides hospitals with a new process to request a continued hold of a patient in need of involuntary commitment when a bed at an appropriate psychiatric facility cannot be obtained in a timely manner. The speakers will review the impact this new process has had on the overall involuntary commitment process, discuss the challenges hospitals have faced when utilizing this new process, and highlight solutions to complying with the new law. The program agenda is as follows:

Mr. Kaveney focuses his practice in healthcare law, representing a range of clients that includes for-profit and non-profit hospitals and health systems, academic medical centers, individual physicians and physician groups, ambulatory surgery centers, ancillary service providers, medical billing companies, skilled nursing and rehabilitation facilities, behavioral health centers and pharmacies. He is Editor-In-Chief of "[Healthcare Perspectives](#)," the firm's blog covering issues of interest to the healthcare industry.

Additional program information and registration details on the [NJHA website](#).

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A professional headshot of John W. Kaveney, a man with short dark hair, wearing a dark suit jacket, a white shirt, and a yellow tie. He is smiling slightly and looking towards the camera.

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