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James Robinson is a partner with Goodell DeVries and a member of the firm's Medical Malpractice and Appellate practice groups. James defends healthcare providers and healthcare institutions, including nursing homes and hospitals, as well as insurance companies in all phases of medical malpractice claims, from commencement to completion.

James has served as primary and support trial counsel in the Maryland district and circuit courts. He has drafted appellate memoranda and briefs and has presented oral arguments before the Appellate Court of Maryland.

Before entering private practice, James served as a judicial intern and as a law clerk to the Honorable Shirley M. Watts of the Supreme Court of Maryland. He also served as a law clerk to the Honorable William C. Mulford, II of the Circuit Court for Anne Arundel County.

Practice Areas

- Medical Malpractice
- Appellate

Court Admissions

- District of Columbia
- Maryland
- United States District Court for the District of Maryland

Education

- University of Baltimore, School of Law (J.D., *cum laude*, 2013)
- *University of Baltimore Law Forum* – Recent Developments Editor (2012-2013)
- *University of Baltimore Law Forum* – Staff Editor (2011-2012)

- George Washington University (B.A., *magna cum laude*, 2009)
- Special Honors, International Affairs Department

Professional Associations

- Maryland State Bar Association, Young Lawyer Section – 5th Circuit (Anne Arundel County) Liaison (2018-2020)
- Bar Association of Baltimore City, Young Lawyers Division – Chair (2022-2023); Chair-Elect (2021-2022); Secretary (2020-2021); Member-at-Large (2019-2020), Co-Chair, Awards Committee (2017-2019); Member, Memorial Committee (2018)
- Anne Arundel County Bar Association
- Maryland Defense Counsel, Inc.

Honors and Awards

- Best Lawyers – Ones to Watch
 - Medical Malpractice Law – Defendants (2024-2025)
- Chambers USA
 - Litigation: Medical Malpractice Defense (Maryland), Band 3 (2025)
- Maryland Super Lawyers – Rising Star
 - Civil Litigation: Defense (2022-2025)
 - Personal Injury – Medical Malpractice: Defense (2020-2021)