Experienced Brain Injury Lawyers



Passen & Powell is a boutique personal injury law firm distinguished by its exceptional results on behalf of individuals and families of those who have suffered brain injuries and other serious injury or wrongful death due to the negligence of others. Our approach involves thoroughly investigating each case and spending a substantial amount of time with our clients and their families to gain a true appreciation for what they have gone through.

This approach has resulted in record jury verdicts and settlements for our clients, including a \$19 million verdict for a nine-year-old child who suffered a severe traumatic brain injury at his private school in Chicago, a \$15 million settlement on behalf of a family involved in a catastrophic trucking accident, and a \$10.9 million verdict on behalf of a man who suffered catastrophic injuries in a home explosion caused by a defective product.

Each of our partners are recognized as top trial lawyers and leaders in the Chicagoland legal community:

Matthew Passen has been named one of the Top 40 Under 40 lawyers in Illinois, and is extremely active in the legal community, serving on the Chicago Bar Association's Board of Managers and as Chair of the Trial Practice Committee. In addition to his work with the Brain Injury Association of Illinois, he serves on the Shirley Ryan AbilityLab Associate Board.

Jordan Powell has also been named one of the Top 40 Under 40 lawyers in Illinois, and is a frequent writer and speaker on topics related to trial practice. He also volunteers his time with the Chicago Bar Association and his alma mater, Chicago-Kent College of Law.

Stephen Passen has spent the past 30+ years exclusively representing individuals and families in complex personal injury and wrongful death cases and has secured several multi-million dollar verdicts and settlements on their behalf. He is widely recognized as one of the top trial lawyers in Illinois.