

McDermott Will & Emery's Health Industry Advisory Practice Group Named 2011 Top Tier Firm by *Chambers USA* and *The Legal 500 USA*. McDermott is the *only Firm* to receive both top honors from the two leading international legal directories. These rankings demonstrate that McDermott is the preeminent law firm in the health law marketplace.



#### RECOGNIZED CLIENT SERVICE & INDUSTRY KNOWLEDGE

**McDermott maintains its position as the only firm to receive a national Tier 1 ranking in Health.**

The *2011 Chambers USA Guide: America's Leading Lawyers for Business* noted, "McDermott's healthcare team maintains its preeminent standing,

leading the way in terms of size, geographic coverage, clients and reputations. It is known for its prominence in cutting-edge healthcare work in regulatory, contentious and transactional matters."

**McDermott's German health practice also received a Tier 1 ranking in *Chambers Europe 2011* and was ranked first among 17 law firms across four tiers as a result of clients agreeing that "this firm is exceptionally strong in [healthcare]."**

"As a client, I really value that [McDermott] hosts a range of educational programs that I can attend", and "the lawyers truly understand our business and know how market changes will affect us."

– 2011 *Chambers USA*

"With 'a lot of good lawyers in a lot of places', and a 'very deep and broad practice', McDermott Will & Emery LLP 'fields a team of high-quality attorneys with deep expertise in their specialties and with a commitment to excellence and client service'."

– 2011 *Legal 500 USA*

"The firm has attorneys skilled across the full gamut of transactional, regulatory and litigation work, making it an undisputed leader in the nationwide healthcare arena."

– 2011 *Chambers USA*

#### THE McDERMOTT HEALTH WAY

The McDermott Health Way is a commitment to provide clients access to experienced practitioners who offer practical advice.

As one of the largest and most prestigious health law practices in the world, McDermott's 85+ member international health law team is resident in the Boston, Chicago, Los Angeles, Miami, Munich, New York, Rome, Silicon Valley and Washington, D.C. offices. Our international platform places McDermott at the center of major health sector legal and business developments worldwide. In the United States, the Firm advised on many of the Congressional inquiries and topics ultimately incorporated into the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act's (PPACA) overhaul of the nation's health care system. Our lawyers in key European centers as Munich and Rome have multi-jurisdictional health regulatory experience in such issues as the marketing of pharmaceuticals and medical devices, the licensing of health care providers and the design and implementation of international clinical trials, which further demonstrates the breadth of the Firm's global practice.

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