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DIANE PRADAT PUMPHREY (Diane) was born in Mobile, Alabama in 1955. She received

her Bachelor of Science in Nursing from the University of Mississippi in 1977 and her Doctor of Jurisprudence degree from Mississippi College School of Law in 1988. Prior to joining the firm, Mrs. Pumphrey held various administrative and staff positions in the health care field. Mrs. Pumphrey was selected to serve as a statewide mediator in a program administered by the Administrative Law Section of the Mississippi State Bar and the Mississippi Workers' Compensation Commission.

She is currently a member of the Hinds County and the Mississippi Bar Associations and is also a member of the Mississippi Defense Lawyers Association and Defense Research Institute. Mrs. Pumphrey handles workers' compensation, general insurance defense and medical malpractice work in both state and federal courts.



**Current Employment Position(s):**

- Shareholder

**Litigation Percentage:**

- 100% of Practice Devoted to Litigation

**Bar Admissions:**

- Mississippi, 1988
- U.S. Federal Court, 1988

**Education:**

- Mississippi College School of Law, Jackson, Mississippi, 1988
  - Doctor of Jurisprudence

- University of Mississippi, 1977
  - Bachelor of Science
  - Major: Nursing

#### **Professional Associations and Memberships:**

- Mississippi State Bar, Administrative Law Section
  - Statewide Mediator
- Mississippi Workers' Compensation Commission
  - Statewide Mediator, Program Administered
- Capitol Area Bar Association
- Mississippi Bar Association
- Mississippi Defense Lawyers Association
- Defense Research Institute

#### **Recent Decisions**

- Defense Verdict Affirmed on Appeal
- Pumphrey Receives Defense Verdict in Hinds County
- Pradat Pumphrey Receives Defense Verdict in Coahoma County
- Pradat Pumphrey Receives Defense Verdict in Hinds County
- Pradat Wins Medical Malpractice Suit.

#### **Practice Areas**

- Alternative Dispute Resolution
  - Appellate Practice
  - Construction Defense and Consulting
  - General Liability
  - Insurance Policy Coverage Opinions and Disputes
  - Medical Malpractice Defense
  - Motor Vehicle Defense
  - Premises Liability
  - Products Liability
  - Workers' Compensation Defense
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