What We Do

Areas of Practice

Medicaid Planning

We can help you qualify and apply for benefits.

Long-Term Care

We can assist in locating the appropriate type of care and coordinating private and public resources to finance the cost of care.

Estate Planning

We can design a customized estate plan that works for you. This may include a last will and testament, tax minimization strategies, living will, health care proxy, a durable power of attorney and various trust formulations.

Probate

We can help families untangle the legal process involved at the end of life.

Special Needs Trusts

We can help you establish and fund the correct type of trust to protect public benefits and provide for your loved one.

Guardianship

We can help families protect their children with special needs.

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An Elder Law, Estate, & **Special Needs Planning Firm**



Meet Samantha L. Shepherd



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Our Mission

Securing peace of mind and continuity of care for the aging and persons with disabilities. For many years, Samantha has served the elder care and special needs communities as they plan for their healthcare and financial wellbeing. Utilizing her legal expertise and compassionate heart, Samantha has successfully helped individuals and families as aging and crisis have left them vulnerable to ensuring self-care. She listens, advises, and walks these challenging roads with her clients while bringing together local, state-wide, and federal resources all to respond most effectively to her clients' needs.

Samantha began her legal career upon graduation from Boston College School of Law and furthered her education by earning an LLM from UMKC. After many years of professional legal experience in the public and private sectors, she started Shepherd Elder Law Group which, as of this printing, has served over 7,000 families in Kansas City and Hutchinson, KS.

Samantha is a member of the Kansas and Missouri chapters of the National Academy of Elder Law Attorneys (NAELA), KC Metropolitan Bar Association, Estate Planning Society of KC, and the KS and MO Bar Associations and, within, has held various leadership positions. Additionally, Samantha serves on the board of Down Syndrome Innovations and is the Founder & spokesperson for the charity, Special Needs Assured.

Our Values

Commitment Excellence Integrity Making A Difference

Our Legal Team

Shepherd Elder Law Group is its people. Our attorneys, paralegals, and support staff bring to our team their expertise, legal acumen, and compassionate hearts. They each aspire to ensure the care and well-being of our clients and to assist them in leaving a legacy for their loved ones.

For complete bios on our legal team, visit our website.