

## **Sharon Bridges**

Sharon Bridges is a nurse attorney with over 20 years experience representing healthcare providers, retailers and product manufacturers in an array of legal matters, including commercial transactions, employment and litigation. Sharon currently serves as in-house counsel for Baptist Memorial Health Care Corporation, a Tennessee non-profit corporation, with 21 hospitals located in Arkansas, Mississippi and Tennessee. Sharon previously served as Asst. General Counsel for Tulane University Medical Center. A former first chair trial attorney and Partner for a regional law firm, Sharon specialized in creating trial themes, defense strategies and voir dire presentations. A first chair trial attorney in over 25 cases, Sharon has served on regional and national litigation trial teams. Sharon is a former Vice President and General Counsel for the National Bar Association and has served in a leadership role for the American Association of Nurse Attorneys. In 2008, Sharon was honored as Mississippi Women Lawyer of the Year in 2008 and has received numerous awards for community service.