

## RELATED PRACTICES

Alternative Dispute Resolution  
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Financial Institutions  
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Trusts, Estates, and Wealth Transfer  
Zoning and Land Use Planning

# VORYS RECEIVES 70 TIER ONE RANKINGS ON 2018 U.S. NEWS – BEST LAWYERS "BEST LAW FIRMS" LIST

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Vorys, Sater, Seymour and Pease is pleased to announce the firm's inclusion on the 2018 *U.S. News – Best Lawyers* "Best Law Firms" list. Vorys was named a Best Law Firm nationally in 15 practice areas and a best metropolitan firm in 93 categories, among four Ohio metropolitan areas, Washington, D.C. and Houston, Texas. According to *U.S. News* and *Best Lawyers*, achieving a tiered ranking signals a unique combination of quality law practice and breadth of legal expertise.

## NATIONAL

### Tier 1

- Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law
- Commercial Litigation
- Litigation – Labor and Employment
- Real Estate Law

### Tier 2

- Banking and Finance Law
- Corporate Law
- Employment Law – Management
- Health Care Law

### Tier 3

- Environmental Law
- Franchise Law
- Land Use & Zoning
- Litigation – Environmental
- Mass Tort Litigation/ Class Actions – Defendants
- Tax Law
- Trust & Estates Law

## COLUMBUS

### Tier 1

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- Antitrust Law
- Appellate Practice
- Banking and Finance Law
- Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law
- Commercial Finance Law
- Commercial Litigation
- Commercial Transactions / UCC Law
- Construction Law
- Corporate Compliance Law
- Corporate Governance Law
- Corporate Law
- Eminent Domain and Condemnation Law
- Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law
- Employment Law – Individuals
- Employment Law – Management
- Energy Law
- Environmental Law
- Equipment Finance Law
- Franchise Law
- Health Care Law
- Insurance Law
- Labor Law – Management
- Litigation – Antitrust
- Litigation – Environmental
- Litigation – Labor & Employment
- Mass Tort Litigation/ Class Actions – Defendants
- Mergers & Acquisitions Law
- Non-Profit/Charities Law
- Oil & Gas Law
- Personal Injury Litigation - Defendants
- Product Liability Litigation - Defendants
- Real Estate Law
- Tax Law

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- Trusts & Estates Law
- Workers' Compensation Law – Employers

## Tier 2

- Civil Rights Law
- Immigration Law
- Land Use & Zoning Law
- Public Finance Law

## Tier 3

- Personal Injury Litigation – Plaintiffs

## CINCINNATI

### Tier 1

- Banking and Finance Law
- Commercial Litigation
- Corporate Law
- Litigation – Environmental
- Personal Injury Litigation – Defendants
- Personal Injury Litigation – Plaintiffs
- Real Estate Law
- Trusts & Estates Law
- Workers' Compensation Law – Employers

### Tier 2

- Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law
- Criminal Defense: White-Collar
- Environmental Law
- Franchise Law
- Litigation – Banking & Finance
- Litigation – Construction
- Litigation – ERISA
- Litigation – Labor & Employment

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- Product Liability Litigation – Defendants
- Tax Law

## **CLEVELAND**

### **Tier 1**

- Arbitration
- Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law
- Commercial Litigation
- Health Care Law
- Litigation – Intellectual Property
- Mediation
- Patent Law
- Trademark Law

### **Tier 2**

- Litigation – Bankruptcy
- Litigation – Securities
- Real Estate Law

## **AKRON**

### **Tier 1**

- Banking and Finance Law
- Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law
- Commercial Litigation
- Corporate Law
- Employment Law – Management
- Litigation – Intellectual Property
- Patent Law
- Real Estate Law
- Trademark Law
- Workers' Compensation Law – Employers

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## HOUSTON:

### Tier 1

- Arbitration
- Commercial Litigation
- Employment Law – Management

### Tier 2

- Employment Law – Individuals
- Labor Law – Management
- Litigation – Labor & Employment
- Patent Law
- Real Estate Law

### Tier 3

- Labor Law – Union
- Mediation

## WASHINGTON, D.C.

### Tier 1

- Legal Malpractice Law – Defendants

### Tier 3

- Commercial Litigation
- Ethics and Professional Responsibility Law

**About “Best Law Firms”:** The 2018 edition of the rankings was based on the highest number of participating firms and highest number of client ballots on record. To be eligible for a ranking, a firm must have a lawyer listed in The Best Lawyers in America®, which recognizes the top 4 percent of practicing attorneys in the US. Over 12,000 attorneys provided over 330,000 law firm assessments, and almost 7,000 clients provided close to 20,000 evaluations.

**About Vorys:** Vorys was established in 1909 and currently has nearly 375 attorneys in seven offices in Columbus, Cincinnati, Cleveland and Akron, Ohio; Washington, D.C.; Houston, Texas; and Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Vorys currently ranks as one of the 200 largest law firms

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