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Overview

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- Clinical Advising
- Medical Staff Advising and Relations
- Development of Policies, Procedures and Bylaws
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- Privacy
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- Health Services Contracts
- Health Services Restructuring
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Experience

Al-Ghamdi v College and Association of Registered Nurses of Alberta, 2020 ABCA 81

Makis v Alberta Health Services, 2020 ABQB 245

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Makis v Alberta Health Services, 2020 ABCA 168

Makis v Alberta Health Services, 2019 ABCA 288

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R v Fassman, 2019 ABQB 61

Makis v Alberta Health Services, 2019 ABCA 23

Laughlin v Alberta Health Services, 2018 ABQB 574

Elder Advocates of Alberta Society v Alberta, 2018 ABQB 37

Chan v Her Majesty the Queen, 2017 ABQB 796

Chan v. Her Majesty the Queen, 2017 ABQB 480, Alberta Court of Queen's Bench

Chalifoux v Alberta Health Services, 2014 ABQB 624, Alberta Court of Queen's Bench

Koerner v. Capital Health Authority, 2010 ABQB 753, Alberta Court of Queen's Bench

Laasch v. Turenne, 2009 ABQB 267

Guay v. Wong, 2008 ABQB 638, Alberta Court of Queen's Bench

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