

**Rick Kastner** 

General Counsel and Chief Administration Officer
Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Kansas City (Blue KC)

Rick Kastner is the General Counsel and Chief Administrative Officer for Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Kansas City (Blue KC).

He is responsible for leading the company's legal division, which provides and coordinates all legal services on behalf of Blue KC. Additionally, Rick is instrumental in oversight of the company's Government Relations, Corporate Compliance and Internal Audit divisions and activities.

Rick is deeply involved in the Blue Cross and Blue Shield Association (BCBS Association), and is a regular contributor and member of its legal committees and programs. He is also the immediate past president of the BCBS Association's Legal Department Cooperative.

Outside of the Association and Blue KC, Rick is committed to the health of the Kansas City community. He is the past president and board member emeritus of the Parkinson Foundation of the Heartland.

Rick has also been actively involved with The Civic Council of Greater Kansas City. He is a former member of its Alumni Association Board, and is a graduate of Kansas City Tomorrow, a council program committed to developing an expanded business leadership team that is capable of addressing and solving challenges facing the greater Kansas City region.

Rick's contribution to the community extends into his positions on the Kansas City Metropolitan and Johnson County Bar Associations. He also serves on the Downtown Council of Kansas City.

He holds a Juris Doctorate from Washburn University. Rick earned his Bachelor of Science from the University of Kansas. We will use our role as the area's leading health insurer to provide affordable access to healthcare and to improve the health and wellness of our members.



## **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

Board Member Emeritus
Parkinson Foundation of the Heartland

Former Member Civic Council of Greater Kansas City Alumni Association Board

Member Kansas City Metropolitan and Johnson County Bar Associations

Member
The Downtown Council of Kansas City

## **EDUCATION**

Juris Doctorate, Washburn University

Bachelor of Science, University of Kansas

To schedule an interview with Rick Kastner or for more information, contact:

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