



Fara Rodriguez

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Forbes Advisor Recognizes Fara K. Rodriguez as One of the Top Ten Best Divorce Lawyers in NYC. Fara was also recently named one of only 18 attorneys in Spear's "The best US family lawyers in 2026." She was featured in the Spear's article, "Conditional Love: Inside the Rise of Lifestyle Clauses in Modern Prenups," in which she discussed privacy, social media, reputational protections and the enforceability of lifestyle provisions in prenuptial agreements.

Fara is a principal in the firm's Family Law Practice Group, practicing exclusively as a matrimonial and family law attorney for over two decades. She is known as a zealous advocate for her clients in all aspects of family and matrimonial law. Fara's practice focuses on disputes involving divorce, distribution of marital and separate property assets, complex financial and custodial matters, parenting time, child and spousal support, paternity, domestic violence and other areas of family and matrimonial practice, including, without limitation, negotiating and drafting prenuptial and postnuptial agreements.

In addition to representing high-net-worth individuals in contested and uncontested matrimonial actions and child-related matters, Fara frequently deals with New York and New Jersey jurisdictional issues involving child custody and child support disputes under UCCJEA and UIFSA, as she has an active practice and is a highly respected member of the bar in both states. Fara manages all stages of divorce litigation for both financial and custodial issues, from commencement through trial, as well as successfully negotiating, facilitating and drafting settlements. When appropriate, she prepares cases for hearings and trials and conducts the same as lead counsel. Fara also regularly appears in court for status conferences and motion practice and engages in all stages of appellate practice, from writing briefs to arguing before the appellate court.

Fara is adept at representing clients during this distressing time in their lives by compassionately and confidently finding solutions to the complex challenges they often face. Additionally, she has penned materials for the "Basic Matrimonial Law Series" sponsored by the New York State Bar. Fara has also lectured for the New York State Bar and other professional associations on various family law issues.

Services

- Family Law

Education

- Georgetown University Law Center (J.D., *cum laude*)
- Binghamton University, State University of New York (B.A., *summa cum laude*)

State Bar Admissions

- New York
- New Jersey

Recognitions

- Named one of only 18 attorneys on [Spear's list of the Best U.S. Family Lawyers](#) (2026)
- [Top 10 Best Divorce Lawyers of NYC 2024, Forbes Advisor](#)
- Selected to New York Metro Super Lawyers® for Family Law (2022-2026)
- Outstanding Pro Bono Service Award, The Legal Aid Society
- Best NJ Lawyers for Families-Family Law, New Jersey Family Magazine (2026)
- Recommended U.S. Family Lawyer, Spear's Family Law Indices (2026)

Featured Works

Media

- Quoted in "[Conditional Love: Inside the Rise of Lifestyle Clauses in Modern Prenups.](#)" Spear's, June 23, 2026.
- Co-host of [Love Ends. Law Begins.](#)

Speaking Engagements

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[Civility in Matrimonial and Family Law Disputes](#), Lawline, March 18, 2025

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[Family Law in New York and New Jersey: Differences in the Application of the Law for Practitioners](#), Lawline, November 1, 2023

Publications & News

June 24, 2026

Fara Rodriguez Included in Spear's Family Law Indices 2026 as a Recommended U.S. Family Lawyer

May 15, 2026

Offit Kurman Attorneys Recognized in 2026 New York Metro Super Lawyers® and Rising Stars Lists

April 2, 2026

Four Offit Kurman Attorneys Recognized in New Jersey Family Magazine's "Best NJ Lawyers for Families" List

October 30, 2025

Sixteen Offit Kurman Attorneys Recognized in 2025 Edition of New York Metro Super Lawyers

March 27, 2025

Seven Offit Kurman Attorneys Named 2024 New York Metro Top Women by Super Lawyers

October 24, 2024

Thirteen Offit Kurman Attorneys Recognized in 2024 Edition of New York Metro Super Lawyers

January 12, 2024

Fara Rodriguez Named to 10 Best Divorce Lawyers NYC of 2024 List by Forbes Advisor

September 13, 2023

Offit Kurman Welcomes Five Attorneys in New Jersey and Maryland

Love Ends. Law Begins.

July 8, 2026

From Courtroom Rivals to Law Partners: Stephanie and Fara on Marriage, Money, and Red Flags

Hosts and Offit Kurman partners Stephanie Lehman and Fara Rodriguez open the series by tracing their path from opposing counsel in matrimonial cases to law partners and friends, including a chance reconnection while both were pregnant that eventually led...

June 12, 2026

Introducing Love Ends. Law Begins.

Love Ends. Law Begins. brings together Offit Kurman partners Stephanie Lehman and Fara Rodriguez—once formidable courtroom adversaries who faced off in complex matrimonial matters and are now colleagues and friends. Drawing on decades of experience in family law, they...