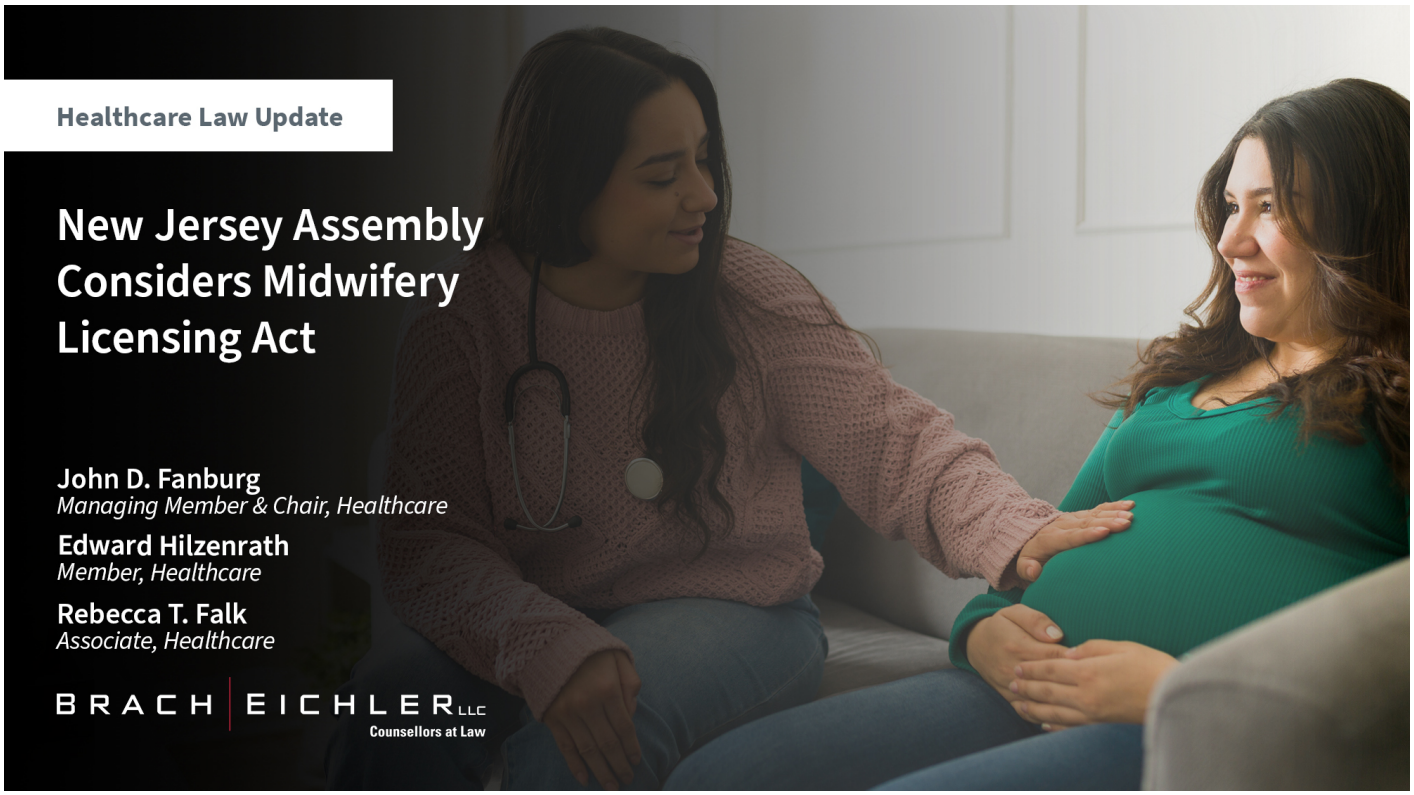
New Jersey Assembly Considers Midwifery Licensing Act



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The Midwifery Licensing Act, introduced in the New Jersey Assembly on April 10, 2025, would establish a new regulatory body, the Board of Midwifery, tasked with overseeing the licensure and regulation of certified midwives (CMs), certified nurse midwives (CNMs), and certified professional midwives (CPMs). Currently, these practitioners fall under the jurisdiction of the Board of Medical Examiners. If enacted, the bill would expand the scope of practice for CMs and CNMs, allowing them to prescribe, order, dispense, and administer drugs and medical devices, including controlled dangerous substances, consistent with their education and certification, and in compliance with applicable law.

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