



## { About Tim Takacs }

Tim Takacs is recognized nationwide as a leader in the important and demanding area of elder law. His innovations have transformed the way this specialty of law is practiced in the United States.

Takacs has been in private practice in the Nashville area since 1980. He is the architect of the “Life Care Planning” approach to elder law which features a team of attorneys, care coordinators, insurance experts, and others who work together to help families deal with challenges created by long life and disability.

### { CREDENTIALS SUMMARY }

- Graduate of the University of Notre Dame and the Vanderbilt University School of Law
- Certified Elder Law Attorney (CELA) and Certified Elder Law Specialist
- Charter member and first chairperson of the Tennessee Bar Association's Elder Law Section
- Member of the National Academy of Elder Law Attorneys (NAELA) since 1991
- Member of NAELA board of directors
- Charter member of the Special Needs Alliance, a network of the country's leading disability lawyers
- AV Peer Review Rating from Martindale-Hubbell
- Founder of The Tennessee Pooled Trust
- Listed in the 2007 edition of *The Best Lawyers of America* and the 2006 edition of *Mid-South Super Lawyers*

Takacs writes for and gives presentations regularly to attorneys and other professionals about elder law. He is founder of The *NAELA eBulletin*, a weekly newsletter published by the National Academy of Elder Law Attorneys. He is the author of *Elder Law Practice in Tennessee*, a treatise for Tennessee attorneys published by LEXIS Law Publishing, and *A Guide to Elder Law Practice*, scheduled for publication by LEXIS Law Publishing in spring 2007. He received the NAELA John Regan Writing Award for 2004, which is awarded by NAELA for the most original and influential article published in the *NAELA Quarterly* during the year. He is also a recipient of the 2003 NAELA President's Award.



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