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Brach Eichler's Alternative Dispute Resolution ("ADR") Practice helps parties evade the uncertainty and exorbitant cost of litigation in the courts, through mediation or arbitration in order to a timely resolution to complex disputes. Brach Eichler now has the ability to resolve a wide variety of disputes and to appear in major arbitration forums including the AAA and CPR, and can resolve a wide variety of claims in the U.S. through arbitration and other forms of ADR.

At the forefront of our ADR Practice is The Honorable Lisa F. Chrystal (Ret.), who served on the New Jersey Superior Court for 22 years, including 8 years in the Civil Division before joining the firm. Whether serving as mediator or consultant to legal teams, the depth and breadth of our experience allow us to provide deep, impartial and meaningful solutions. The ADR Practice offers mini-trials, private judging, and neutral evaluations of disputes and appellate arguments.

The ADR Practice develops sophisticated strategies for conflict management and resolution by placing an early and comprehensive focus on the business and personal relationships, transaction details, and other relevant factors that have contributed to a dispute. An effective resolution through ADR should uphold the rights of all parties, meet their objectives, preserve relationships, and avoid the time and expense associated with traditional litigation.

Brach Eichler has developed this conflict management practice, which brings its experience to bear on conflicts of all types and at any stage, with the goal of achieving efficient and expeditious solutions in the most cost-effective manner. When representing clients in ADR, our approach involves working with our clients and analyzing their needs to determine the best dispute resolution process to meet their needs. The ADR practice area encompasses mediation, arbitration, and other creative alternatives to formal legal proceedings, offering privacy, flexibility, and speed when compared to traditional litigation.

Insights

B|E in the News - October 24, 2025

Brach Eichler Named Law Firm of the Year Finalist - NJ Law Journal

Events - October 24, 2025

Hon. Lisa F. Chrystal, P.J.F.P. (Ret.) to Present at NJICLE's 2025 ADR Day Symposium 11/6/2025

Events - October 21, 2025

Judge Lisa Chrystal and Rebecca Falk to Speak at JBAR Women's Initiative CLE on Bias Against Women in Law on 11/20/2025

B|E in the News - September 10, 2025

Judge Lisa F. Chrystal on Why Mediation with a Retired Judge Leads to Better Outcomes

B|E in the News - September 9, 2025

How to Help Your Matrimonial Clients Prepare for Mediation

Awards - September 2, 2025

Brach Eichler Honored in NJLJ 2025 Legal Awards: Winners and Finalists

Awards - August 21, 2025

57 Total Brach Eichler Attorneys Recognized by Best Lawyers in America © 2026

Awards - July 10, 2025

Brach Eichler Named to NJBIZ's 2025 Best Places to Work List

Events - May 5, 2025

Mastering Family Law Trials: Bench Trial Basics CLE with Hon. Lisa F. Chrystal and Leading Attorneys - May 21

Events - May 2, 2025

Cultural Competency in ADR: Hon. Lisa F. Chrystal to Speak at 2025 NJSBA Annual Meeting