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Sheea (pronounced "Shay") Sybblis, is Associate General Counsel & Practice Group Leader leading a team of attorneys dedicated to the Customer and Patient-Facing teams at Genentech, a Member of the Roche Group, a pharmaceuticals business with approximately $25 Billion in annual revenues.

She was previously Associate General Counsel at Nestle Health Science, leading its pharmaceutical business legal operations and launch into the biologics pharmaceuticals sector. She was the Privacy Officer for Aimmune Therapeutics, a Nestle Health Science company. In this role, she worked closely with all major business stakeholders in the organization advising senior leaders on Legal, FDA Regulation, and Compliance matters.

Ms. Sybblis' previous experience includes serving as Director and Senior Counsel II at Boehringer Ingelheim Pharmaceuticals, Inc. an innovative, global company recognized as one of the pharmaceutical industry's top 20 companies with net sales were over 18 billion euros (over 20 billion U.S. dollars). and as in-house legal counsel at Bristol Myers Squibb. She is a key strategic advisor on issues of Market Access, FDA regulation, pricing, health economics research and outcomes, big data, real-world evidence, privacy and digital technology, in addition to therapeutic areas such as Oncology, Immunoscience, and Diabetes.

Prior to going in-house, Ms. Sybblis was an associate at Stroock & Stroock & Lavan LLP and Patton Boggs LLP (now Squire Patton Boggs LLP), two distinguished, national law firms; and completed a federal clerkship in the District of New Jersey.

Ms. Sybblis graduated with a B.S. in Biochemistry from the Honors College at the State University of New York at Stony Brook, obtained her M.B.A (with a concentration in Health Care Administration) from the Zicklin School of Business at Baruch College before earning her J.D. from Fordham University School of Law where she was the symposium editor of the Fordham Intellectual Property, Media, and Entertainment Journal.

An active member of her community, who is committed to the development of others, she has chaired or co-chaired numerous committees for the National Association of Women Lawyers (NAWL), served on the Corporate Advisory Board of the State of New Jersey Boys and Girls Club, served on In-House Planning Committee for the American Health Lawyers Association, is on the board of the New Jersey Women Lawyers Association (Co-Chair of Diversity), a senior leader with the Advancement Initiative for minority attorneys, and a former President of the Association of Black Women Attorneys New York. She has published in the areas of law, business and ethics, and taught as a visiting lecturer and adjunct professor of business and law in the New Jersey/New York area at universities and law schools such as Rutgers University, Emory School of Law and Fordham Law School.