

**Wisconsin Women's Council
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Michelle Mettner is the Vice President of Government Relations & Advocacy at Children's Hospital of Wisconsin (CHW). Michelle oversees the government relations for all CHW entities at all levels of government and directs its advocacy initiatives. With more than eighteen years experience in government relations, Michelle advocates at the federal, state and local level for policy effecting the better health and wellness of children and focuses on issues related to Medicaid reimbursement, health care, pediatric research and social services. She has an extensive background in legislative and administrative processes, health policy analysis, coalition-building, and strategic development.

Michelle is a *cum laude* graduate of the Northwestern University School of Law. Upon graduation, Michelle joined the Litigation Department of Foley and Lardner where she practiced in the litigation and labor and employment groups.

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