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FUTTERMAN LANZA, LLP HAS OFFICES IN SMITHTOWN, MELVILLE, AND GARDEN CITY. THE FIRM CONCENTRATES ITS PRACTICE IN ELDER LAW, ESTATE PLANNING, SPECIAL NEEDS PLANNING, AND VETERANS BENEFITS.

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Our holistic approach anticipates and provides solutions to the ever-changing landscape. Futterman Lanza assists families in preparing for any eventuality with Last Wills & Testaments, Living Trusts, Powers of Attorney, Living Wills, Health Care Proxies and Medicaid planning. Our extensive CPA knowledge is a value-added benefit for our clients in addressing the short and long-term tax implications of estate planning as tax laws continually evolve.

GUIDANCE FOR LIFE'S MOST IMPORTANT DECISIONS

With a thoughtful and proactive approach, the firm develops strategies designed to protect clients' needs today while preparing for the uncertainties of tomorrow. Planning ahead, rather than during a crisis, allows for more effective and cohesive long-term solutions.

The attorneys at Futterman Lanza are committed to delivering **creative, compassionate, and comprehensive** solutions, helping clients make informed decisions with clarity and confidence.

COMPREHENSIVE LEGAL SERVICES

ELDER LAW: Futterman Lanza helps clients develop individualized elder law plans, including Medicaid planning and applications, trusts to protect your home and other assets, irrevocable and supplemental needs trusts, life estates and deeds, powers of attorney, health care proxies, living wills, guardianship proceedings, and long-term care planning.

ESTATE PLANNING: Explains, recommends, and prepares estate planning documents to carry out each client's wishes, including Last Wills and Testaments, Credit Shelter Trusts, Insurance Trusts, Revocable Living Trusts, Gift & Estate tax issues and probate avoidance techniques.

ESTATE ADMINISTRATION: The loss of a loved one is among life's greatest challenges. Futterman Lanza can help you navigate this successfully. Our professionalism is highly respected in New York's Surrogate Court System. Futterman Lanza has a reputation for handling estate matters efficiently while helping to reduce conflict. This includes Federal and State estate and income taxes, Estate and Trust accountings, Intestacy (decedent dies without a Will), spousal rights (right of election) and probate.

ESTATE LITIGATION: Represent clients in contested estate matters involving wills, trusts, and accountings, with a focus on efficient resolution.

OUR ATTORNEYS, SOCIAL WORKERS AND STAFF WORK TOGETHER TO PROVIDE CLEAR GUIDANCE AND DEPENDABLE SUPPORT, HELPING CLIENTS NAVIGATE IMPORTANT DECISIONS WITH CONFIDENCE.



PLAN WITH CONFIDENCE

HOME CARE AND IN-HOME CARE: Futterman Lanza helps clients develop individualized elder law plans, including Medicaid planning and applications, trusts to protect your home and other assets, irrevocable and supplemental needs trusts, life estates and deeds, powers of attorney, health care proxies and living wills, guardianship proceedings, long-term health care planning , nursing home care/in-home care.

SPECIAL NEEDS PLANNING: Families of special needs and individuals have unique challenges and concerns that need to be carefully addressed. Futterman Lanza's attorneys offer experienced guidance for families of special needs individuals, covering crucial areas like Special Needs Trusts, healthcare options, and guardianships.

VETERANS BENEFITS: Veterans benefits can be confusing and frustrating. Our attorneys confidently advise clients on VA compensation, pension, and survivor benefits eligibility, making navigating benefits easier as part of an overall estate plan.

SOCIAL WORK & ELDER CARE ADVOCACY: The Elder Care Advocacy team provides hands-on support beyond legal services, helping families navigate care planning and healthcare decisions. This includes preparing for agency assessments, advocating for appropriate Medicaid home care services, assisting with Managed Long Term Care processes and appeals, and connecting families with trusted community resources.