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Geoffrey Bichler is the founding member and managing partner of Bichler, Oliver, Longo & Fox, PLLC and represents first responders around the State of Florida with work-related disability issues. Mr. Bichler received both his M.A. and J.D. from the University of Miami and has been handling workers' compensation, pension matters and Social Security Disability claims for firefighters, police officers, and correctional officers for more than 24 years.

Mr. Bichler speaks frequently to first responder groups, lawyers, and law school classes about the unique occupational health and safety issues facing first responders and special legislation protecting these groups. With a particular focus on Florida's "Heart/Lung Bill", Mr. Bichler and his firm have played a prominent role in many of the most significant cases involving heart disease and hypertension among first responders.

Mr. Bichler is on the Board of Directors of the Florida Workers Advocates, the Executive Council of the Workers' Compensation Section of the Florida Bar, and was appointed to the Central Florida Inns of Court for Workers' Compensation in 2014. He has been consistently recognized by Best Lawyers in America, is AV rated by Martindale-Hubbell, and has appeared in both Florida Trend's Legal Elite Edition and Orlando Magazine's Best Lawyers Edition over the last ten years.

When he is not practicing law, Mr. Bichler enjoys travel, sports, and time with his family.