



### A Fitness Center's Growing Pains

**Problem.** Three partners in a multi-state fitness center chain needed to divvy up the business operation equitably after successful growth had created a company size and business operations structure that proved difficult to manage.

### Smart Solutions.

- We divided the portfolio after negotiating equalization of financial and operational aspects of the business.
- We formed new entities with revised ownership, operational responsibilities, and financial assets and liabilities.
- We closed one unprofitable location in Texas, including providing a successful defense in a lawsuit filed by the landlord.

### Client Review.

*"We turned to Barrie Cowan because we needed an attorney who would work with us, and communicate openly with us during a highly stressful time. Barrie really understood what we needed to do with a business that had grown too large to manage effectively. I couldn't be happier with the results. "*

...Trevor R., Dallas, TX