



## **Ronald B. Barthell, CPA**

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Ron Barthell, Partner in the Individual Services Group, has been with Baker Tilly Virchow Krause, LLP since 1983. He specializes in healthcare and emerging businesses. Ron has extensive experience in tax and business planning for closely-held businesses and their owners. He also specializes in assisting dentists with various consulting needs, including operations effectiveness, valuations, human resource decisions, and proactive planning. Ron serves many clients in the healthcare industry and is a co-founder of the Academy of Dental CPAs ([www.adcpa.org](http://www.adcpa.org).)

### **Specific experience**

- > Specializes in tax planning and consulting for small/emerging businesses
- > Develops and implements tax saving strategies for small business owners.
- > Assists dentists with managing their practices including operations effectiveness, valuations, associate buy-ins, human resource decisions, sales and acquisitions, and proactive planning.
- > Provides entity choice analysis and planning for start-up and emerging businesses.
- > Has extensive background working with S-corporations and issues relating to family-owned businesses.
- > Proactively prepares and updates individual tax projections throughout the year.
- > Experienced in succession planning for family-owned businesses.

### **Industry involvement**

- > American Institute of Certified Public Accountants
- > Minnesota Society of Certified Public Accountants
- > Academy of Dental Certified Public Accountants
- > Frequent speaker at the University of Minnesota Dental School

### **Education**

University of Minnesota - Duluth  
Bachelor of Accounting