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## Daschle Does Healthcare

Former Senate Majority Leader **Tom Daschle** talked healthcare reform this week with the Children's Law Center at Arnold & Porter.



"It's an **evolution, not a revolution**," says DLA Piper's **Tom Daschle**, who's authored his own book on healthcare, *Critical: What We Can Do About the Health-Care Crisis*. (We recommend you buy it now; that's not an endorsement—we just want you to beat the Internet tax.) He says reform will be **disruptive**, but if we meet these **five characteristics**, we'll be fine: resilient, innovative, collaborative, engaged, and showing leadership. We snapped him with **Judith Sandalow**, who's headed CLC, DC's largest nonprofit legal services provider, since 2000; it now helps more than **2,000** at-risk children each year.



The Children's Law Center just launched its campaign to expand Healthy Together, a **legal-medical partnership** for DC children that Daschle called innovative and collaborative and noted its effective outcomes. We spotted Stradley Ronon M&A chair and former DLA Piper DC managing partner **Ted Segal** with the first lawyer and doctor to join Healthy Together: CLC's **Tracy Goodman** and Dr. **Ben Gitterman**. Tracy tells us she moved to **Brazil** with her husband, who was in the Foreign Service, and joined CLC in '02 when they moved back to DC.