

Aurora Auto Accident Checklist

Steps to take after a car accident in Aurora

Based on Auto Accident Lawyer Aurora by McCormick and Murphy

1. Immediate Safety and Medical Attention

Prioritize well-being and safety at the scene.

- Check yourself and others for injuries.
- Call 911 if medical attention is needed.
- Move vehicles to a safe location if possible without further injury.

2. Reporting the Accident

Ensure the incident is officially documented.

- Call the Aurora police to report the accident.
- Ensure an official accident report is filed.

3. Information Exchange

Gather necessary details from all parties involved.

- Exchange insurance information with the other driver.
- Exchange contact information with the other driver.
- Do not discuss fault with the other driver.
- Do not apologize to the other driver.

4. Documenting the Scene

Collect visual evidence of the accident.

- Take photos of all vehicle damage.
- Take photos of the accident scene.
- Take photos of road conditions.
- Take photos of traffic signs.
- Take photos of any visible injuries.

5. Witness Information

Identify and record details from anyone who saw the accident.

- Get contact information from witnesses.

6. Medical Evaluation

Seek professional medical assessment, even if you feel fine.

- Seek medical evaluation after the accident.
- Understand that some injuries may not show symptoms immediately.

7. Insurance Company Notification

Inform your insurance provider about the accident.

- Report the accident to your insurance company.
- Be careful about what you say to your insurance company.

8. Legal Consultation

Protect your rights by consulting with an attorney.

- Call an attorney before giving recorded statements.
- Call an attorney before signing anything from any insurance company.

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