Greeley Dog Bite Incident Checklist

Steps to take after a dog bite incident in Greeley

Based on Greeley Dog Bite Lawyer by McCormick and Murphy

1. Immediate Medical Care

Prioritize your health and document your injuries.

- ■ Seek medical attention immediately, even for minor bites.
- ■ Ensure a doctor documents your injuries.
- ■ Ask the doctor about potential infection risks.

2. Gather Dog Owner Information

Collect essential details about the dog and its owner.

- ■ Obtain the dog owner's full name and contact information.
- ■ Inquire about the dog's vaccination status, especially for rabies.
- ■ Note the dog's breed and description.

3. Document the Incident Scene

Preserve evidence of the bite and its circumstances.

- ■ Take clear photos of your injuries.
- ■ Photograph the location where the bite occurred.
- ■ Capture images of any torn clothing or damaged property.

4. Official Reporting

Create an official record of the dog bite incident.

- ■ Report the dog bite to Greeley Animal Control.
- ■ Ensure an official record of the incident is created.

5. Legal and Insurance Considerations

Protect your rights and avoid common pitfalls.

- ■ Do not give a statement to the dog owner's insurance company.
- ■ Consult with a lawyer before speaking to any insurance representatives.
- ■ Understand your legal options for seeking compensation.

6. Follow-Up Actions

Continue to manage your recovery and legal process.

- ■ Attend all follow-up medical appointments.
- ■ Keep records of all medical bills and expenses.
- ■ Gather any witness contact information if available.

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