

Highlands Ranch Dog Bite Checklist

Steps to take after a dog bite incident in Highlands Ranch.

Based on Highlands Ranch 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 wounds.
- Ensure the wound is professionally cleaned and treated.
- Document all injuries with photographs.

2. Incident Documentation

Gather crucial information about the bite.

- Identify the dog involved.
- Identify the dog's owner.
- Collect contact information from any witnesses present.

3. Official Reporting

Create an official record of the incident.

- Report the dog bite incident to Douglas County Animal Control.

4. Insurance Company Interaction

Protect your claim by being cautious with insurance adjusters.

- Avoid giving statements to insurance companies before consulting a lawyer.
- Be aware that adjusters may try to minimize your claim.

5. Legal Consultation

Understand your rights and begin building your case.

- Contact a dog bite lawyer as soon as possible.
- Discuss your case with legal counsel to protect your rights.

Resources & Further Reading

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Prompt action and documentation are key after a dog bite.