

McCormick & Murphy Bad Faith Case Studies

Examples of insurance companies acting in bad faith and the outcomes for policyholders.

Based on Case Studies by McCormick and Murphy

Factor	Case Name	Insurance Company	Outcome
Type of Claim	Auto Accident	Homeowners Insurance	Auto Accident
Insurance Company's Action	Denial of claim	Delay tactics	Lowball offer
Policyholder's Experience	Suffered significant financial loss	Forced into litigation	Faced mounting medical bills
Legal Strategy	Bad faith lawsuit filed	Bad faith lawsuit filed	Bad faith lawsuit filed
Settlement/Verdict	Substantial settlement	Significant jury verdict	Favorable settlement
Impact on Policyholder	Recovered damages	Received compensation	Financial relief obtained

Resources & Further Reading

Related guides to support your comparison:

■ Bad Faith Insurance Claim Checklist

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■ Action Sheet: Navigating Bad Faith Insurance Claims

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Holding insurance companies accountable for bad faith practices is crucial for policyholder recovery.