

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 for injuries.
- Check all passengers for injuries.
- Call 911 for medical attention if anyone is injured.
- Move vehicles to a safe location if possible without further injury.
- Seek medical evaluation even if you feel fine.

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 relevant traffic signs.
- Take photos of any visible injuries.

5. Gathering Witness Information

Collect contact details from anyone who saw the accident.

- Get contact information from any witnesses.

6. Insurance Company Communication

Report the accident to your insurer cautiously.

- Report the accident to your insurance company.
- Be careful about what you say to your insurance company.
- Do not give recorded statements to any insurance company before consulting an attorney.
- Do not sign anything from any insurance company before consulting an attorney.

7. Seeking Legal Counsel

Understand when to involve a legal professional.

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

Resources & Further Reading

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