

Highlands Ranch Auto Accident Checklist

Essential steps to take after a car accident in Highlands Ranch.

Based on Auto Accident Lawyer Highlands Ranch by McCormick and Murphy

1. Immediate Safety & Medical Attention

Prioritize your health and safety right after the crash.

- Check yourself and others for injuries.
- Call 911 immediately if anyone needs medical attention.
- Seek medical attention from a doctor as soon as possible, even if you feel fine.
- Ensure the scene is safe if possible.

2. Documenting the Accident Scene

Gather crucial evidence at the scene.

- Take photos of all involved vehicles.
- Photograph the damage to each vehicle.
- Capture pictures of the surrounding area.
- Document road conditions (e.g., weather, road surface).
- Take photos of any visible injuries.

3. Information Exchange

Collect necessary details from other parties involved.

- Exchange insurance information with the other driver.
- Exchange contact information with the other driver.
- Get contact information from any witnesses present.

4. Communication Guidelines

Be cautious about what you say and to whom.

- Do not discuss fault at the scene.
- Do not apologize to the other driver.
- Do not give a recorded statement to any insurance company before speaking with an attorney.
- Do not sign anything before speaking with an attorney.

5. Insurance Company Procedures

Follow the correct steps when dealing with your insurance.

- Report the accident to your insurance company promptly.
- Understand your policy requirements.
- Do not accept calls from the other driver's insurance company.

- Do not agree to any settlements until you have legal advice.

6. Record Keeping

Maintain organized records of all accident-related expenses and treatments.

- Keep records of every medical visit.
- Save all prescriptions related to the accident.
- Track all expenses incurred due to the accident.

Resources & Further Reading

Use these pages while working through the checklist:

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