

Slip and Fall Incident Checklist

Steps to take after a slip and fall accident in Walsenburg

Based on Slip And Fall Lawyer Walsenburg by McCormick and Murphy

1. Immediate Medical Care

Prioritize your health and document your injuries.

- Seek medical attention for your injuries, even if they seem minor.
- Follow all doctor's orders and attend follow-up appointments.
- Keep detailed records of all medical treatments and expenses.

2. Reporting the Incident

Ensure the fall is officially documented.

- Report the fall to the property owner or manager immediately.
- Request that an official incident report be created.
- Obtain a copy of the incident report if possible.

3. Documenting the Scene

Preserve evidence of the cause of your fall.

- Take clear photos of the specific hazard that caused your fall.
- Take photos of your visible injuries.
- Take photos of the surrounding area where the fall occurred.

4. Gathering Witness Information

Identify and collect details from anyone who saw the fall.

- Identify any individuals who witnessed your fall.
- Collect the full names and contact information of all witnesses.

5. Protecting Your Rights

Be cautious about statements and communications.

- Do not give a recorded statement to any insurance company.
- Avoid discussing the details of the incident with anyone other than your lawyer.
- Do not admit fault for the incident.

6. Legal Consultation

Seek professional legal advice promptly.

- Contact a slip and fall lawyer as soon as possible.
- Discuss your case with an attorney before speaking with insurance adjusters.
- Understand your legal rights and options.

7. Evidence Preservation

Ensure crucial evidence is secured.

- Understand that evidence can disappear quickly.
- Work with your attorney to preserve all relevant evidence.
- Provide your attorney with all documentation and information you have gathered.

Resources & Further Reading

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