

Auto Accident Process Flow

Steps to take after a car accident in Longmont

Based on Longmont Auto Accident Lawyer by McCormick and Murphy

Step 1: Check for Injuries and Call 911

Immediately assess if anyone is injured. If there are injuries, call 911 for medical assistance. Seek medical evaluation even for seemingly minor injuries, as symptoms can be delayed.

- Some injury symptoms may not appear immediately.



Step 2: Call the Police

Contact the police to file an official accident report. This report is crucial documentation.



Step 3: Document the Scene

Take photographs of the accident scene, including vehicle damage, road conditions, and any visible injuries.



Step 4: Exchange Information

Swap essential details with the other driver, such as names, insurance policy information, and contact numbers.



Step 5: Gather Witness Information

If there were any witnesses to the accident, obtain their contact information.



Step 6: Avoid Admitting Fault

Do not admit fault or apologize to the other driver, as such statements can be used against you.

- Even casual apologies can be misconstrued.



Step 7: Notify Your Insurance Company

Inform your insurance provider that an accident has occurred. However, refrain from giving detailed recorded statements or accepting settlement offers without legal counsel.

- Consult an attorney before providing recorded statements or accepting settlements.



Step 8: Keep Detailed Records

Maintain organized records of all related expenses, including medical treatments and vehicle repairs.

Resources & Further Reading

Related guides for this process:

■ Longmont Auto Accident Checklist

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■ Longmont Auto Accident Action Sheet

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