

What to Do After a Motorcycle Accident in Brighton

A guide to seeking compensation after a motorcycle crash.

Based on [Motorcycle Accident Lawyer Brighton](#) by McCormick and Murphy

Step 1: Understand Your Rights

Recognize that motorcycle riders have the same rights to compensation as any other vehicle operator, regardless of blame assigned by insurance companies.

- Insurance companies may try to blame the rider, but the law does not automatically do so.
- The fact that you were on a motorcycle does not reduce your right to compensation.



Step 2: Identify Liability

Determine if another driver's actions caused the accident through negligence, such as violating your right of way or failing to check their blind spot.

- The other driver is liable if their negligence caused the accident, irrespective of the vehicle you were operating.



Step 3: Gather Evidence

Collect evidence to counter any bias or blame placed on you by insurance companies.

- Collect witness statements.
- Obtain accident reconstruction reports.
- Secure traffic camera footage.
- Document the driver's own admissions of fault.



Step 4: Consult a Motorcycle Accident Lawyer

Seek legal representation from a lawyer experienced in motorcycle accident cases in Brighton.

- A lawyer can help counter bias with evidence.
- They can ensure your right to compensation is protected.



Step 5: Pursue Compensation

Work with your lawyer to file a claim and seek fair compensation for your injuries and losses.

- Your right to compensation is not diminished because you were riding a motorcycle.

Resources & Further Reading

Related guides for this process:

■ Motorcycle Accident Checklist

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■ Motorcycle Accident Action Sheet

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