Car Accident Checklist

☐ Stay at the scene. If your car is not in a safe place, move it to a safe place, as close to the accident scene as possible.

☐ Call 911 for help if you/somebody else is injured. If you are unable to call, tell somebody you are injured as soon as possible and ask them to call 911.

☐ Check others for injury if you are able. First passengers in your car, then the other vehicles involved. If you haven’t already, call 911 for help if anybody is hurt.

☐ Call the police if there’s property damage but nobody is injured.

☐ Get information from the other driver(s):
  • Name;
  • Insurance info (insurance carrier; policy number; agent name & phone number);
  • License plate number;
  • Driver’s License Number.

☐ Get names and contact info from any witnesses.

DO NOT ADMIT GUILT, APOLOGIZE, or DISCUSS RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE ACCIDENT. If somebody wants to bring this topic up, don’t say anything.

☐ Take pictures (if you can, or have someone else do it). Photos should include
  • Vehicle damage
  • Skid mark pictures
  • Pictures of the accident scene, especially pictures showing the vehicles before being moved, if possible

If you or somebody else is injured, or there is serious property damage, you should

☐ Speak to a car accident lawyer as soon as possible.

You can reach Isaacs & Isaacs car accident law firm now, at 800-800-8888. We will
  • Answer your questions,
  • Give you a free case evaluation,
  • Help you know what to do next