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THE ESSENTIAL

# Personal Injury Claim Checklist

Wondering how to begin your personal injury case? We can help.



Focus on this list to support your chances for full and fair compensation.

## ✓ 1. File a Police Report and Make Sure the Details Are Accurate

The insurance companies and courts rely on this document during a claim or trial.

## ✓ 2. Document Everything About the Accident

Take pictures of injuries and damage; write down all the details you remember.

## ✓ 3. Go to the Doctor Immediately and Often

Get medical treatment ASAP, don't skip appointments, and follow all instructions.

## ✓ 4. Show Medical Bills and Lost Income

These specific, financial costs are a major part of your compensation. Keep records of every penny.

## ✓ 5. Note Daily Pain and Suffering

Write down activities you struggle with, your level of pain, and any feelings of stress.

## ✓ 6. Limit Discussions About the Case

From talking to the insurance companies to posting online, your words can be used against you.

## ✓ 7. Negotiate a Fair Settlement

The insurance company's first offer is almost always too low. Your lawyer can help negotiate.

## ✓ 8. Fully Heal Before Settling

Settling quickly means you risk not getting compensation you might need in the future.

## ✓ 9. Know the Statute of Limitations

In Georgia, you have two years to file an insurance claim or lawsuit.

## ✓ 10. Work With an Experienced Attorney

An experienced attorney like Harry Brown increases your chances for fair compensation, usually without any out-of-pocket cost to you.

# The Brown Firm Can Help

**To learn more about successfully navigating your personal injury case, contact an attorney who will walk with you every step of the way.**

The Brown Firm prioritizes personalized service and ongoing communication and leads with compassion.

Call **(800) 529-1441** today, or use the **form on our site** to set up your free consultation.