

FILING A CAR ACCIDENT CLAIM

A guide presented by LAW OFFICES OF
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If you're hurt in a car accident, here's what you need to do:

1. *CALL* our offices right away. We'll ask for this information:



- When did the accident happen?
- Where did the accident happen?
- How did the accident happen?
- What happened to you physically?
- What insurance companies were involved?

2. An *ATTORNEY* will speak with you in more detail.



3. We'll meet with you *IN PERSON*.



- If you can't come to our offices, we'll come to you.

4. We will notify the *INSURANCE COMPANY*.



- We will ask them to no longer contact you directly.
- Our attorneys will field their questions on your behalf.

5. You can seek *MEDICAL TREATMENT*.



- Have Med Pay and/or health insurance? Your insurance should pay for your care.
- No insurance? We'll arrange to have you treated on an attorney's lien basis.
- We will help coordinate your care and remain in contact.

6. We will *RESOLVE* your claim.

- In most cases, we'll work to negotiate a settlement that you approve.
- If the insurance company won't make a fair offer, we'll file a lawsuit and take your case to trial, if necessary.

After an accident, get an experienced attorney on your side right away. Contact **Gary Martin Hays & Associates** to handle your claim.