

5 Critical Steps to Take After a CAR ACCIDENT

1 Be Safe & Call 911

Check for injuries to yourself, passengers, and any other individuals involved. If safe, move vehicles out of traffic to prevent further risk. Once everyone is safe, call for help by dialing 911, especially if there are injuries or if you wish to file a police report.

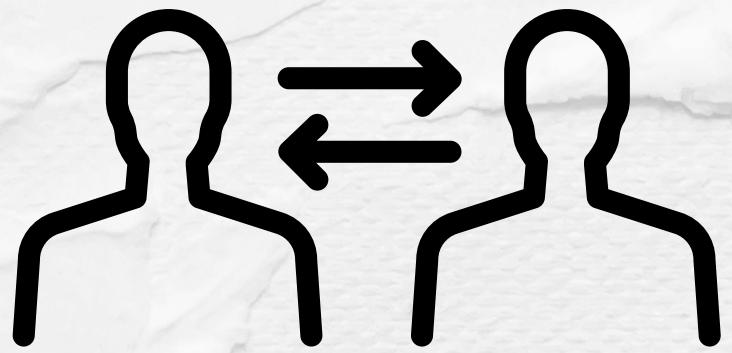


2 Document the Scene

Take photos of vehicle damage, the scene, license plates, road conditions, and traffic signs. Next, gather the other driver's name, contact details, and insurance information. If there are any witnesses, be sure to get their names and contact information.

3 Exchange Information

Be sure to share your contact details and insurance information with the other driver, but avoid discussing fault or blame at the scene. Admitting fault or discussing what happened may be used against you later.



4 Seek Medical Attention

Even if you feel fine, it's important to consult a healthcare professional, as some injuries may not exhibit symptoms immediately. Make sure to seek medical attention within 14 days of the accident to document your injuries.



5 Notify Your Insurance

Always notify your insurance company after an accident, but consult an attorney before contacting them. Calls may be recorded, and legal guidance ensures your answers protect your best interests.

