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# Car & Truck Accident Checklist

## 1. Preparing Before The Accident

- Recent before pictures of yourself before accident
- Before pictures of your vehicle
- Emergency Equipment Kit** - Flashlight, First-Aid kit, Cones or Flares, and Disposable Camera.
- Declaration Page of Insurance Coverage**
- Contact Information of a preferred Personal Injury Attorney**

## 2. Immediately After The Accident

- Call the Police**
- Stay at the Scene of the Accident \* The Exception \*** If you don't feel safe, leave and contact the police
- Check on the passengers and other drivers**

## 3. Before The Police Arrive

- Talk to witnesses and ask what they saw**
- Write down the contact information of witness**
- Take pictures of your personal injuries**
- Take pictures of your vehicle**
- Take pictures of the other vehicle**
- Take pictures of other vehicle' license plate**
- Take pictures of other vehicle's driver's license**
- Take picture of other vehicle's insurance card**
- Take pictures of anything that was hit & involved in the accident**
- Take picture of streets where vehicles are visible**

## 4. When The Police Arrive

- NEVER** admit fault to the other driver or the police
- Write down badge numbers and phone numbers of all officers who responded to the accident**
- Ask officer if anybody is going to receive a citation**
- Request the police report number**

## 5. Do NOT make your accident public information

- Talk to your attorney before speaking about the accident**
- Stay away from Social Media until you talk to your attorney**