

WHAT TO DO IF YOU GET HIT BY A DRUNK DRIVER



Step 1: Call 911

Contacting the police not only helps to protect your rights, it also ensures that there will be documentation proving the collision occurred.



Step 2: Exchange Contact Information

This can be difficult if the other driver is under the influence, but if you try to speak with them and notice signs of inebriation take note of what you see, hear, and smell. If the other driver is coherent, exchange contact and insurance information and wait for law enforcement to arrive.



Step 3: Notify the Police That You Believe the Other Driver Is Intoxicated

When police arrive on scene, advise them of your observations and suspicions. The police will investigate the other driver and determine whether they are showing signs of impairment.



Step 4: Gather Evidence

Use your phone to take pictures of your vehicle, any other vehicles involved, and the surrounding scene of the accident. Pictures of broken road signs or fences, tire marks, and other signs of damage can be critical to an investigation. If any witnesses are nearby, ensure that the police also speak with them to obtain a statement. Evidence gathered at the scene can be beneficial when seeking legal assistance.



Step 5: Seek Medical Attention

After you've been in a car wreck you will likely be agitated and feel a rush of adrenaline. This can delay symptoms of a serious injury. We recommend you visit a doctor ASAP. By failing to seek medical treatment you may be putting your health at risk.



Step 6: Contact DeVaughn James Injury Lawyers

We can help you get the compensation you deserve. We can help you obtain medical treatment and get the money you need to pay your bills. If you are forced to take time off of work, we can help you recover lost wages. We can also fight for other damages, including pain and suffering and emotional distress.



Your Kansas City, Topeka & Wichita Injury Attorneys.

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THE KANSAS CITY TEAM LINE UP

DeVaughn James is expanding with a new office in Kansas City! This expansion allows us to better serve Kansas City and the surrounding areas, making it easier for the community to access our trusted legal services when you need them the most.



Claire is compassionate, dedicated, and zealous about helping others. When she is not advocating for her clients, Claire enjoys baking, spending time with her dog and watching "The Office."

She is always looking for opportunities to travel and try new things!

Biggest Strength: Toughness
100% Pressure on the Bad Guys



Andrew Geren is a top-rated personal injury attorney with nearly a decade of experience representing clients who have suffered harm due to the negligence or wrongdoing of others. He and his wife Jill have been together for over 16 years and love calling Kansas City Home.

Biggest Strength: Negotiation 100% Clients Defended



Alyssa has extensive experience as a Senior Legal Assistant and plans to implement this knowledge while helping Kansas City Clients. Her and her husband, Tanner, have a baby boy named Callen. In her spare time, she enjoys watching college soccer and listening to True Crime Podcasts.

Biggest Strength: Leadership
100% Integrity



<u>Top Notch Teacher Award</u>

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We will announce the first winner on 9/18/2023.

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We're showing our appreciation for the veterans who make it possible to enjoy living in a free country by sharing their stories. **If you are in the Topeka area, be sure to watch KSNT NEWS Wednesday's at 10:00 p.m.** as DeVaughn James Injury Lawyers and KSNT NEWS honor our veterans with a Veteran Salute!





If you know a veteran who you would like to honor in the Topeka area, submit your nomination by email at veterans@ksnt.com or you can contact KSNT directly at 785-582-3263.