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# A Guide To Personal Injury Claims

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Many cities are so populous, that the chances of being injured in a road accident has increased compared to previous decades. Injuries at home are also becoming a more common occurrence. Whether you are injured on the road, in your home, or at a private business, there are several types of personal injury claims that you need to be aware of.

According to the injury lawyers at Sullivan & Galleshaw, LLP, there are various laws that can affect personal injury claims, depending on the state. This is why it is important to find a local attorney familiar with your state's laws. It is also wise to find an attorney that is familiar with the type of injury case you have suffered. For example, if you suffered injury from medical malpractice, you should find a lawyer that has handled these types of cases before.

Below is a list of the common types of injury case types.

# **Common Personal Injury Claims**

#### • Injuries due to a car accident

Car accidents continue to happen at an accelerated rate. Many accidents, especially high-speed ones, are likely to cause severe injuries. You can always file an insurance claim in such cases so that you can receive compensation for your injuries. You may be able to get compensation for lost wages as well as the total amount of your medical bills.

# • Accidents due to tripping or slipping

It is very common to fall from stairs or slip over something in another person's house or business. Another possibility is that you can step on uneven pavement. This is why it is often advised that your home should be bereft of any kind of dangerous structures. If a homeowner is responsible for any kind of malfunctions, you may be able claim compensation for that.

#### • Injuries due to medical malfunction

If you are undergoing treatment at a hospital, you expect healthcare professionals to be properly trained and experienced in their field of specialization. However, any kind of medical negligence can also put your life at risk.

Any kind of failure in diagnosis or mistakes committed during surgeries that lead to health issues

can lead to the filing of a medical malpractice case.

# • Wrongful death

There are cases where people often demand a claim for the loss of their family members. This can happen when a loved one dies due to someone else's negligence. This may be because of the lack of medical care or due to a car crash. The time period during which a claim can be filed is called the statute of limitations.

#### • Workplace injuries

Construction sites are considered one of the most dangerous places for working. They possess a greater risk to a worker's life. Employees have always been more prone to getting injured at their workplaces. In cases of such injuries, you may be able to receive compensation for lost wages, disability, and medical expenses.

#### • Injury due to the use of defective products

You may have heard about defects in auto parts or the explosion of batteries in several products. Defective products are the result of errors that occur during the process of manufacturing. If you get hurt because of these malfunctions you can file a complaint against the manufacturing company and ask for compensation.

### • Injury in brain

If you receive brain injuries through a fall, road accident, or any other accident, it can turn out to be fatal or cause permanent disability. You can ask for substantial compensation in such cases.

All the injuries mentioned above can lead to severe health issues like spinal injuries, concussions, damage to limbs, broken bones, and may even cause you to experience emotional trauma.

#### Conclusion

Any kind of injury caused by another person's or business's negligence is often enough for you to claim compensation for financial and physical damage that you have suffered.

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