

# BICYCLE ACCIDENT

TIPS & INFORMATION CARD

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Injured in a bike accident? Call us for help.

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# CYCLISTS: WHAT TO DO IF YOU ARE HIT WHILE RIDING

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*What you do at the accident scene and immediately afterwards is crucial.*

**1) Seek medical help immediately.**

**2) Call 911 and request police.**

It's important you wait for police to arrive so they can take a full police report.

**3) Do not admit fault or make any statement to anyone except police.**

Talk only with the officer to give details and your account of the accident.

**3) Find as many witnesses as you can.**

**4) Do not discuss the accident details with anyone.**

Call Henson Fuerst at 919-781-1107 before you talk to an insurance company.

**Free Consultations. On Call 24/7.**

## **TAKE PHOTOS OF:**

- ✓ The entire accident scene including street signs
- ✓ The driver's car showing any damage & their license plate
- ✓ The driver's license and their insurance policy card
- ✓ The damage to your bicycle
- ✓ Any & all injuries you suffered
- ✓ The police officer's name & badge number

## **RECORD/NOTE**

- ✓ Record all witness statements
- ✓ Get witness names, contact information and email



## DON'T DISMISS A BIKE ACCIDENT

Treat a bicycle accident with the same seriousness as a car accident. Too many motorists believe colliding with a bicycle doesn't really count. We do. We are bicyclists too, and understand **bike law**.

Whether you need help with a bicycle accident claim, or any type of accident, call Henson Fuerst. We're here to help.

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[ncdot.gov/bikeped/lawspolicies](http://ncdot.gov/bikeped/lawspolicies)



North Carolina General Statutes  
**NCGS § 20-150 & § 20-154**