



Navigating a Semi-Truck Crash

Commercial drivers and their employers must adhere to strict state and federal regulations regarding:

- ◆ Testing and licensing
- ◆ Vehicle height and weight
- ◆ Drivers' hours of service
- ◆ Driver log-books
- ◆ Truck maintenance records

If any of these regulations are violated, the driver and the driver's employer can be held liable if an accident occurs.

What you say and do immediately following an accident can greatly impact your ability to recover compensation. If you have been injured in a semi-truck crash, we strongly suggest you follow these steps:

- Call the police immediately
- Seek medical attention
- Get the name, contact info and insurance of the driver and the trucking company
- Gather names of witnesses and take pictures of the accident scene
- Write down everything you remember about the accident
- Do not admit fault
- Do not give a statement to the other driver or their insurance company
- Contact your insurance company right away
- Do not talk about the accident with family, friends or on social media platforms
- Keep a detailed journal with all expense receipts and medical records
- Seek guidance from a law firm specializing in truck accident personal injury cases



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Matt Casey and Matt Devoti are seasoned trial attorneys with nearly 40 years of experience. If you or a loved one has been injured or killed in a semi-truck crash, Matt and Matt will meet for a *free*, no-obligation consultation.

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