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Las Vegas Personal Injury Lawyer

YOUR MEDICAL MALPRACTICE CHECKLIST

Being involved in a medical malpractice incident can be devastating. It's critical for you to have a meticulous attorney to make sure no details are missed in your case. To help you navigate the aftermath effectively and protect your rights so we can move forward with your personal injury claim, follow these steps to navigate this challenging situation with confidence.



- [ ] **Stay Calm and Assess the Situation:**
  - Take a deep breath and remain calm.
  - Understand common signs of medical malpractice, such as misdiagnosis, surgical errors, medication mistakes, and failure to obtain informed consent.
  - Trust your instincts if you feel that you've received substandard medical care or experienced unexpected complications.

- [ ] **Gather Medical Records:**
  - Obtain copies of all relevant medical records, including doctor's notes, test results, treatment plans, and prescriptions.
  - Request records from all healthcare providers involved in your treatment, including hospitals, clinics, specialists, and pharmacies.



- [ ] **Document The Evidence:**
  - Keep detailed records of the circumstances surrounding the medical malpractice incident, including dates, times, locations, and names of healthcare providers involved.
  - Document any symptoms, injuries, or adverse effects resulting from the malpractice, along with their impact on your daily life and overall well-being.

- [ ] **Obtain Expert Opinion:**
  - Consider seeking opinions from medical experts or specialists in the relevant field to evaluate the standard of care provided and determine if malpractice occurred.

- [ ] **Seek Medical Attention:**
  - Even if you feel fine, it's crucial to seek medical attention promptly.
  - Visit a doctor or go to the emergency room for a thorough evaluation.
  - Keep records of all medical treatments, including doctor's visits, prescriptions, and medical bills.

Answer These Questions To The Best Of Your Ability

	Yes	No	Unsure
Did your doctor or medical staff invoice you or your insurance?	☐	☐	☐
Did you have a treatment-based relationship with a doctor or medical staff?	☐	☐	☐
Do you believe you were harmed by your doctor or a member of medical staff?	☐	☐	☐
Did this incident result in injury or physical discomfort?	☐	☐	☐
Did this incident lead to emotional distress?	☐	☐	☐
Did your doctor or medical staff fail to accurately diagnose you?	☐	☐	☐
Were you not adequately informed of potential risks?	☐	☐	☐
Was there negligence by your doctor or medical staff in any other aspect?	☐	☐	☐

Keep All Economic Records

- Preserve any physical evidence (devices, medication bottles, etc.).
- Records of communications (healthcare providers + insurance companies).
- Proof of missed work due to injuries and testimony from financial planners on potential future lost earnings.

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Contact us right away for a **FREE** evaluation to help protect your rights, negotiate with insurance companies, and pursue maximum compensation for your injuries and damages. Contact **702.331.5722**

Moreover: get expert opinions to help strengthen your case and provide valuable insight during negotiations or litigation, document and gather information, transportation receipts or mileage due to treatment, and prioritize contacting us before reaching out to insurance companies. This ensures preparation for future conversations, minimizing the risk of missing out on maximum benefits.

We know medical malpractice incidents can be unsettling, but with the right support, they don't have to be. At Howard Injury Law, we're always here to stand by you as your experienced legal team of attorneys.