

Protect Rights Following a Rear-End Accident

Rear-end wrecks are perhaps the most typical example of auto wreck that occurs on our roads and freeways . Most of state automobile rules and regulations provide for vehicle operators to drive behind automobiles in front of them at a heedful distance, or what can be considered adequate distance to stop for the auto in front of you. As such, the operator of the rear-ending car is almost always considered to be responsible as a result of following too closely or quick stops .

This is not always true and exceptions do exist, though. Such as:

- If another vehicle cuts you off via an unsafe lane change and braking at the same time
- If the rear-ended automobile is in the reverse gear shift at the time of the collision
- If your auto is stopped in traffic and hit by a fellow car , which then causes you to collide into the automobile directly in front of you
- If the car in front of you has faulty brake or signal notifications

A [Dallas car wreck attorney](#) can help you recover for any resulting damages from this type of collision , whether it is from the driver of the auto responsible or their insurance company .

Impact from Rear-End Accidents

The impact of rear-ending a car is thought to be similar to crashing into a wall at half the speed you were driving, a force felt by the driver of both vehicles . Translated this means if you are involved in an accident with a vehicle traveling at 20 mph, it will be similar to the feeling of crashing into a wall at 10 mph.

A typical result of this impact is a medical term commonly known as whiplash. The effects of this can vary from mild and bearable neck pain to persistent pain and severe disability.

What to do After a Rear-End Accident

Unless your accident is extremely minor and no visible damage or injuries are caused , it is always a good idea to call the authorities . Even though this can be a time consuming matter , their testimony can then be proof utilized by the insurance company to file and settle any claim for compensation without debate over who is at fault .

If you are find yourself unable to report the wreck to the police , make sure to ask for the following from the other driver involved: name, address, phone number, driver's license number, license plate number, and finally the name and policy number of their insurance agency .

Lastly, you should contact an experienced [Dallas car accident lawyer](#). The question of whether you are owed compensation can be a tricky one, and the Rasansky Law Firm can provide you a free evaluation to see if you have a worthwhile claim. So don't take the risk!

