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What to Do After a Car Accident from The Law Office of Stanley A. Davis

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Items you should keep in your vehicle in the event you are in a car accident:

- Copy of any relevant medical information concerning you and your family;
- Insurance information and registration;
- Pen and paper.

Immediately following your accident:

- Stay calm and check for injuries to yourself and anyone else involved.
- Call 911 and tell the operator if you need an ambulance and stay on the line.
- Give a truthful statement to police about the facts of the accident but do not admit fault.
- Take pictures of the accident site with your cell phone.
- Move the cars out of traffic IF the accident is minor (ask the police.)
- Get the names and contact information of the other drivers and passengers involved in the wreck and anyone who witnessed the accident.
- Get the insurance information of the other drivers involved in the crash.
- Write down notes about the accident when your memory is fresh.
- Contact your own insurance company but **DO NOT** speak to another driver's insurance company before you obtain your own attorney.
- Limit your discussion of the accident to the police and your own insurance company.
- Do not leave the scene of the accident until the police give you the OK (or if you need medical assistance.)

As Soon As Possible, Call a Nashville Car Accident Lawyer: (615) 690-2080