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PERSONAL ATTENTION AND DEDICATION THROUGH EVERY PHASE OF THE CASE

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NEWSLETTER

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How Soon Can an Injury Case Be Settled?

The answer depends on the nature and extent of the injury and how long the recovery takes. We do not recommend any case be settled before a medical doctor discharges our client from treatment for crash or fall-related injuries. If the injury is permanent and requires ongoing medical treatment, we request that the treating physician issue a written opinion regarding the nature and extent of the treatment as well as the future costs involved. Most physicians take a month or more to issue such an opinion letter. Finally, if the insurance carrier will not offer reasonable compensation for the value of the case, litigation may well be warranted.

If you, your family or friends are injured in the evening or on a weekend,

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Crashes, Falls & Headaches: Has the Injured Person Suffered a Concussion?

Headaches often appear after a sudden injury, even when there is no direct blow to the head. Immediate medical attention is required, even though an accurate evaluation of headaches is difficult when this type of pain is first experienced. Here is the information the physician will need to know:



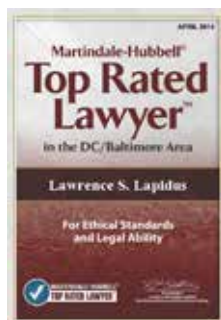
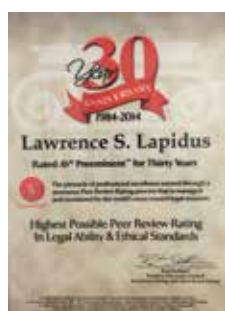
- The duration, severity and frequency of the headaches since the crash or fall
- A history of whether the head struck an object
- Whether the neck was suddenly jerked backward or forward

Depending on which of these factors is present, the headaches may have been caused by the physical injury to the neck, upper torso, back, knees or lower extremities. However, if the headaches are accompanied by dizziness, nausea, memory loss, hyper-sensitivity to light, speech or other symptoms showing cognitive impairments, the headaches may indicate a concussion, even if only some of these symptoms are present. If a physician believes that a concussion is present, the injured person needs to be examined by a neurologist.

If you, or your family or friends have experienced headaches after an injury,

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Attorney Lawrence S. Lapidus was recently selected by his peers for inclusion in *The Best Lawyers in America*® 2017 in the field of **Personal Injury.**



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