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PERSONAL ATTENTION AND DEDICATION THROUGH EVERY PHASE OF THE CASE

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# NEWSLETTER

## FROM THE DESK OF



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According to a recent Blue Cross/ Blue Shield Study, looking at national data from 2010–2015, *the*

*diagnosis of concussions is more frequent with each passing year.*



### Highlights:

- 43% increase during the study period
- 71% increase in people aged 10-19
- 2 times more for males than females in the teenage years

Not all of the concussions documented are due to sports injuries. The term "concussion" is a less frightening way of saying a "mild traumatic brain injury". Medically, the words mean the same. While most of the publicity centers on sports injuries, especially in football, any sudden jerking of the neck imposed by an outside force—even without a loss of consciousness—can produce a concussion. Undiagnosed, a concussion can last longer, lead to further injuries, and cause impairments in the activities of daily living.

**If you, your family or friends received a concussion in a car crash or as a result of a fall on commercial property,**

**GIVE ME A CALL!**

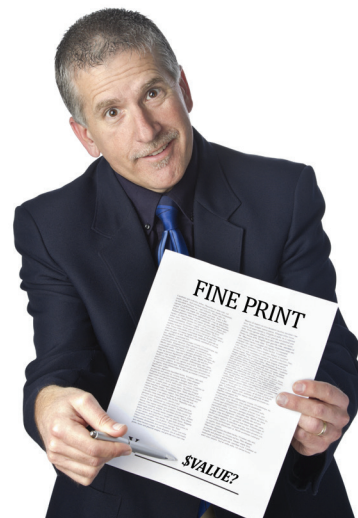
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**I CAN HELP!**

## Our Auto Liability Insurance Sales System: Let the Buyer Beware!!!

After a car crash involving personal injuries and damage to the vehicle involved, many learn for the first time that even though they purchased so-called "full" coverage, that they were actually under-insured. This can easily happen when the sales agent itemizes all the items "covered" but remains silent on what amounts of protection are involved and why you may need more protection than just the minimum required by local law.

If your insurance is the minimum required by local law, you may not have any additional insurance to protect you/your family financially against the costs of recovering from even non-disabling injuries. The insurance sales agent is unlikely to tell you how much each level of insurance will cost **UNLESS YOU ASK**; if you do ask, you will discover that the price differential between various levels of insurance is not as much as you might guess. With costs of medical care rapidly rising every year, no one can afford to not have adequate financial protection against these rising costs. Most Americans depend upon their incomes to provide the necessities of life. If such income is lost or sick leave/paid time off is depleted, bills may go unpaid. This can be minimized by having adequate no-fault coverage such as PIP in Maryland and Med-pay in Virginia.



**If you, your family or friends are injured in a car crash or in a fall on commercial property,**

**CALL ME AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.**

**We will investigate all possible sources of insurance**

**I CAN HELP!!!**

If you, your family or friends are injured, choose an experienced injury attorney whose understanding of insurance claims and court systems can obtain fair and reasonable recoveries.

**Call Me** for a Free Consultation

**DC/VA 202-785-5111**  
**MD 301-605-4296**

### 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.**

Listed in *Who's Who in American Law*, 2011–2016

Listed in *Best Lawyers in America* 2005–2016

Selected as a "Top Lawyer" by *Washingtonian Magazine*

Selected as a "Top Attorney in Maryland" by *Baltimore Magazine*

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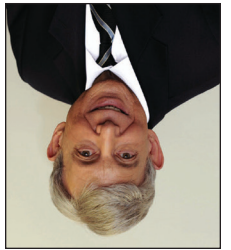
If you, a friend, or relative have been injured in an auto accident, I can help. **Call Me** for a Free Consultation



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