



YOUR GUIDE TO MAKING A CYCLING ACCIDENT CLAIM

EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO KNOW WHEN MAKING A CYCLING ACCIDENT CLAIM

YOU'VE HAD A

CYCLING ACCIDENT.

Cycling is an increasingly popular activity. The desire to get fit and the environmental benefits of switching from car to bike have contributed to the increase in the number of bikes on the road. As a result, there has been an increase in the number of cycling accidents. While some accidents are simple mistakes or blameless incidents, sometimes an accident happens due to more intentionally negligent behaviour.

If your accident and therefore your injuries were caused by someone else's unfair, improper or negligent behaviour then you should be able to make a compensation claim.

If no one else appears to be at fault or if you are at fault for your own injury, then it is unlikely that you will be able to claim compensation.

With over 25 years experience in helping injured individuals and their families secure compensation and access the very best care and rehabilitation- our team of solicitors have the experience and expertise required to help you with your cycling accident claim.

We look forward to working with you and getting you the compensation you deserve.

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CAUSES OF CYCLING ACCIDENTS

Accidents that may be eligible for compensation

Cyclists are known as vulnerable road users as cycling accidents are fairly common. Nevertheless, a cycling accident can still be a traumatic experience and injuries can be life changing.

If you have been knocked off your bike by another road user you may be entitled to compensation. Other common kinds of accidents are those which involve:

- Potholes
- Spillages and objects in the road
- Other road users e.g. pedestrians, drivers
- Defective or faulty cycling equipment

The amount of compensation you may receive is calculated on an individual basis for each accident, as every accident is unique. Because so many different types of injury can be sustained in cycling accidents, compensation amounts can vary hugely. As a result, it's up to your solicitor to negotiate the maximum amount of compensation you are legally entitled to.

In order for us to provide a more specific idea of how much compensation you are entitled to, we will need to speak to you about your case in detail.

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REBECCA, LONDON, JANUARY 2020



WE KNOW

TYPES OF INJURY

Unfortunately often cycling accidents involve serious injuries such as head or spinal injuries. Other common cycling injuries include:

- Broken arm
- Fractured pelvis
- Soft tissues injuries
- Psychological injury
- Broken collarbone

YOUR GUIDE TO COMPENSATION

It's what we do best

When you have been injured, the process of contacting a legal professional and starting a claim can seem unnerving.....

Don't worry, we'll take care of everything.



HERE FOR YOU

Jefferies Solicitors are approachable and happy to help you, we want to make the process as simple as possible for you so that you don't have to deal with any unnecessary burdens during an already stressful time. Our experts will explain the process to you and we will guide you and work with you at each step of the legal the journey.

NO WIN, NO FEE

Jefferies Solicitors offer a 'no win, no fee' service which means that if your case is not successful, you won't have to pay any legal fees to us. Monetary worries can often be a barrier for making a claim and therefore we want to ensure that this does not stop you from getting any compensation that you deserve.

WHAT HAPPENS

Our experts will take initial details about your case to assess whether or not you have a viable claim as well as the amount of compensation you are likely to be owed. Our solicitors will then start gathering evidence to strengthen your case. Most personal injury cases can have a time limit on them for when you can no longer claim compensation, usually this time limit is three years. Therefore, you should contact our team as soon as you know that you want to make a claim.

GET THE COMPENSATION YOU DESERVE.



CONTACT US

Please don't hesitate to contact Jefferies Solicitors for a confidential discussion about your case.

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If your injuries are severe enough that you require a form of physical rehabilitation, our team want to ensure that you get this treatment as soon as possible to make the best recovery that you can. If our solicitors are able to prove that the other side were partly or fully to blame then we can sometimes secure funding for treatment prior to the case being completely settled.

The most important part of claiming compensation is that your physical and mental health is supported through the money you gain and if this includes serious treatment, our solicitors will do their best to secure funding for you.