A REMINDER FOR THE NEW YEAR: WE’RE HERE TO HELP

We get asked all the time by callers which situations Carpey Law can help with. Although we handle a variety of personal injury cases, here are a few of the things we can help you with:

Car Accidents
Were you or someone you know recently involved in a car accident and the insurance company told you something along the lines of “you don’t have a claim” or “we can’t help you unless you do the following by this date”? BE ADVISED: these are standard scare tactics that insurance companies use all of the time. If an insurance company is giving you the run around, you should consult a lawyer.

Motorcycle Accidents
Motorcycle accident victims can suffer very serious and sometimes life-threatening injuries in motorcycle crashes. Unlike in car accident cases, your own insurance company will not pay any of your medical bills. Talk to us to find out how and why you are entitled to payment of medical bills, and compensation for your injuries.

Slip and Fall Accidents
Although we had some days that felt like Spring this past December, we expect some colder days to come our way and with the cold weather comes dangerous ice and snow conditions. Be careful this winter but if you fall due to lack of snow or ice removal, contact our office to find out if you can be compensated for your injuries.

So, give us a call! If you ever need us, you have an experienced legal team standing by to answer your questions and guide you through the process.

‘Tis the Season

Last month, Marketing Director Tiffany took her 9-month-old son, Wesley, to meet Santa for the first time. “It went as expected,” she said, laughing.

Did you take your kids to see Santa last month and get a picture worth framing? We want to see your Santa photos! All reactions welcome! Each submission will be featured in next month’s newsletter and on the Carpey Law official Facebook and Instagram pages.

Just send your photos by text to Carpey Law at (610) 834-6030, by email to tsonnentag@gmail.com or by Facebook Messenger to the Carpey Law Facebook page.
“Nobody Else Was Injured… Do I Have A Claim?”

Let’s just say that you were going to an Eagles game with a couple of pals. You were in the front seat of your buddy’s Jeep which has stopped at a red light. And the next thing you know it feels like you’ve been punched from behind. It was a rear-end collision!

Unfortunately, you hurt your neck. But your pals were fine.

When you went to make a claim with the other guy’s insurance company the adjuster made it clear that ‘he wasn’t buying your story…’ about being injured. Your friends were in the same Jeep, but you were the only one who got hurt. Very interesting!

Remember, just because a group of people were involved in the same car accident doesn’t mean that they’re all going to be injured. Or, to take it a step further, to have suffered the same injuries.

People are like snowflakes. They’re all different.

Your height. Your weight. The position of your body. Your muscular structure. Your health prior to the accident. These are only a few of the factors that can determine why certain people are injured in a car accident while others aren’t.

What Is “Settlement Value” In A Personal Injury Case?

Settlement value is the amount of money that both sides believe a jury will ultimately compensate the accident victim for his or her injuries. Of course both sides typically have different amounts. Of course not all cases go to a jury trial. In reality, settlement value is the absolute rock-bottom number that you would accept for a settlement in your personal injury case. Keep in mind that along with the settlement value every case involves expenses for each phase of the lawsuit (discovery, trial preparation and trial).

REMINDER ABOUT OUR FIRM’S COMMUNICATION POLICY

About us: We perform very high quality legal work. We are highly competent and we have a highly competent support staff, but we are not perfect. We can make mistakes. We will correct a mistake if we find it or if you point it out.

We recognize that our clients have several options of personal injury lawyers in the region and are honored to deliver exceptional representation. We are committed to exceeding your expectations.

Thank You!

- Stuart

It is our policy to return phone calls in the order they are received and based on the priority of the situation. If you leave a message, your call will be returned usually within 24 hours. Some clients feel that calling multiple times in a day will get their call answered faster, but that is not the case. Email is the quickest way to get a response from anyone in the office. We work by appointment only. Without an appointment, it is unlikely Mr. Carpey would be able to meet with you.

Please utilize our support staff to answer your questions and to give you status reports. Our legal assistants and paralegals are very experienced and will often be able to respond to your requests.
**Spaghetti Squash Au Gratin**

**INGREDIENTS:**
- 1 medium spaghetti squash
- 1 pound chicken breast
- 1 medium onion diced
- 2 tbsp butter
- 2 cloves garlic grated
- 3/4 cup plain greek yogurt or sour cream
- 1 1/3 cup cheddar cheese
- 1/2 tsp salt
- 1/2 tsp black pepper

**DIRECTIONS:**
1. Preheat oven to 375 degrees.
2. Cut squash in half and scoop out the seeds with a spoon. Season the spaghetti squash with a little bit of olive oil, salt and pepper.
3. Lay skin side down on a rimmed sheet pan that is lined with aluminum foil.
4. Cut your chicken breast so you have four pieces of chicken. Place the chicken on the sheet pan, season with salt and pepper.
5. Bake for 45 mins or until cooked to a touch with a fork. When the squash is cooked Scrape the flesh with a fork to create noodles and dice your chicken in to small pieces.
6. While the chicken and squash are cooking place the onions with the butter in a pan on the stove over medium low heat until very soft.
7. Once everything is cooked combine the spaghetti squash noodles, chicken, onion, yogurt, 1 cup of the cheese, salt and pepper in a large bowl.
8. Place the mixture back into the empty shells and top with the cheeses and place under the broiler until golden brown.

**This is a good one…it can be made without the chicken as a side dish, or with the chicken as a main course.**

**Running At Altitude, Running With Attitude**

Laura Carpey ran the ColderBolder high up at the University of Colorado, Boulder, where daughter Emily goes to school.
Thank You To Our Referring Attorneys

Call me with any legal questions about injuries from any accident or medical care.

I promise to give you a straight forward answer.

That’s my guarantee.

610.834.6030

If you are one of our many referring attorneys, remember we are here to answer any of your questions and those of your clients. If any questions or issues come up in the next month from any of your clients on any of the kinds of cases that we handle, and that you may not be comfortable handling, please feel free to call us, or have your clients call us directly. Make sure to have your client say that you made the referral, so we know who to thank! When speaking to clients that come to us from other attorneys, we always emphasize that it was your good judgment that allowed Carpey Law to take part in the case.

You can call Stuart Carpey directly to discuss our firm’s litigation and trial tactics, and our core values, or email him at scarpey@carpeylaw.com

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