

How To Proceed After Being Bitten By a Dog?

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Dog bites are really common in Georgia, and it's important you have someone on your side. If a household pet bites someone unexpectedly, it is still liable for the victim's injuries, even if it seems friendly. But there may be exceptions to this law based on the circumstances, which is why it can be a good idea to contact a lawyer about your particular case.

After being bitten by a dog, you should see a doctor. Any small scrapes or cuts from the bite can become serious if you don't attend to them right away. Go straight to an emergency room or seek out medical help after getting bit by a dog. Getting immediate medical attention is not only smart, but it's also beneficial because as a result, you'll have your medical history.

Next, find out who the dog is owned by. The information about the vaccination history will go towards your medical records for you to know any relevant information. Finding out who the dog's owner is to find out if this person will also be held responsible for their pet's actions is also important for your lawsuit.

You should call a dog bite lawyer in Atlanta and find out your legal options. We at Atlanta Injury Law Center can provide a free, no-obligation consultation to answer your questions as soon as possible.

What To Do If The Insurance Company Get In Touch With Me?

Dog owners are more likely to have homeowners' insurance on their homes. If you were bitten by a dog, their insurance company will reach out to you. Don't panic!

When you have a homeowners insurance claim, it can be tempting to go against the insurance company by yourself. However, an insurance company may just try to pay out the least amount

possible in order to protect their client.

What Can you collect damages for?

- Medical costs
- Property damage
- Pain, both physical and emotional.
- Lost Wages
- Diminished earning capacity
- Loss of enjoyment of life

