

Accident Journal

Your accident journal is another means of **evidence collection**. Write how you remember it, as soon as possible, so you will not lose important details.

How to Use the Accident Journal



Write at least once a day, whether the pain has progressed or subsided.

Some symptoms may appear later so you need to monitor your injury.



Maintain accuracy.

Be brief yet detailed in your entries, as this may be used as evidence in court.



Print as many copies as you need.

Organize your journal forms in a binder or a folder.



Keep the log pages where you will remember to fill them out.

For other concerns regarding this journal, please consult with your lawyer.



Your Name and signature

Accident Overview

Name:	
Date of the accident:	Time:
Location of the accident:	
Weather condition:	
Witness 1:	Witness 2:
Phone number:	Phone number:
Email:	Email:



Medical Appointments

Date:	Time:	Health facility:	
Diagnosis:			
Treatments received	:		
Medications needed:			
Attending physician:			Total expenses Incurred:
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Attending physician:			Total Expenses Incurred:
Additional notes:			
Your Name and signa	ature:		



Daily Post-accident Pain Journal

Overview of pain and symptoms resulting from your accident

Date:	Time:									
Name:										
Description of pain/symptoms:										
PAIN INTENSITY SCALE To assess the severity of your pain, please encircle the number that applies to you										
o	1	2	3 1	4	5 	6 	7	8 	9 	10
NO PAIN	MILD	DISCOMFORTING	TOLERABLE D	DISTRESSING	VERY DISTRESSING	INTENSE	VERY INTENSE	HORRIBLE	SEVERE	UNBEARABLE
Pain frequency: Once Recurring Permanent										
Pain triggers:										
Effect/s on o	daily a	ctivities:								
Pain Manage					— rehab	ed therapilitation		Took me	edication	1
Medication side effects: Important notes/additional information:										
Your Name a	and sig	nature:								