

# Legal Claim Assistant Shares Guidance for Victims of Hit-and-Run Accidents

*Hit-and-run accidents continue to affect thousands of Americans each year, leaving many victims facing medical and financial uncertainty.*

MIAMI, FLORIDA, FL, UNITED STATES, May 20, 2026 /EINPresswire.com/ -- June 20, 2025 - Miami, FL — [Legal Claim Assistant](#) is providing informational guidance for individuals affected by hit-and-run accidents as law enforcement agencies across the United States continue to report serious injuries and fatalities linked to drivers fleeing crash scenes.



According to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA), hit-and-run incidents account for a substantial number of pedestrian fatalities and injury-related crashes each year. Safety experts note that these accidents often leave victims facing complex insurance challenges and delayed financial recovery.

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Victims of hit-and-run accidents often face uncertainty long after the crash itself.”

*Sarah Miller, Legal specialist  
at Legal Claim Assistant*

“Hit-and-run accidents can leave victims feeling overwhelmed and uncertain about what steps to take next,” says Sarah Miller, Legal Assistant at Legal Claim Assistant. “Understanding available insurance coverage and legal options is important during the recovery process.”

## Common Injuries in Hit-and-Run Accidents

Medical professionals report that hit-and-run crashes may result in a wide range of injuries, including:

Traumatic brain injuries

Broken bones and fractures  
Neck and spinal injuries  
Internal bleeding  
Emotional trauma and anxiety

Pedestrians, bicyclists, and motorcyclists are often at greater risk of severe injury because they have limited physical protection during impact.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) continues to identify motor vehicle crashes as a leading cause of serious injury in the United States.

### Challenges After a Driver Leaves the Scene

When a driver cannot be identified, accident victims may face additional complications involving:

Uninsured motorist claims  
Delayed insurance investigations  
Difficulty recovering medical expenses  
Lost income during recovery  
Emotional stress related to unresolved cases

Legal Claim Assistant notes that many victims are unaware that uninsured motorist coverage may apply even when the at-fault driver is never located.

“Many individuals do not realize they may still have legal or insurance options available after a hit-and-run accident,” Miller adds.

### Settlement Amounts in Hit-and-Run Injury Cases

Compensation in [hit-and-run accident claims](#) varies based on injury severity, insurance coverage, and supporting evidence.

Publicly reported settlement amounts may include:

\$10,000 to \$50,000 for moderate injury claims involving short-term recovery  
\$100,000 or more for severe injuries, permanent disability, or long-term medical treatment

Claims involving traumatic brain injuries, multiple surgeries, or extensive rehabilitation may result in higher compensation amounts.

Legal Claim Assistant offers free case evaluations for individuals seeking more information about accident-related legal claims and insurance recovery options.

## Recommended Steps Following a Hit-and-Run Accident

Legal and safety professionals generally recommend that victims:

- Contact law enforcement immediately
- Seek prompt medical evaluation
- Document the accident scene if possible
- Gather witness information
- Notify their insurance provider quickly

Preserving evidence early may help support insurance claims and legal evaluations later.

## About Legal Claim Assistant

Legal Claim Assistant is a nationwide referral platform that connects individuals injured in accidents with experienced law firms across the United States. The organization provides informational resources and free case evaluations related to personal injury and accident claims.

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