

Rear End Collision Claims in San Antonio Texas The jolt comes from behind. You were stopped at a light on Blanco Road, or crawling through the backup at US 281 and Loop 410, and you did everything right. Then a driver who was following too closely, or looking at a phone, slammed into your bumper. Rear end crashes are some of the most common wrecks in San Antonio, and they're often brushed off as minor. They aren't always minor. Your head and neck snap forward and back in a fraction of a second. That motion causes whiplash and other soft tissue injuries that may not hurt much at the scene. Stiffness, headaches and back pain can show up the next morning or a few days later. Harder hits can cause spinal cord injuries or a traumatic brain injury, even without your head striking anything. This is why seeing a doctor fast is so important. It protects your health, and it creates a medical record linking your injuries to the crash. Insurance adjusters love a delay in treatment, because it lets them argue something else caused your pain. People assume the driver in back is always at fault. In practice, the other insurer may claim you stopped suddenly, had a broken brake light or changed lanes right before impact. Texas uses modified comparative fault, so any share of blame assigned to you reduces what you can recover, and at 51% or more you recover nothing. That's why evidence matters. Photograph both vehicles and the scene, get witness names and phone numbers, and ask for the report number from SAPD or the Bexar County Sheriff's Office. Construction on I-10 and the Loop 1604 expansion projects has created plenty of sudden slowdowns, and dashcam footage from nearby drivers or businesses can help show what [San Antonio auto collision attorney](#) really happened. Don't give a recorded statement to the other driver's insurer before you've talked to a lawyer.

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The Aguirre Law Firm, PLLC has handled personal injury claims for more than 20 years. Founder Alex Aguirre started as an insurance defense attorney, so he knows how adjusters try to shrink rear end claims into quick, low offers. Clients often praise paralegal Jackie for regular update calls and for explaining each step clearly. The firm works on contingency, which means no fee unless it wins, and the consultation is free. Texas generally gives you two years to file, but waiting only helps the insurer. If a rear end crash left you hurting, talk to a San Antonio car accident lawyer before you accept any offer. Call (210) 922-0808, day or night, seven days a week. The office is at 3015 Napier Pk in Napier Park, just off Loop 1604 in north San Antonio, and online appointments are available too.

The Aguirre Law Firm, PLLC Address: 3015 Napier Pk, San Antonio, TX 78231 Phone: (210) 922-0808 FAQ About San Antonio Car Accident Lawyer How much do lawyers take from a car accident settlement in Texas? Most Texas car accident lawyers work on contingency, so their fee is a percentage of what they recover and nothing if they lose. The Aguirre Law Firm, PLLC handles San Antonio car accident cases this way, with no upfront cost and no fee unless the firm wins. The exact percentage is set out in your written fee agreement before any work starts, so there are no surprises. How hard is it to win a car accident lawsuit? It depends on the evidence. Clear fault, a CR-3 crash report, photos, witnesses and consistent medical records make a claim much stronger. Founder Alex Aguirre spent the start of his career defending insurance companies, so the firm knows the arguments insurers use to deny or shrink claims and prepares for them early. Most cases settle, but the team is ready to go to trial when an offer is unfair. What is my San Antonio car accident claim worth? No honest lawyer can put a number on your claim without looking at the details. Value depends on your medical bills, future treatment, lost wages, the severity of your injuries and how clear the other driver's fault is. The Aguirre Law Firm, PLLC reviews all of this in a free consultation and explains what compensation may be realistic for your situation. What should I do after a car accident in San Antonio? Check everyone for injuries, call 911 and get the report number from SAPD or the Bexar County Sheriff's Office. Take photos of the vehicles and the scene, get witness details and see a doctor quickly, even if you feel fine. Then call The Aguirre Law Firm, PLLC at (210) 922-0808, which is open 24 hours a day. Can I recover compensation if I was partially at fault? Yes, in many cases. Texas uses modified comparative fault, so you can still recover as long as you are less than 51 percent responsible, although your award is reduced by your share

of the blame. Insurers often push extra fault onto injured drivers after crashes at busy spots like Loop 1604 and I-10, and the firm works to challenge that with evidence. Should I talk to the other driver's insurance company? It's best not to give a recorded statement before you get legal advice. Adjusters can use casual comments like "I'm fine" to argue your injuries aren't serious. Alex Aguirre knows these tactics from his years on the defense side, and his team can handle insurer calls for you from the first day. How long do I have to file a car accident claim in Texas? Texas generally gives you two years from the date of the crash to file a personal injury lawsuit, and two years from the date of death for a wrongful death claim. Some claims, such as those involving a government vehicle, can have earlier notice requirements. Calling The Aguirre Law Firm, PLLC early gives the team time to gather evidence before it disappears. What compensation can I get after a San Antonio car wreck? You may be able to recover current and future medical costs, lost wages and earning capacity, property damage, pain and suffering, mental anguish and physical impairment. In cases of gross negligence, such as some drunk driving crashes, Texas law may also allow exemplary damages. The firm reviews every category so nothing gets left out of your claim. What if the driver who hit me has no insurance? Your own policy may still protect you. Texas insurers must offer uninsured and underinsured motorist coverage and personal injury protection, and PIP is included unless you rejected it in writing. The Aguirre Law Firm, PLLC reviews your policy for free and pursues every available source of recovery, including in hit and run cases. Do I need a lawyer for a minor car accident? If nobody was hurt and the damage is small, you may not need one. If you have pain, missed work or the insurer is disputing fault, a free consultation is worth the call. The Aguirre Law Firm, PLLC will tell you plainly whether your San Antonio crash needs legal help. How long does a car accident settlement take in Texas? Simple claims can settle in a few months, while serious injury cases often take longer because you need to finish treatment before the full cost is known. Clients of the firm often mention regular update calls from paralegal Jackie and case manager Nicole, so you're never left guessing where your case stands. Does the firm help Spanish-speaking clients? Yes. Hablamos Espanol, and the firm offers language assistance so Spanish-speaking clients can discuss their case comfortably. Founder Alex Aguirre is a San Antonio native and a former president of the Mexican American Bar Association. Call (210) 922-0808 for a free consultation in English or Spanish.