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7 TOP CRITERIA

to Hire the Right Personal Injury Lawyer



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Hiring a personal injury lawyer can seem like a daunting task. After all, you're not in the habit of collecting money for injuries you've sustained in a car accident that wasn't your fault! To the uninitiated, even making a phone call to a lawyer can be terrifying. But after you get over the first phone call, your mind will be set at ease if you know you're choosing the right lawyer for your situation.

They're all different, so choose wisely. You must trust that your [personal injury lawyer](#) will work hard to investigate your claim and get you the compensation you're entitled to. Here are the top seven criteria to think about when hiring the right personal injury lawyer in Los Angeles.

1 Referrals

Referrals are imperative in your search. Yes, you are going through a tough time right now but it's worth it in the end if you take some time to explore personal injury lawyers in your immediate area. The best way to begin is to ask your friends, family and colleagues for referrals. If your friend is raving about a great lawyer who settled his mother's slip and fall case, take that as a sign you should at least give the firm a call.

2 Experience

Hiring a personal injury attorney with experience in that precise field will know what to look for and where to look for it, often doing it in half the time a lawyer with less experience can. The personal injury law arena is vast and complex. An inexperienced lawyer may have studied every rule in the book, but he or she likely lacks real-world experience of the techniques that work in various situations. An experienced personal injury lawyer will bring confidence, tenacity and versatility to your case.

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A solid reputation will turn a great lawyer into an exceptional lawyer. You want to choose somebody who is well-respected among not just clients but among other lawyers, judges, law enforcement, insurance companies and medical experts. A personal injury lawyer with a long track record handling cases precisely and professionally will ensure a smooth process.

4 Value

Value doesn't mean finding the cheapest lawyer you can get. It's more about finding a personal injury lawyer in Los Angeles who will get you the best possible outcome at the fairest price. While you may balk at a large retainer for an experienced lawyer with a great reputation, remember your settlement will be twice as much as it would have been with a cheaper lawyer. Most lawyers don't require money up front anyway; only when you win.

5 Focus

What is your attorney's focus of practice? Make sure the lawyer you hire has specific experience in your type of case. If a particular law firm is renowned for handling commercial truck accident cases in your area and a loved one has suffered a grave injury involving a semi tractor trailer, this is probably a good law firm to check out. You won't want to hire a medical malpractice firm if you have a dog bit injury. But many firms, like Kuzyk Law, specialize in a variety of personal injury areas, offering expertise in many different areas.

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6 Personality

Look for a good fit in terms of personality. You want a lawyer who will be there for you when you have questions, returning your calls in a reasonable time frame. Personal injury cases can take a lot of time. Butting heads with your lawyer over every little thing will drag out the process and make it unpleasant for all involved.

7 Location

Because there are significant differences between state laws, personal injury cases can be convoluted and complicated. There are differences in statutes of limitations, damage caps and liability. And there are exceptions, loopholes and other restrictions that take a thorough familiarity with California's laws.

Contact Kuzyk Law

If you require the services of a compassionate, dedicated personal injury lawyer in Los Angeles, [call](tel:661-945-6969) Kuzyk Law now for a free consultation at 661-945-6969.

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