



## Traumatic Brain Injury and Your Legal Rights in Los Angeles

For victims in Los Angeles who have suffered a traumatic brain injury, navigating the legal and medical aftermath is overwhelming. This guide details the symptoms, legal process, and how an experienced Los Angeles traumatic brain injury lawyer can help secure compensation for your losses and future care.

## What is a Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI) and How Does It Happen in Los Angeles?

A traumatic brain injury (TBI) is a serious injury caused by a blow, jolt, or penetrating wound to the head that disrupts normal brain function. These brain injuries are life-changing for both the injured person and their family and loved ones. In Los Angeles, common causes include motor vehicle accidents, falls at construction sites, workplace incidents, and pedestrian accidents. A traumatic brain injury can range from a mild concussion to a severe, catastrophic impairment.

## What Are the Symptoms and Long-Term Effects of a Brain Injury?

The symptoms of a TBI may not be immediately apparent. They can include cognitive impairment, loss of motor function, persistent headaches, memory loss, and personality changes. These serious injuries often require extensive, lifelong medical care. The resulting cognitive and physical impairment can prevent a person from returning to work, creating significant financial losses for their family and loved ones. Recognizing these symptoms early is crucial for both health and a potential personal injury claim.

## Why Do I Need a Los Angeles Traumatic Brain Injury Lawyer?

After a serious accident, insurance companies often minimize payouts. A dedicated Los Angeles traumatic brain injury attorney from a firm like Eisenberg Law Group PC understands the full value of your case. They fight for compensation for medical bills, lost wages, pain and suffering, and future care needs. Our clients benefit from our attorneys' deep experience investigating accidents, proving liability, and demonstrating how the brain injury has resulted in life-changing consequences.

## How Does Eisenberg Law Group PC Handle TBI and Other Serious Injury Cases?

Eisenberg Law Group PC, with attorneys like Odjaghian and Broillet, provides robust legal support for victims of traumatic brain injuries and other serious injuries. The firm's approach includes:

- **Comprehensive Investigation:** Our team immediately works to preserve evidence from the accident site, consult medical experts, and reconstruct the event to establish the at-fault party's liability.

- **Proving Your Losses:** We meticulously document all your losses, from current medical costs to projected future expenses for therapy, home modifications, and lost earning capacity.
- **Trial-Ready Advocacy:** While many cases settle, our lawyers are seasoned trial attorneys prepared to take your case to court to secure the million-dollar-plus verdicts that severe TBIs often warrant.
- **Holistic Client Support:** We understand that a TBI or other serious injuries are life-changing. Our firm helps connect clients with medical resources and provides steadfast legal guidance every step of the way.

## What Are the Common but Complex Causes of TBI We Handle?

Our attorneys handle a wide array of accident cases that result in traumatic brain injuries. These are not just common motor vehicle accidents but also include complex scenarios like:

- **Construction Site Accidents:** Falls from heights, being struck by objects, and equipment failures are prevalent at Los Angeles construction sites and frequently cause head injuries to workers.
- **Wildfires and Fire-Related Injuries:** Smoke inhalation can lead to anoxic brain injuries, and accidents during evacuations or firefighting efforts can cause direct trauma.
- **Commercial Truck and Motorcycle Accidents:** The severe force involved in these collisions often leads to catastrophic brain injuries for vulnerable victims.

## What Is the Legal Process for a Brain Injury Claim in Los Angeles?

The process for pursuing compensation for a traumatic brain injury involves several key stages. First, your attorney will file a personal injury claim against the at-fault party's insurance. This is followed by a demanding discovery phase where both sides exchange evidence. Given the complexity of proving a TBI, your lawyer may need to depose medical experts to explain the extent of your brain injuries to the insurance company or a jury. Most personal injury law firms, including our group, operate on a contingency fee basis, meaning you pay no fees unless we win your case.

## What Are the Rare but Critical Factors in a TBI Case?

Beyond common causes, certain rare attributes significantly impact a TBI case. These include injuries stemming from mass tort scenarios like widespread wildfires, cases involving multiple at-fault parties, or situations where a pre-existing condition is aggravated. An experienced lawyer knows how to navigate these complexities to ensure the injured party receives full and fair compensation for their unique, life-altering losses.

## How Do I Choose the Right Brain Injury Attorney in Los Angeles?

Choosing the right lawyer is pivotal. Look for a law group with a proven track record of multi-million dollar results in traumatic brain injury cases. The attorney should have specific experience with TBI medical evidence and a reputation for taking cases to trial when necessary. At Eisenberg Law Group PC, our personal injury lawyers, including Odjaghian and Greene, combine decades of trial experience with a commitment to personalized care for every client and their family.

## Frequently Asked Questions About TBI Law in Los Angeles

### How long do I have to file a brain injury lawsuit in California?

You generally have two years from the date of the accident to file a personal injury lawsuit for a traumatic brain injury in Los Angeles. However, due to the severity and sometimes delayed onset of symptoms, consulting a lawyer immediately is critical to protect your claim.

### What if my loved one is too cognitively impaired to handle their own case?

If a person has suffered a severe TBI resulting in significant cognitive impairment, a family member may need to be appointed as a conservator to manage the legal claim and ensure compensation is used for the victim's lifelong care and support.

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## **Does Eisenberg Law Group PC handle cases outside of Los Angeles?**

Yes, while based in Los Angeles, the Odjaghian Law Group team handles serious injury and wrongful death cases throughout California, bringing their extensive experience to help victims and their families statewide.

## **Taking the Next Step Toward Recovery and Justice**

If you or a loved one has suffered a traumatic brain injury in Los Angeles due to another party's negligence, you need to act. The experienced traumatic brain injury attorneys at Eisenberg Law Group PC are here to help. We will fight to secure the compensation you need to move forward. Thank you for considering our firm. Contact us today for a free and confidential consultation about your case. Thank you.

For further reading on TBI medical diagnosis, refer to the study "[Advanced Neuroimaging in Traumatic Brain Injury](#)" published in the Journal of Neurotrauma, which discusses modern methods for assessing cognitive impairment resulting from head trauma.

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