

# Auto Accident

## At The Accident Scene

- Stop immediately, but do not block traffic. Warn oncoming automobiles. Telephone the police.
- Assist anyone who may be injured: Call 911
- Unless your vehicle is creating the potential for another accident, do not move it or the accident debris until you are instructed to do so by the investigating police officer.
- Do not discuss the accident with anyone other than the investigating police officer, your doctors, your own insurance representatives and your lawyer.
- Make **written notes of any statements made by the driver or occupants of the other vehicle** as to how the accident occurred.

# Checklist

- Get the **name, address and phone numbers of the driver** of the other vehicle.
- Copy the **driver's license number** of that driver.
- **Write down the license plate numbers of each vehicle involved.**
- Exchange automobile insurance information with the other driver.
- Get the names, addresses and telephone numbers of any witnesses.
- If you believe the driver of the other vehicle may have been under the influence of drugs or alcohol, tell this to the investigating police officer.

