

What to Do AFTER A CAR CRASH...

Tips from Youth of Virginia Speak Out About Traffic Safety



Crashes are preventable. Remember to always buckle up and drive responsibly.

Post Crash Checklist:

Step 1

STAY CALM

Take a deep breath and stay alert for other traffic.



Step 2

CHECK FOR INJURIES

Check yourself and others for injuries. If no injuries, move your vehicle to the side of the roadway.



Step 3

MAKE YOURSELF VISIBLE

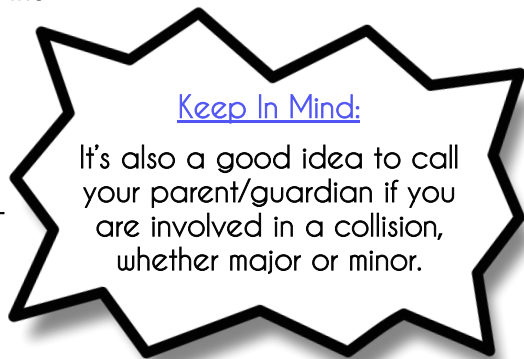
Turn off the engine and activate emergency flashers. Use cones if necessary.



Step 4

CALL THE POLICE

Whether a crash is a minor fender-bender or major collision, it's important to call 911 or #77 for police.



Step 5

DOCUMENT

Take pictures and write down what happened in your own words as soon as possible.



Step 6

CALL YOUR INSURANCE

Your insurance company needs to know when you're involved in a crash. Call as soon as you get a chance.

