

# California Adventure Park Accident Lawyer

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Many people travel to California every year to visit water and amusement parks. Adults and kids alike enjoy the exhilarating and fun rides as they offer a fun way to beat the heat and enjoy the summer. These rides are usually a safe form of entertainment—when they are maintained and operated properly.

However, every year, there are news reports of people being *seriously injured or killed* on theme park rides. If a ride malfunctions or if safety protocols are not followed, then injuries or deaths could occur.

If you or a loved has been injured at Disney's California Adventure, do not wait to contact the experts at Johnson Attorneys Group. Our injury law experts help you get the best results for an accident. Contact us today and get a free case review.



## Types of Amusement Park Injuries

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The most common types of amusement park incidents include:

- *Injury or death after being ejected or thrown from a ride.*
- Head, neck or back injuries from being whipped around on rides.
- Drowning on water rides.
- Brain aneurysms from roller coasters.
- Brain injury resulting from G-forces on the brain.
- Stroke from trauma to the neck.

- Cuts, broken bones or torn ligaments.

## How Do These Injuries Occur?

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The above injuries usually happen as a result of:

- **Improper ride operation**– Problems could happen when an operator stops a ride abruptly or fails to fasten a safety restraint.
- **Mechanical problem** – Sometimes rides have mechanical issues that affect their operation, such as structural problems or restraints that don't function.
- **The ride is not properly maintained.**
- The **passenger is under the influence of drugs or alcohol** or fails to follow directions.
- **The design of the ride** – Some rides cause injury due to how the ride is designed.

## California Amusement Park Injury Statistics

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According to data released by U.S. Product Consumer Safety Commission, more than 30,000 emergency room visits were related to amusement park rides in 2016.

- In 2016, there were 445 serious injuries at Six Flags Magic Mountain. This number has increased since 2015.
- Knotts Berry Farm reported 119 serious injuries in 2016.
- Disneyland has seen an increase in amusement park injuries in 2016. There were 132 serious injuries at Disneyland last year.

## California Amusement Park Injury Laws

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The amusement park or manufacturer of a ride may be liable for amusement park injuries depending upon the situation.

- An amusement park may be liable if the injury was caused by the negligence of their employee or if they failed to put up warning signs, did not maintain rides or provide training to operators.
- The manufacturer or designer of the ride might be liable if the injury is due to a structural defect of the ride.

If you have been injured in an **amusement park accident**, you must first focus on recovering physically and emotionally. If you do not have medical insurance, an attorney from Johnson Attorneys Group can help you find a doctor who will work with you.

You'll then want to speak with a California personal injury attorney who can help you get financial compensation for your injuries.

## What Type of Compensation is Available?

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You might be entitled to several types of compensation depending upon your specific claim and the nature of the accident.

- Medical bills
- Lost wages and future earnings
- Pain and suffering
- Punitive damages
- Damages to your property

Insurance companies and large amusement park employ experts and investigators to protect their interests. If you were injured on a ride, you need a competent negotiator to get you the maximum recovery for your California Adventure park accident.

## Get Help for Your California Adventure Park Accident Injury Today

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At Johnson Attorneys Group, our experienced [California personal injury lawyers](#) have gotten more than \$50 million for our clients in the last several years. We do not charge legal fees unless we get you compensation. For a complimentary evaluation of your case, call us at 1-800-208-3538.