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For the past 24 years at Elliot Ifrainoff & Associates, P.C. we have been diligently fighting for the rights of our injured clients. Some of our cases are resolved through an out of court settlement while others, where clients' damages are severe and we see the potential for a significant outcome, are litigated in court and even resolved through a Jury Trial. What's at the heart of our decision making process on whether to go to court or not is our client's best interest!

It has always been our mission to obtain an outstanding result, as quickly as possible in every case while providing great service to every client! In this issue you will read some of our success stories. It is a distinct honor and a privilege for us to continue serving our community.

## Practice Areas:

Personal Injury  
Auto Accidents  
Construction Accidents  
Slip and Fall  
Work-Related Injuries  
Pedestrian Accidents  
Bicycle Accidents  
Motorcycle Accidents  
Truck Accidents  
Uber & Lyft Accidents  
Bus Accidents  
Premise Liability Lawyer

*Elliot Ifrainoff & Associates, P.C.  
is proud to be a part of the  
effort to cure childhood illnesses  
by donating to St. Jude's  
children research Hospital.*

## We are proud to announce a verdict of **\$2.4 MILLION DOLLARS**

Earlier this year we secured a settlement on the eve of trial for \$2.4 Million Dollars for our hardworking client.

In this case we represented a New York City livery cab driver who was injured in a rear end collision while he was picking up a passenger.

In this accident, the client suffered spinal injuries which required him to have surgery and made it hard for him to earn a living.

In addition, the client's injuries prevented him from enjoying the life he had before the accident.

Throughout the lengthy lawsuit, the Defendants refused to offer a settlement which accounted for all our client's losses. We refused to accept their discount justice and pushed toward trial, insisting on full justice. Finally, on the eve of trial, the defendants changed course and began negotiating at a level that acknowledged the full scope of our client's damages.



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## Rear End Collision

### \$350,000

In March 2022, our client was a passenger in a vehicle that was rear-ended by an MTA bus. That same day, she sought treatment at the hospital and reported pain in her neck, back, both shoulders and right knee.

She subsequently underwent a course of therapeutic treatment, including injections and multiple MRIs, which revealed bilateral shoulder tears as well as herniated and bulging discs in both the cervical and lumbar spine. When conservative treatment failed to relieve her symptoms, she underwent a lumbar percutaneous discectomy.

Legal action was commenced against the defendant in March 2023. Prior to the trial, we secured a guaranteed settlement of \$350,000 on behalf of our client.

## Slip and Fall Accident

### \$275,000

We represented a 64-year old female who was walking upon a sidewalk in front of a building in April 2022 and lost her footing and fell to the ground onto the right side of her body. The defect on the sidewalk as well as the defendant's failure to keep the sidewalk in good repair caused our client's fall.

Our client sustained both a non-displaced fracture and neuroma in her right foot which required surgical intervention. In addition, our client suffered sprains and strains to her neck, back and right shoulder. She underwent a course of treatment which included injections to her back and right shoulder. We brought a lawsuit against the defendant and before the trial, we were able to obtain a guaranteed settlement for our client in the amount of \$275,000.



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## Car Accident **\$1.2 MILLION DOLLARS** in Record Time!

In February 2024, our client was driving in Queens, New York when the defendant in a vehicle, which had been parked on the sidewalk, suddenly drove off the sidewalk and collided with our client's vehicle. As a result of the impact, our client's vehicle was pushed into a third vehicle.

Following the collision, our client reported to the hospital on the same day with complaints of neck, back, left knee, and left shoulder pain. He underwent a course of therapeutic treatment, including cervical injections and multiple MRIs, which revealed tears in the left shoulder and knee, as well as herniated discs and bulging in the cervical and lumbar spine. When conservative treatment failed to alleviate his symptoms, our client underwent a neck surgery.

We initiated legal proceedings against the defendant in December 2024. ***In only 14 months since the day of the accident we were able to obtain a settlement of \$1,200,000 on behalf of our client.***



## Trip and Fall Accident **\$180,000**

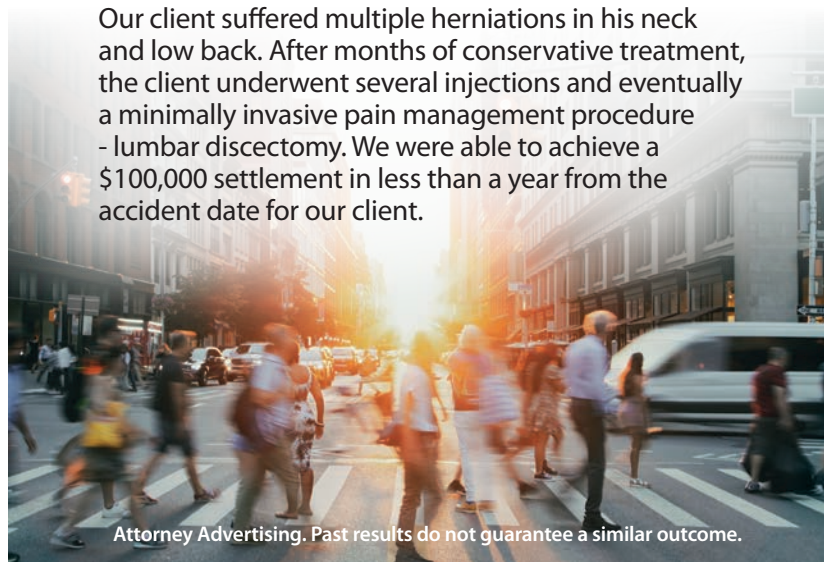
Our client, a 28-year-old male was working on repairing a vehicle in his front yard driveway when he tripped and fell on a defective and mis-leveled pavement. Due to the accident, our client suffered a metatarsal fracture on his right foot which required surgery as well as injuries to his knee, shoulder and neck. We were successful in negotiating a favorable settlement for our client in the amount of \$180,000.



## Pedestrian Accident **\$100,000**

We represented a 61-year-old superintendent who was injured while crossing the street near his workplace. He was knocked down by a car and fell to the ground. Client waited for medical assistance while the driver of the vehicle fled the scene.

Our client suffered multiple herniations in his neck and low back. After months of conservative treatment, the client underwent several injections and eventually a minimally invasive pain management procedure - lumbar discectomy. We were able to achieve a \$100,000 settlement in less than a year from the accident date for our client.



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*The highest compliment our clients can  
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**\$2,400,000**

*We're pleased with the outcome  
of this recent verdict. Check inside  
to read more about it.*

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## Every Auto policy should include **Uninsured/Underinsured Motorist Coverage**

It is important to make sure you have sufficient auto insurance protection. You do not want to find out after an accident that you are not covered. Purchase Uninsured/ Supplemental Underinsured Motorist coverage (UM/ SUM). This coverage is relatively inexpensive, and every driver should have it.

### **Never sign UM/SUM waivers.**

**UM** coverage protects you in a hit-and-run accident or when a negligent driver in an automobile accident has no insurance. It pays you compensation for pain and suffering and economic loss.

**SUM** coverage safeguards you if you are injured by a careless driver who has only the minimal amount of insurance

coverage. However, your SUM coverage limits must be higher than the coverage limits available in the defendant's liability insurance policy. For example, if the defendant in your case carries a liability policy in the amount of \$25,000 and your Supplemental Underinsured Motorist benefits are \$100,000, we may be able to first obtain the \$25,000 for you from the defendant and then collect additional compensation for you, up to \$75,000 (\$100,000 SUM limits minus \$25,000 already obtained) from your Sum policy.

**Full Policy Settlement** An out of court settlement of \$100,000 was achieved for a 60-year-old cab driver whose vehicle was struck in the rear on a highway. Our client suffered some serious lower back injuries which

required a minimally invasive pain management procedure. We are particularly proud of the fact that the settlement figure represented the full amount of the prospective defendant's insurance policy of \$100,000. In addition, the client didn't have to go through 3-4 years of litigation. Instead, we were able to settle out of court in 16 months from the accident.

**Protect yourself** Be sure you have sufficient auto coverage for every driver in the family. Talk to your auto insurance agent to learn the extent that your UM/ SUM coverage will safeguard you and your family. If the coverage is inadequate, increase your coverage. It is typically a minimal cost and worth the protection.

