3 Key 3 Considerations When Evaluating a Personal Injury Settlement Offer



You received a settlement offer — should you accept it? Ask yourself these questions, first:



Will the Amount Cover Your Past and **Future Accident-Related Expenses?**

- Past medical expenses
- Future medical expenses
- **☑** Lost wages from time out of work
- Future lost wages from impact of accident
- ☑ Damage to your car or other property





How Much Pain and Suffering Has the Accident Caused?

Physical pain

Headaches Nerve Pain **Back Pain**

- Anxiety
- Mental suffering
- **Emotional pain**
- Insomnia
- Depression





How Strong is Your Case?Some personal injury actions are hard to prove. Some hurdles you may face:

- Conflicting accounts of what happened
- No witnesses

Weak case – if you turn down the offer and go to trial, risk walking away with nothing

Strong case – if you accept a low settlement offer, you may not get what your case is worth if you went to trial

When in Doubt, Ask Your Lawyer

