



Hit and Run: \$1.3 Million Settlement in 2018

The Accurso Law Firm achieved a policy-limit result of \$1.3 Million in recovery for a young woman studying at Kansas State University at the time she was a pedestrian and was struck by a driver who fled the scene after causing her serious injuries, including a traumatic brain injury.

The investigation of the case proved crucial, as we were able to determine the perpetrator was cited in a different state for careless driving even after he struck and injured our client. Rather than filing the case in Kansas, where tort law is less favorable for the injured compared with Missouri, The Accurso Law Firm managed to serve the perpetrator while present in Missouri, thereby allowing the case to proceed in Missouri courts.

The Accurso Law Firm's long history of representing people who suffer traumatic brain injuries gave us the benefit of experience to both assist our clients along the recovery process while simultaneously preparing the damages aspect of the case for trial. The perpetrator had no assets and a policy-limit demand was paid to settle the case. We are happy to report our client was able to make an amazing recovery and continues in her course of studies with the expectation to live a long, productive and wonderful life.