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To our Clients and Readers...

We wish you a warm, safe, and happy holiday season and hope for your success, healing, and happiness in the upcoming year!

As always, thank you for your continued business and support.

-The Pisanchnyn Law Firm

For any questions, concerns, or suggestions please do not hesitate to email us at:

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Or call us toll free, 24/7:

1-866-427-4652

In Focus: Slips, Trips, and Falls

Slipping, tripping, and/or falling most of the time is accidental and not foreseeable so avoiding such an accident is difficult. However, there are some things you can do to lessen your likelihood of injury during this icy season.

- * When on stairways or ramps you should always use the handrail; it could be the difference between staying healthy and fit and being severely injured.
- * Wearing non-skid shoes, even if only to travel in, are the best idea when walking outside in bad weather.
- * Keep your carrying load light. Carrying too many things at once can affect your balance; this combined with slippery conditions increases

your chances of falling.

- * Avoid using your arms and hands to break a fall. Falling too harshly or landing on the wrong angle on your arms or hands can cause serious breakages and [sprains](#).
- * Keep your walkways and entry ways clear of all snow, ice, and slush and try to only walk on walkways and sidewalks that are cleared
- * If possible only walk in well-lit areas, as it will be easier to see any dips, cracks, or ice

For more information on [Slip, Trip, and Fall Accidents](#) visit our [Website](#) or call one of our experienced Slip, Trip, and Fall [Attorneys](#), toll free, 24/7: 1-866-427-4652.



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How do I know if I need an attorney after a fall?

It's common after a trip, slip, or fall for someone to get right back up and claim that he or she is alright due to shock and embarrassment over the situation. Once the shock and embarrassment surpasses and the pain has really had time to settle in is when that person realizes they have a more severe problem than they originally thought, it is normally at this point people realize they need help.

If you are the victim of a slip, trip, or fall injury the owner of the property where you fell may be liable for the damages. If the property was not well maintained, meaning the walkways were not cleared, the paved area or structure inside the property were faulty, or the property was not well lit the owner could be liable for compensating you for your injuries and medical bills.

Even if you are still not sure if you have a case after your slip, trip, or fall injury you should call The Pisanchyn Law Firm as consultations and case reviews are free.

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