

Helpful Information about Lawsuits for Uvalde Families

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"I am exhausted. Why should I take on one more thing?

We know your pain and exhaustion is real. We can't take that away. But we can offer help. We want to help you get justice by suing the companies that might be responsible for the tragedy. This will not put more work or stress on you – it will help ease your mind because you will have the comfort of knowing that we are working for you.

"Don't lawyers cost a lot?"

We are not charging anyone a thing to investigate and get your lawsuit started. Down the road, if and when there is money gained from this lawsuit, then we will see that you get your money first, then we receive a fee of 40% of the total amount. If we are not successful for you, then we do not get any money. Simply put, we are working for free on what is called a contingency basis – we only get paid after you are paid and only if and when we are successful.



"A lawsuit won't bring back our children. Why should I even try?"

Lawsuits do two things:

ONE

They are the way we seek justice by getting money to families who are hurt.

TWO

They can actually change things for the better by forcing companies to create safer regulations and stop advertising to teens in ways that make shooting look exciting.

(I to r) Attoney Brooke Cohen, Brooke F Cohen Law and Susan Knape, Founder A Case for Women



"Why should I work with you?"

A Case for Women, LLC is a Texas-based company that has a real heart for women and children. We have helped thousands of families over the last seven years move forward with successful lawsuits.

We are already representing several families in Uvalde, including one mother who lost her son.

The law firm handling your case, JHLAW, PLLC has over 20 years of experience on firearm cases and consulted on the Sandy Hook tragedy that just resulted in a \$73 million settlement against gun manufacturer, Remington. Jeff Hightower is a Texan with deep knowledge about the gun industry and safety regulations.

Brooke F. Cohen Law PLLC is also working on your case and will be your day-to-day contact. Brooke Cohen is a Texas native who is representing several families with deceased loved ones after the horrible Texas freeze in 2021.

"I don't want to be in a big trial. How can I avoid all that pressure?"

Most cases settle before trial. Your attorneys will work up your case and prepare it 100% as if it were going to trial, but generally cases settle on before anyone gets to the courthouse steps.

"Will I owe taxes on any money I receive?"

Settlements in personal injury cases like these are completely TAX FREE.



"Who will we sue?"

Most effective lawsuits target defendants (the companies we sue) with resources or insurance coverage that may pay money on the defendants' behalf. In this case, suing the shooter or his family does not make financial sense, so we are not suing the shooter's family. Also morally we do not wish to cause his family any more pain.

Attorney Jeff Hightower and his wife, A Case for Women team member, Jill Hightower





"Will this cost me anything?"

There is no charge for our services. The law firms work on a contingency basis. This means they will front all the costs, including their time, and take on all the financial risk. If the law firm is successful and there is a verdict or settlement in your case, the firm will receive a percentage, typically 40%. If they don't win or settle for you, the law firm will absorb all the time and costs they put into your case. You will not owe them anything.





"Are you lawyers?"

A Case for Women (ACFW) is not a law firm. We are a group founded and run by women with the sole goal of helping women change their lives and help their families. ACFW works closely with lawyers and has an attorney on staff so that we are on top of current issues affecting women and their families and can connect women with national law firms that have the resources to represent them in tough cases on a contingency fee basis. We do not connect women with law firms that charge hourly.

"How much money will I receive?"

Unfortunately, there's no way we can give you an exact amount. That amount depends on if there is a successful settlement, the dollar amount of the settlement, what state you live in, the complexity of your case and so many other factors.

What we can say for sure is that you will never owe the law firm anything. The law firm will take on all the financial risk, so you don't have to. You'll either win something or lose nothing.

"Where are you based?"

A Case for Women is headquartered in Dallas, TX, and the lawyers working on this case are also Texas based attorneys.

"How much of my time will this take?"

Most legal action requires very little of your time. You will be asked to talk to the law firm and your lawyer from time to time on the phone or the lawyer will come meet with you. You will not have to travel. The law firm does all the heavy lifting – it is up to the lawyers, not you, to prove your case. So the law firm will investigate the circumstances, hire experts and fight the defendant without bothering you.



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