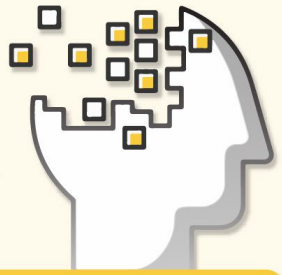


# Types of Traumatic Brain Injuries and Their Consequences



**Concussions** – Head trauma or rapid deceleration causes the brain to make contact with the inside of the skull, potentially resulting in varying degrees of damage



**Edema** – Brain swelling and dangerous pressure



**Hematoma** – Buildup of blood in the skull

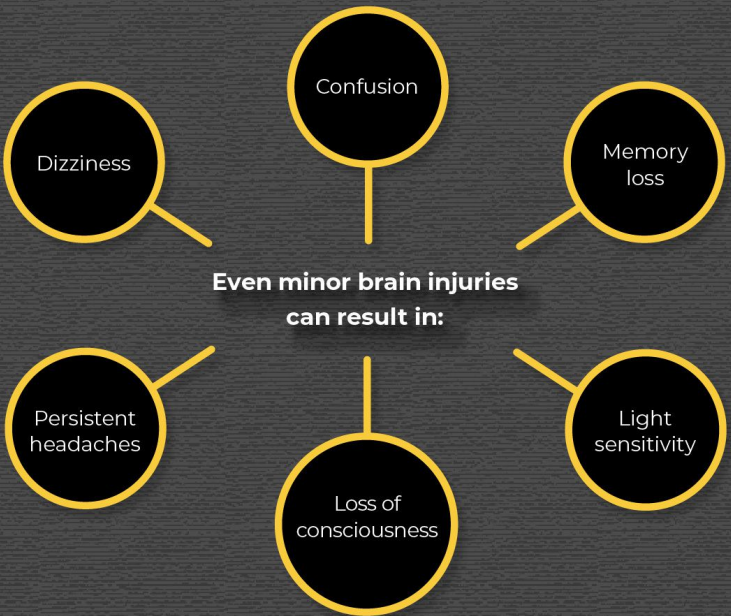


**Skull fracture** – Cracks in the skull caused by severe trauma



**Anoxic brain injury** – Lack of oxygen to parts of the brain

## Results of Brain Injuries



### Severe brain injuries may cause:

- Cognitive decline
- Changes in personality
- Permanent disability
- Inability to work or earn a living
- Inability to care for your family
- Loss of enjoyment, happiness and fulfillment

### Brain injuries can result in significant costs, including:

- Long hospital stays
- Occupational or speech therapy
- Rehabilitation
- Surgeries
- Limited mobility equipment
- Full-time care
- Loss of income
- And more