

FRSC confirms four dead, 10 injured in Osun road crash

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The Federal Road Safety Corps (FRSC) has linked Thursday's fatal crash at Omi Asoro Junction on the Ilesha-Akure Expressway to unsafe driving, confirming that the driver of the commercial mini-bus involved did not possess a valid driver's licence.

At least four persons, including a female child, died, while 10 others sustained injuries in the accident, which occurred around 9 p.m. on Thursday, according to the Osun State FRSC spokesperson, Agnes Ogungbemi.

Speaking with journalists on Friday, Ogungbemi said a Toyota Hiace bus travelling to Akure collided with a Suzuki commercial mini-bus operating within Ilesha at the busy junction. She added that the Hiace bus was reportedly conveying phone accessories and electronic appliances.

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"Three victims — two adult males and a female child — died instantly. Another passenger died on Friday morning," she said. "Ten people were injured, comprising seven adults and three children."

The deceased have been deposited at the Wesley Guild Hospital morgue in Ilesha.

While the full cause of the crash is still under investigation, Ogungbemi confirmed a major road safety violation, stating that the driver of the mini-bus had no driver's licence.

An eyewitness trader, identified only as Adetunji, said the collision occurred at about 9 p.m. when the two vehicles met at Omi Asoro Junction in Ilesha.

The FRSC, however, urged motorists to avoid unlicensed driving and speeding, especially at night, warning that disregard for basic safety rules continues to claim lives along the Ilesha-Akure corridor.