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Two die in auto crash at Yangoji

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TWO persons last Friday evening lost their lives while two others sustained serious injuries in a fatal accident that occurred at [Yangoji village](#), along the [Abuja-Lokoja](#) highway.

The victims died hours after they were conveyed to Kwali General Hospital by a rescue team comprising officials of the Yangoji unit command of the Federal Road Safety Commission (FRSC).

A witness said the accident occurred at about 5:14 pm when an unregistered Volkswagen Golf car with four occupants on board coming from Kwali lost control and somersaulted several times, killing the two passengers in the vehicle.

The witness said the driver lost control in an attempt to avoid crushing a [Fulani woman](#) who entered the road without watching her sides.

The Yangoji FRSC unit commander, Abdullahi Umar, confirmed the accident, attributing it to speed limit violation.

He said the four victims were rescued alive but two of them died at Kwali General Hospital, adding that the Fulani woman who was knocked down by the vehicle is responding to treatment at the hospital.

Meanwhile, residents of Yangoji community who spoke to our reporter blamed the incessant accidents along the road on indiscriminate parking by trailer drivers.

They said trailer drivers coming from the east always parked on both sides of the road, thereby making it difficult for pedestrians to cross.

They appealed to the Kwali council authorities to provide parking space for heavy duty trucks to reduce incessant accidents on the high way.

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