

# Auto crash kills doctor, daughter in Kebbi

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AN auto crash along the Argungu-Sokoto road in Kebbi State on Monday killed a medical doctor, his five year old daughter and a banker. The victims were identified as

Dr. Usman Yakubu Noma, a Neurosurgeon at the Usmanu Danfodiyo Teaching Hospital, Sokoto, five year old Fatima and a Malam Abubakar Muhammed, a banker with Access Bank, Birnin-Kebbi. A witness, Mallam Abubakar Mai Masallaci, who spoke to

newsmen said, "I was here when the two vehicles collided. Its either the driver of one of the vehicles was communicating on phone or sleeping because the tyres of the vehicles were intact".

He said the deceased doctor was driving a Toyota Corolla,

and was on his way from Sokoto to Birnin-Kebbi while the banker was on his way to Sokoto when the incident occurred.

Daily Trust gathered that the banker, Malam Abubakar died at the Argungu General Hospital while the doctor and his daughter died on their way

to the Usmanu DanFodiyo University Teaching Hospital, Sokoto. When contacted, the acting Public Relations Officer of the Federal Road Safety

Commission (FRSC) in Kebbi State, Mr. O. Ajawu said they were yet to receive report of the accident.

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