

In a related development, the Nigerian Medical Association (NMA), Kaduna State chapter, has raised the alarm following the abduction of the wife and four children of one of its members.

According to a statement issued on Tuesday by Dr Shuaibu Joga Joga, NMA's public relations officer for Kaduna State, the incident occurred on June 23 while the husband of the victims was away in Kano for an official assignment.

Dr Joga disclosed that the abductors demanded a ransom of N300 million. He also revealed that the first son was killed by the kidnappers to pressurise the family into paying the ransom.

The NMA urged the authorities to expedite efforts to secure the immediate release of the remaining captives. They also highlighted the plight of another doctor who has been kidnapped for six months.