

# Five children die in abandoned vehicle in Nasarawa



Five children have been found dead in an abandoned vehicle in the Agyaragu community, Obi Local Government Area in **Nasarawa State** yesterday.

The state Police Public Relations Officer Ramham Nansel, in a statement, said at 1730 hours on May 4, Mr. Ozimna Ogbor, a resident of Agyaragu, reported at the Agyaragu Divisional Headquarters that five children—Kamsi Onah (male, eight years), Somer Onah (male, six years), Unice Udouchi (female, 10 years), Nmasoma Nnaji (female, 10 years), and Chioma Nnaji (female, six years)—were discovered unresponsive in a disused vehicle parked in the compound of one Mr. Abu Agyme, also a resident of Agyaragu.

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He said upon receiving the report, the Commissioner of Police, Shetima Jauro Mohammed, directed the Divisional Police Officer to proceed to the scene.

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The officers confirmed the report and the children evacuated to Aro Hospital, Agyaragu, where a medical doctor said they died of suspected suffocation.

Nansel added that the Commissioner of Police had ordered an investigation into the incident.