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7 killed, 4 injured in auto crash in Jigawa

SEVEN persons died on Monday in auto crash at Karnaya Village in Dutse Local Government Area of Jigawa State.

The News Agency of Nigeria (NAN) reports that the accident involved an 18-seater commercial vehicle and a jeep.

An eyewitness, Mallam Hussaini Danlami, told NAN that the two vehicles were moving in opposite directions when they collided.

Sector Commander of Federal Road Safety Corps (FRSC) in the state, Mallam Aminu Umar, who confirmed the incident, attributed the tragedy to dangerous overtaking.

"From the information made available to us, the accident was caused by dangerous overtaking," he said.

Umar said his officers had deposited seven corpses at the Rasheed Shekoni Specialist Hospital, Dutse, adding that four other victims were being treated for injuries at the same hospital.