

Truck kills man, wife, two children

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A

truck has crushed to death four members of a family in Kano, Kano State.

The incident occurred at Gaida on the outskirts of Kano metropolis on the strategic highway linking Sharada Industrial area with Chalawa zone.

The 40-year-old victim, identified as Muhammad Sagir, was said to be travelling on motorcycle with his wife and three children when the incident occurred.

The state Police Public Relations Officer (PPRO), DSP Abdullahi Haruna Kiyawa, confirmed the incident.

Kiyawa said five victims were evacuated from the site to Murtala Muhammad Hospital.

He said: "The man, his wife and two children died, while one escaped unhurt."

The PPRO said the police had launched manhunt for the truck driver who fled the scene immediately after the incident.

Kiyawa disclosed that the truck had been moved and detained at the police headquarters at Bompai, while investigation was on to track the fleeing driver.