

3 die in Lagos Ibadan expressway crash



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Three people have lost their lives in a road accident that occurred around Fidiwo bridge, along Lagos-Ibadan expressway.

Florence Okpe, spokesperson of the Federal Road Safety Corps, Ogun State sector, who confirmed the incident on Wednesday, said the crash involved a vehicle, with registration number BDG213BJ and a green colour Toyota jeep occurred at about 1307hrs.

She said, “a total of 05 persons were involved (04 male adult and 01 female adult) and 02 got injured while the remaining 03 were killed from the lone crash (02 male adult and 01 female adult).

She attributed the cause of the crash to excessive speed and advised motorists to drive within the stipulated speed limit and always go on a routine check to detect any fault on a vehicle.

“The cause of the lone crash were tyre bust, speed which led to lose of control and the vehicle crash under the bridge”.

“The injured victims were taken to Victory Hospital, Ogere, while the corpses of the deceased were deposited at FOS Morgue, Ipara.