



Media Information

Columbus Division of Police
Homicide Bureau / Accident Investigation Unit

Date: 08/20/2024

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Type of Offense/Incident: Serious Injury Traffic Crash

Date: 08/20/2024

Time: 1:30 AM

Location of Offense/Incident: S. Westgate Ave. & Wicklow Rd. Zone: 3

Precinct: 19

Incident Report #: 240614702

Cruiser District: 194

Victim: Juvenile	Sex:	Race:	Age:
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Suspect:	Address:			
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Incident Summary: On 08/20/2024, at approximately 1:30 AM, a Kia Optima containing three juveniles was southbound on S. Westgate Ave. For reasons still under investigation, the juvenile front seat passenger was sitting in the open window of the moving vehicle and fell out onto the pavement after the Kia went over a speed bump in the roadway. The juvenile was transported to Nationwide Childrens Hospital with life-threatening injuries.

Columbus Police Accident Investigation Unit responded and initiated an investigation.

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