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FARGO INJURY CRASH UPDATE

May 23 Update:

Driver No. 1: Randon Kleppe, 21, Fargo, serious injuries
Passenger No. 1: Carter York, 19, Grand Forks, serious injuries
Driver No. 2: Tracy Myhra, Fargo, 41, serious injuries
Driver No. 3: Rhonda Gatheridge, West Fargo, 53, minor injuries

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What: Injury Crash

Where: 42nd Street & 52nd Avenue South, Fargo

When: May 21, 2026, at 11:45 p.m.

Road Conditions: Dry

Weather Conditions: Dry / Night / Lit intersection

Crash Involvement: Three vehicle crash

Type of Crash: T-bone

Agencies Involved: North Dakota State Patrol, Fargo Police Department, Fargo Fire Department, Sanford Ambulance

Vehicle No. 1: 2009 Chevrolet Impala
Driver No. 1: Male, 21, Fargo, serious injuries
Restraints: No seat belt in use
Charges: Driving under the influence, Criminal vehicular injury, Open container, No insurance

Passenger No. 1: Male, 19, Grand Forks, serious injuries
Restraints: No seat belt in use
Charges: Minor in consumption, Open container

Vehicle No. 2: 2024 Chevrolet Equinox
Driver No. 2: Female, 41, serious injuries
Restraints: Seat belt in use

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Charges: None

Vehicle No. 3: 2017 Jeep Grand Cherokee
Driver No. 3: Female, 53, minor injuries
Restraints: Seat belt in use
Charges: None

NARRATIVE: On May 21, 2026, at approximately 11:45 p.m., a three-vehicle injury crash occurred at the intersection of 42nd Street South and 52nd Avenue South in Fargo. A Chevrolet Impala was traveling southbound on 42nd Street South at approximately 45 mph and ran a red light. A Chevrolet Equinox was traveling westbound and had entered the intersection just prior to the Impala. The Impala struck the Equinox on the passenger's side. The Equinox left the roadway to the south and overturned. After the initial impact, the Impala began rotating clockwise and was then rear-ended by a Jeep Cherokee.

Occupants from all three vehicles were transported to Essentia Health. The occupants of the Chevrolet Impala and Chevrolet Equinox suffered serious injuries as a result of the crash. The driver of the Jeep Grand Cherokee suffered minor injuries.

The crash remains under investigation by the North Dakota State Patrol.

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