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On November 17, 2014 around 3:45pm, Rockford Police and Rockford Fire Departments were sent to N. Perryville Rd and Olde Creek Rd in reference to a 3 vehicle accident.

Initial investigation showed a Chevy Van and a Ford Sedan were southbound on N. Perryville Rd and stopped in the turn lane to travel east on Olde Creek Rd when the Ford was rear ended by the driver of a Nissan Pick Up truck. Four of the five occupants of all vehicles were transported to local area hospitals for treatment of various injuries. The rear seat passenger of the Ford, 71 year old female, had to be extricated from the vehicle. This female was transported to a local hospital and is in critical condition. The remainder of the occupants are being treated for non-life threatening injuries, two of which are being hospitalized.

At this time, alcohol is not a factor in this accident. It appears the driver of the pickup truck suffered a medical event which resulted in the accident.

No names are being released at this time.

The Rockford Police Department's Traffic Investigation unit is currently reconstructing the accident. This investigation is ongoing.

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