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One hospitalized following Kapa'a traffic crash Saturday

KAPAA – A 74-year-old Kapa'a man is in critical condition at Wilcox Medical Center following a traffic crash in Kapa'a Saturday afternoon.

According to a preliminary investigation, a 2010 Harley Davidson was traveling eastbound on Kawaihau Road in Kapa'a when a 2008 Toyota sedan attempted to make a left turn into Menehune Food Mart and struck the motorcycle. The sedan was operated by a 17-year-old Kapa'a female, while the Kapa'a man operated the motorcycle. Kaua'i Police Department personnel were dispatched to the scene at approximately 3:30 p.m.

Speed does not appear to be a factor in this crash. Toxicology reports are pending to determine if either operator was under the influence at the time of the crash. However, the investigation remains ongoing.

Kawaihau Road near Menehune Food Mart closed in both directions for approximately 2.25 hours while officers with the Traffic Safety Section conducted an on-scene investigation.

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