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**Gold Bar fatal crash update**

A 3-year-old Gold Bar girl and her 27-year-old father were both in serious but stable condition this afternoon at Harborview Medical Center in Seattle following a crash that killed a 5-year-old boy.

Detectives still don't know what caused the Dodge Durango to veer off Fir Road east of Gold Bar and strike a cedar tree about 2 p.m. today. A 5-year-old boy (the son of the driver and brother of the 3-year-old girl) was pronounced dead at the scene. Detectives say alcohol and drugs do not appear to be factors in the crash.

The 3-year-old was restrained in a car seat. The 5-year-old was restrained in a booster seat. The family was headed northeast on Fir Road when the crash happened. Nobody else was in the vehicle.

No citations have been issued. The collision remains under investigation.

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