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Shreveport Police Investigate Major Crash Involving Juvenile Cyclist

On August 8, 2025, at approximately 9:40 p.m., Shreveport Police patrol officers were dispatched to the 3300 block of Greenwood Road in response to a major traffic crash involving a white Ford pickup truck and a juvenile bicyclist.

Upon arrival, officers located a 14-year-old male lying unresponsive in the roadway. The Shreveport Fire Department responded to the scene, and the juvenile was transported to Ochsner LSU Health with injuries described as life-threatening.

Preliminary investigation suggests that the white Ford pickup was traveling westbound on Greenwood Road when the juvenile, who was riding a bicycle, unexpectedly entered the roadway. The driver was unable to avoid the collision. Witnesses stated that a group of approximately four juveniles had been riding bicycles along the sidewalk and began crossing into the street when the incident occurred.

The driver of the vehicle immediately stopped, rendered aid, and called 911. He was later transported to Willis-Knighton North, where he voluntarily submitted a blood sample for toxicology testing, which will be analyzed by the North Louisiana Crime Lab.

Officers made contact with the juvenile's mother at Ochsner LSU Health, where hospital staff confirmed that the child remains in critical condition in the Pediatric Intensive Care Unit.