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Two injured in Saturday Jefferson Co wreck

**(KNZA)--A two-vehicle late Saturday morning Jefferson County wreck sent two people to the hospital.**

**The Kansas Highway Patrol says it happened on U.S. 24 Highway, just east of U.S. 59.**

**The Patrol said an eastbound motorcycle driven by 49-year-old Horst Bauer, of Junction City, was traveling behind a SUV. Bauer attempted to pass the vehicle when it slowed to make a turn, and struck the SUV.**

**Bauer was transported to Topeka's Stormont-Vail Hospital for the treatment of possible injuries.**

**A passenger on his motorcycle, 55-year-old Birget Bauer, was taken to the University of Kansas Hospital in Kansas City with suspected serious injuries.**

**The Patrol says neither was wearing a helmet.**

**The driver of the SUV, 65-year-old St. Joseph resident Debra Sowers, and her passenger, 76-year-old Atchison resident Bradley Sowers, were not hurt.**

**The wreck was reported shortly after 11:00 Saturday morning.**

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