A four vehicle accident on Interstate 40 early Thursday morning sent a Washington man to the OU Medical Center in Oklahoma City.

According to the Oklahoma Highway Patrol, Jesse Sanders, 33, of Washington was a passenger in a 2016 Ford F-150 pickup driven by Starr Sanders, 32 of Washington.

The OHP said their vehicle was struck in the rear by a 2014 Chevrolet Pickup, driven by Eliu Vigil, 34 of Midwest City, who was driving impaired at the time of the 3:26 a.m. collision.

The impact of the collision spun the Sanders’ vehicle around until it was facing west.

It was then struck head-on by a 2021 Peterbuilt semi driven by Surjit Brar, 62, of Selma, Calif. That collision knocked the Sanders’ vehicle into the path of a 2015 Peterbuilt semi driven by Austin Coa, 28, of Mansfield, Ark.

Sanders was the only person injured in the four vehicle crash. He was admitted in fair condition with head and truck internal injuries, the OHP reported.

All four vehicles were eastbound on I-40 1/2 mile east of Peebly Road in Oklahoma City. Vinson was assisted at the scene by Trooper Jason Owens, Trooper Roy Smith, Trooper Dustin Carlton, Lt. Santos Diaz, EMSA and the Oklahoma City Fire Department.
Man Dies After Being Hit By Volvo Semi On I-44

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By: Joseph Holloway

Tulsa - The Oklahoma Highway Patrol Troopers say a man is dead after he was hit by a vehicle overnight near Interstate 44 and Highway 75.

According to OHP, the accident happened just before midnight in front of the car dealerships near the Arkansas River.

Troopers says the driver of a Volvo Semi was heading east when a pedestrian was trying to walk across the interstate. The driver struck the pedestrian.

Investigators have identified the victim as 47-year-old Shane Pittser from Kellyville. Pittser was pronounced dead at the scene.

Troopers say there were two other people inside the vehicle but neither one of them were hurt.

Parts of I-44 were shut down while Troopers investigated.

This is a developing story.

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Arrest made in fatal shooting at house near Admiral and Yale

Tulsa police have reportedly made an arrest in connection to a fatal shooting early Thursday morning.

Lt. Brandon Watkins said officers responded to a shooting just after midnight in the 4400 block of East Admiral Place and found a man fatally shot inside a home.

Officers eventually arrested the suspect, Joseph Williams, 33, in the 10800 block of East 31st Street about 4 a.m., according to a news release.

Watkins said the shooting reportedly stemmed from a debt, and Williams will be booked on a complaint of first-degree murder.

The victim has not been identified pending notification of next of kin. The killing is Tulsa’s 43rd homicide of 2020.

Police seek suspects after shooting at large party in West Tulsa

A party in west Tulsa reportedly turned into a large fight and a shooting early Thursday.

Officers responded to a “trouble unknown” call about 1:25 a.m. in the 1700 block of West 37th Place, the Tulsa Police Department reported. Initial reports indicated that a party with about 200 people was taking place there, but the situation escalated into a shooting.

One older juvenile male reportedly was shot in the forearm, but his injuries were not considered life-threatening.

Others involved in the shooting reportedly left in a white SUV. Police did not provide a more specific description except to say the vehicle likely will have front-end damage because it went through a fence while fleeing the scene.

Bartlesville woman killed in U.S. 75 crash

The Oklahoma Highway Patrol is investigating after a fatal crash on U.S. 75 north of Tulsa late Wednesday night.

Helen Phelps, 62, of Bartlesville was reportedly killed in the crash just before midnight in the northbound lanes near 179th Street North.

Phelps’ Toyota pickup was reportedly hit from behind by a 2016 Chrysler 200. She was pronounced dead at the scene, according to a news release from the Oklahoma Highway Patrol.

The driver of the other vehicle was reportedly treated and released with minor injuries.

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The collision remains under investigation, troopers reported.