



## 2022 Off-Highway Vehicle Fatal Accident Summary As of August 31, 2022



| #        | Date      | County/C-V-T  | Location/Activity | Vehicle Type | Age / Gender / Residency | Accident Type                               | Operator Safety Certified? | Helmet / Seatbelt Used | Alcohol Involved/BAC |
|----------|-----------|---|-------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---|----------------------------|------------------------|----------------------|
| #1       | 4/21/2022 | Polk / Apple River  | Route             | ATV          | 67 / M / WI              | ATV Rolled Over                             | No                         | No                     | Yes / .04            |
| Synopsis |           | Operator/victim was driving on a road route when the ATV entered the ditch and rolled over. Victim passed from his injuries on 4/28/2022.   |                   |              |                          |   |                            |                        |                      |
| #2       | 5/20/2022 | Jackson / Brockway  | Public Trail      | UTV          | 55 / M / IN              | UTV Rolled Over                             | Unknown                    | No / Yes               | Yes / .12            |
| Synopsis |           | Operator/victim failed to negotiate a curve, causing the UTV to roll.   |                   |              |                          |   |                            |                        |                      |
| #3       | 5/29/2022 | Oconto County / Doty  | Public Road       | UTV          | 56 / M / IL              | Passenger Ejected                           | No                         | No / No                | Yes / .133           |
| Synopsis |           | UTV operated by an adult male had two passengers in the bed of his UTV and was traveling toward a county highway. Operator stopped at the intersection, turned, and accelerated, causing the victim in the bed to fall out onto the highway.  |                   |              |                          |   |                            |                        |                      |
| #4       | 5/29/2022 | Iron County / Mercer  | Route             | UTV          | 39 / F / IL              | Collision with a Fixed Object / Tipped Over | Unknown                    | No / Yes               | Yes / .16            |
| Synopsis |           | Operator/victim was negotiating a curve at a high rate of speed and lost control. The UTV traveled across the roadway, struck several rocks, tipped, and landed in the Turtle Flambeau Flowage, submerging the machine.   |                   |              |                          |   |                            |                        |                      |
| #5       | 6/6/2022  | Jefferson / Waterloo  | Public Road       | UTV          | 14 / F / WI              | Collision with Moving Motor Vehicle         | No                         | Pending                | No                   |
| Synopsis |           | Operator/victim was traveling on a roadway, attempted to turn onto a state highway and was struck by an SUV while crossing.   |                   |              |                          |   |                            |                        |                      |
| #6       | 6/17/2022 | Brown / Eaton   | Public Road       | ATV          | 53 / M / WI              | Ejected                                     | No                         | No                     | Pending              |
| Synopsis |           | Operator/victim lost control of the ATV and was ejected.  |                   |              |                          |   |                            |                        |                      |
| #7       | 6/24/2022 | La Crosse   | Private Property  | ATV          | 7 / M / WI               | Bystander Struck by ATV                     | No                         | No                     | No                   |
| Synopsis |           | Victim was struck by an ATV that was traveling down a hill. Investigation pending.  |                   |              |                          |   |                            |                        |                      |
| #8       | 6/26/2022 | Dunn / Boyceville   | Private Property  | ATV          | 73 / M / WI              | Ejected / ATV Rolled Over                   | No                         | No                     | Pending              |
| Synopsis |           | Operator/victim was operating on a steep incline with a brush mower attached; appears to have lost control, turned sharply, and was ejected. The ATV then rolled and landed on top of the operator/victim.  |                   |              |                          |   |                            |                        |                      |
| #9       | 7/2/2022  | Jackson / Komensky  | Public Trail      | UTV          | 32 / M / WI              | UTV Rolled Over                             | No                         | No / Yes               | Pending              |
| Synopsis |           | The UTV rolled after the operator failed to negotiate a turn. Victim was a passenger in the UTV.  |                   |              |                          |   |                            |                        |                      |
| #10      | 8/6/2022  | Clark / Hatfield  | Route             | ATV          | 37 / M / WI              | ATV Rolled Over                             | No                         | No                     | Pending              |
| Synopsis |           | Operator/victim was last in a group of ATVs; failed to maintain control of his ATV and rolled over.   |                   |              |                          |   |                            |                        |                      |
| #11      | 8/21/2022 | Waukesha / Muskego  | Private Land      | UTV          | 17 / F / WI              | UTV Rolled Over                             | Yes                        | No / No                | No                   |
| Synopsis |           | Operator and single passenger were crossing a cut hay field. A tire from the UTV dropped into a rut, causing the steering wheel to pull to one side. The operator over-corrected and the UTV tipped, ejecting both occupants. The passenger became pinned beneath the roll bar, causing life ending injuries. |                   |              |                          |   |                            |                        |                      |
| #12      | 8/29/2022 | Rusk  | Public Road       | ATV          | 61 / M                   | ATV Rolled Over                             | Pending                    | No                     | Pending              |
| Synopsis |           | Operator/victim left the roadway, entered the ditch, and encountered a steep embankment. The ATV rolled and came to rest on top of the victim.  |                   |              |                          |   |                            |                        |                      |