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Woman critical after late night collision in West Friendship

A Dundalk woman is in critical condition after a collision in West Friendship around 11 p.m.. July 28.

Gina Shears, 41, was transported by ambulance to Shock Trauma after the 1997 Jeep Wrangler she was driving collided with a tractor trailer on southbound Rt. 32 near I-70.

Through preliminary investigation, police believe the tractor trailer was making a left turn at a flashing red arrow from northbound Rt. 32 onto I-70 when it was struck by the Jeep.

The driver of the tractor trailer, which was a 2007 Volvo owned by Innovative Trucking in Severna Park, was Robert Lewis, Jr., 28, of Baltimore. He was the sole occupant of the truck and was not injured.

Shears was the lone occupant of the Jeep and was not wearing a seat belt at the time of the crash.

No charges have been filed in the incident, but police are continuing to actively investigate the case.

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