

Incident Name: Smokejumper Proficiency Jump Hip Fracture (2018)

State: ID

Date: 7/5/2018

Incident Type: Smokejumping Accident

Description of the incident:

A smoke jumper fractured his hip after hitting a tree during a proficiency jump. He was stabilized on scene by FS EMTs then Air Ambulance to St. Alphonso's Hospital in Boise. Surgery was scheduled for 7/7/18 and a full recovering is anticipated.

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