

Fatal traffic accident in Kwun Tong

Police are investigating a fatal traffic accident in Kwun Tong this afternoon (March 17) in which a 75-year-old woman died.

At about 4.05pm, a heavy goods vehicle (HGV) driven by a 42-year-old man was travelling along Shung Shun Street southbound. Upon reaching the junction of Lei Yue Mun Path and Shung Shun Street, it reportedly knocked down the 75-year-old woman who was crossing the road.

Sustaining serious injuries, the woman was rushed to United Christian Hospital in unconscious state and was certified dead at 4.40pm.

The HGV driver was arrested for dangerous driving causing death and is being detained for further enquiries.

Investigation by the Special Investigation Team of Traffic, Kowloon East is underway.

Anyone who witnessed the accident or has any information to offer is urged to contact the investigating officers on 2305 7500 or 2305 7570.