

Nagaon mishap toll 9; 25 injured



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The toll in tragic road mishap near Nagaon mounts to 9 with two more people succumbed to injuries on Sunday morning. Twenty five others have been battling for life at the Nagaon Civil Hospital. Five of them were men including the driver while others were women.

The mishap took when the ASTC bus from Lakhimpur was on its way to Guwahati in the wee hours. As the passenger bus carrying 35 people arrived in Koliabor, suddenly the driver lost his control over the bus which hit a culvert -- a pipe-like structure that allows water to flow under a road or railway line.

Police and local residents came to the spot and [rescued](#) the passenger bus. Seven found died on the spot. While two others died on the way to the hospital. A few of them is being shifted to the Guwahati Medical College Hospital.

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