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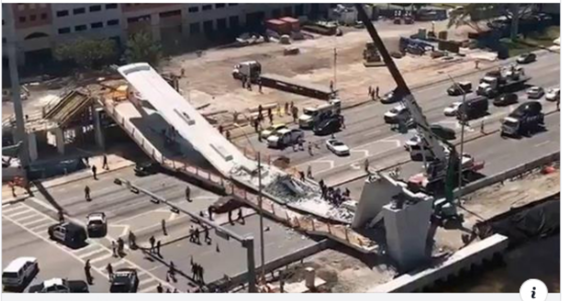

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A startling video showing the moment the 950-ton pedestrian bridge collapsed onto cars traveling on Tamiami Trail was posted online late Thursday.

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Someone filmed a video of the security footage showing the collapse of the pedest...

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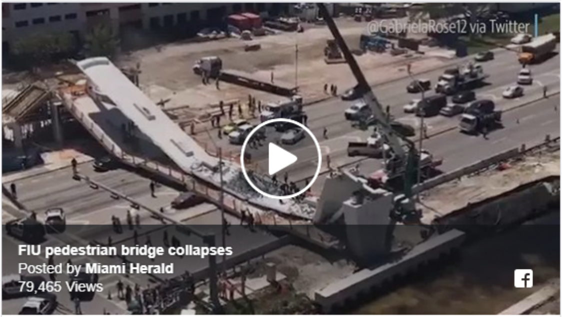

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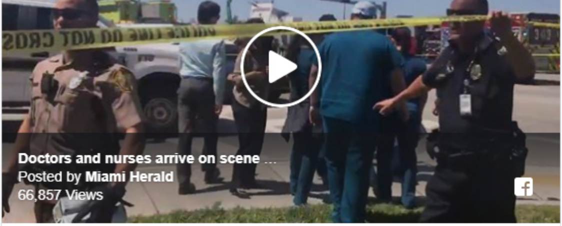

BREAKING: Police call doctors and nurses to the scene of the pedestrian bridge collapse at FIU. People and cars appear to be trapped underneath. Updates here: http://hrld.us/2FKd8mp

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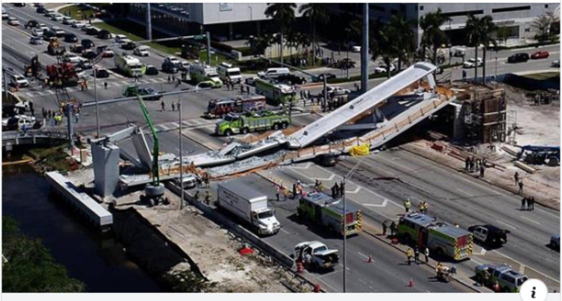
UPDATE: 4 dead, at least 9 survivors, 8 cars still under collapsed bridge.



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At least 4 dead in catastrophic FIU pedestrian bridge collapse; 9 re...

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Was it a design error? Did something go wrong during construction?

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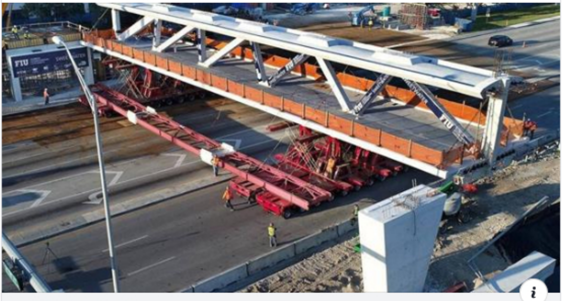
“There will clearly be an investigation to see exactly what happened and why this happened,” said Gov. Rick Scott.



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State: Firm hired for bridge design check should have been pre-qu...

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“All of a sudden, I hear a crack,” he said. “I see a [construction] worker; he looks up at the bridge and he gives me this face.”

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FIU employee heard a loud crack crossing under the bridge. Hours...

Jorge Mesa was on his way to work at Florida International University when he got...

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“The cables that suspend the #Miami bridge had loosened & the engineering firm ordered that they be tightened. They were being tightened when it collapsed today,” Marco Rubio tweeted.

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Rubio says engineers were tightening loose cables when the FIU b...

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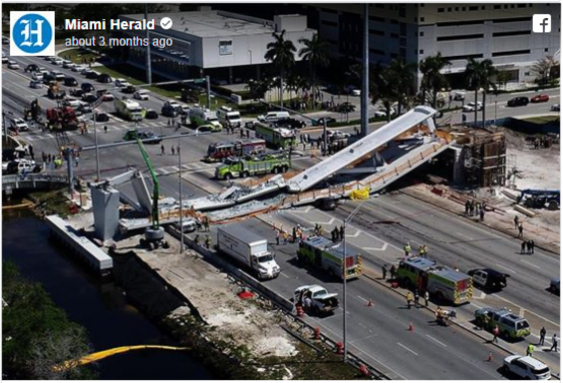

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“I started crying. I started screaming. I didn’t think of myself in that moment, I thought of all the people under the bridge … I thought, 'God, there could be kids, adults, whomever, there are people under there!"

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They were at the red light when the FIU bridge came down. They s…

A Sweetwater police officer and a manicurist in Miami were on their way to work o…

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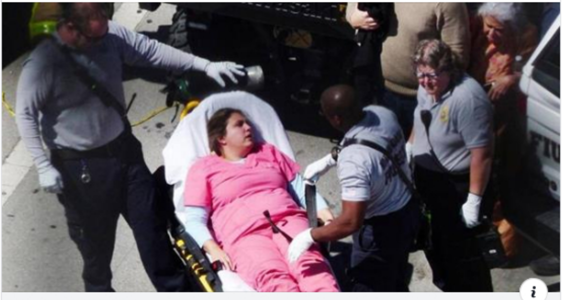
Kendall Regional is the closest trauma center to Florida International University's main campus.



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Ten people being treated at trauma center due to FIU bridge collap…

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FIGG Bridge Design, the company that designed the FIU pedestrian bridge that collapsed on Thursday, has a long history of bridge construction in Florida.

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Company that designed the failed FIU bridge also designed Skywa…

FIGG Bridge Design features both Tampa Bay projects in its online portfolio. The S…

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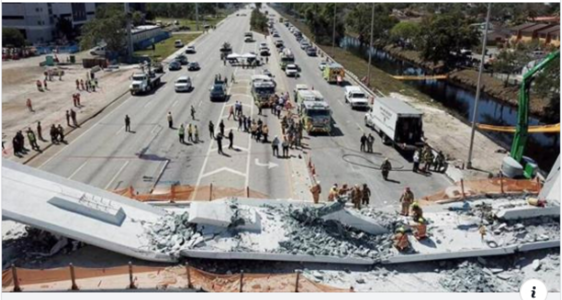
What's known about the FIU pedestrian bridge collapse as of late Thursday night.



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What we know about the FIU-Sweetwater pedestrian bridge collapse

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"There's a very sad irony here. This project was built to keep students safe and pedestrians safe and it has ended up being the cause of death of drivers underneath," Rep. Carlos Curbelo said.

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‘Beyond tragic’: Miami congressmen shaken by FIU bridge collapse

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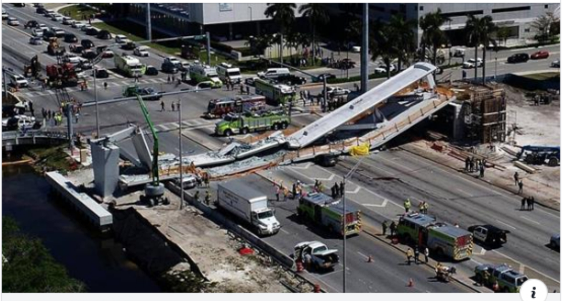
MCM is one of the most influential construction firms in Miami-Dade, and its executives are significant donors in county races.



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Meet MCM and FIGG, the two firms behind FIU’s collapsed pedestri…

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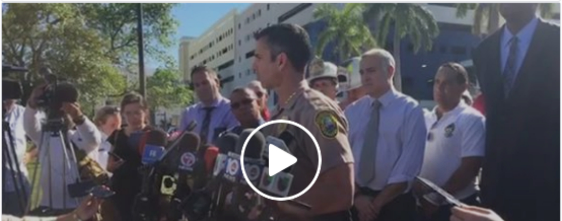

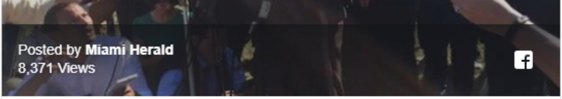

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Miami-Dade Police Chief Juan Perez, Miami-Dade Fire Rescue Chief Dave Downey and the Mayor of Sweetwater, Orlando Lopez, address the collapse of the pedestrian bridge connecting Florida International University and Sweetwater.

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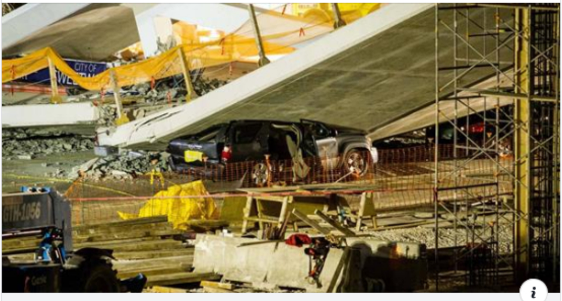
"Our priority is to get the bodies out."



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Death toll from FIU bridge collapse up to 6 as crews work to clear t…

As workers clear rubble, documenting evidence and trying to remove the dead afte…

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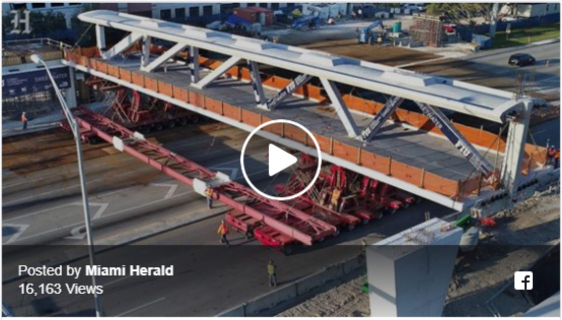

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Update on FIU pedestrian bridge collapse: Answering your questions about yesterday's tragedy.

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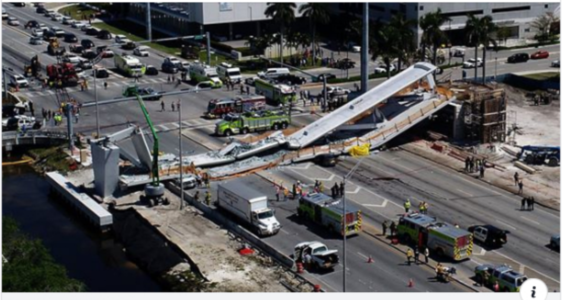
South Florida needs a new guardian angel. Our Editorial:



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FIU bridge collapse is another blow to our community. How could t...

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Video captures aftermath of FIU brid...
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Aerial footage shows the aftermath of the FIU pedestrian bridge collapsing on Southwest Eighth Street in Miami on Thursday afternoon. Updates here: hrld.us/2FKd8mp

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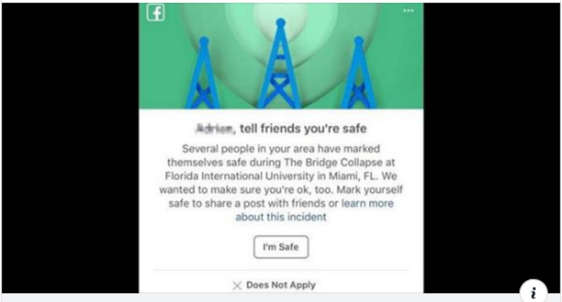
Soon after the Florida International University bridge collapsed across six lanes of Tamiami Trail Thursday afternoon, Facebook activated its Mark Yourself Safe feature.



[redacted], tell friends you're safe

Several people in your area have marked themselves safe during The Bridge Collapse at Florida International University in Miami, FL. We wanted to make sure you're ok, too. Mark yourself safe to share a post with friends or learn more about this incident

I'm Safe

✕ Does Not Apply

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Facebook activates its safety check feature after FIU bridge collapse

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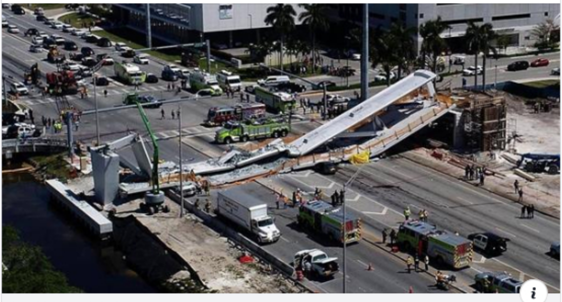
Rush-hour traffic is at a standstill on roadways near heavily traveled Southwest Eighth Street.



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Here are the road closures and traffic tie-ups due to FIU bridge coll…

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Quick bridge construction, is effective, but small mistakes can compound and cause failure, engineers say.

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Did construction technique lead to FIU pedestrian bridge collapse?

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