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C-17 aircraft crash, Elmendorf AFB, Alaska

ELMENDORF AIR FORCE BASE, Alaska -- An Air Force C-17 cargo aircraft, assigned to the 3rd Wing at Elmendorf Air Force Base crashed about 6:14 p.m. (Alaska time) today. At the time of the accident, it was on a local training mission.

Four aircrew were on board; their condition is unknown at this time.

First responders are on scene.

A board of officers will investigate the accident.

More information will be released as it becomes available