Incident Name: Cow Fire IHC Crewmember Tree Strike (2019)

State: Oregon

Date: 8/29/19

Incident Type: Hit By Tree

Description of the Incident:

On the Cow Fire on the Malheur National Forest a La Grande Hotshot Crewmember was struck by an identified snag. The Firefighter was assisted by Forest Service EMTs and then flown via an Agency ship to a hospital in Bend, Ore. The Firefighter was evaluated and given a CT scan which revealed no significant injuries and Firefighter was then released. An FLA is underway.

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