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3 die in California train derailment

GLENDALE, California (CNN) -- A commuter train derailment killed at least three people Wednesday when two trains apparently sideswiped each other in a Los Angeles suburb, Los Angeles fire officials said.

The number of passengers and how many were injured in the derailment in Glendale, California, is not yet known.

Videotape shows Metrolink passenger train cars on their sides with shattered windows and the metal sheeting peeled backward and crushed inward.

The footage also shows several overtuned orange Union Pacific rail cars.

Firefighters are struggling to reach Metrolink passengers believed to be trapped, placing ladders against the debris to get into the cars.

There is no official information on how many people may still be inside.

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