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Sunday February 7, 2010 Columbus Fire Lieutenant Transported to Hospital in Critical Condition

At approximately 10:45 pm on Saturday February 6, 2010 Columbus Firefighters responded to a report of a fire at 1831 Roberts Street. Upon arrival firefighters found an occupied single family residence with a fire in the basement. Fire crews were extinguishing the fire when a firefighter collapsed in the basement. Crew members immediately came to the aid of the downed firefighter and removed him from the basement and initiated life-saving measures at the scene and enroute to the hospital. The firefighter is currently in critical but stable condition at Riverside Methodist Hospital.

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