Seven Killed in Alleged Saudi Airstrike on Yemen Prison

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At least seven people, including children, were reportedly killed and another seven injured in an alleged Saudi airstrike on a correctional facility in northern Yemen, according to Houthi rebels.

Houthi-controlled Al-Masirah television reported that the attack took place on Monday, September 7, at a correctional facility in Yemen's Al-Jawf province, near the Saudi border. The channel also released footage of the aftermath.

According to the Houthis, the main building of the correctional facility collapsed after being hit by bombs. Rescue operations are currently underway to determine whether anyone remains trapped beneath the rubble.

The Houthis also accused Saudi Arabia of carrying out killings in the Al-Jawf region, flying surveillance drones and supplying weapons to armed groups. They further claimed responsibility for attacking a Saudi truck carrying military equipment at a checkpoint near the border of Hadramout province.

Saudi Arabia has not yet commented on the allegations made by the Houthis.