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Subject: Russian missile strikes Dnipro, leave 4 dead and 40 wounded.

Status: Heightened

Event: On December 1, 2025, a Russian ballistic missile strike hit the city of Dnipro in central Ukraine, killing at least four people and injuring over 20. The attack, which targeted a residential area, is believed to have used an Iskander missile, a highly accurate system known for its destructive capabilities. This strike is part of a broader pattern of Russian efforts to target Ukrainian civilian infrastructure, likely aiming to weaken morale and disrupt logistical operations. Emergency response teams are currently on the ground, while the damage to both infrastructure and civilians underscores the ongoing threat posed by Russia's missile campaign.

Action: The U.S. should condemn the attack, reaffirming its support for Ukraine’s sovereignty and territorial integrity. Washington could increase diplomatic pressure on Moscow through additional sanctions, particularly targeting Russia’s defense sector and key military leaders responsible for these strikes. Furthermore, the U.S. should expedite the delivery of advanced air defense systems, such as Patriot batteries, to help Ukraine defend against further missile threats.

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