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7 hurt in BCL infighting at RU

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BCL activists seen during a factional clash on Rajshahi University (RU) campus on September 13, 2019. Photo: Star

Star Online Report

At least seven activists of Chhatra League were injured in a factional clash on Rajshahi University (RU) campus over a trivial matter today.

The injured BCL activists received primary treatment from the university's medical centre, reports our RU correspondent.

One of the injured was Limon, a follower of former BCL central committee leader Shakibul Hasan Baki. Identities of the others could not be known immediately.

The clash ensued when BCL activist Kamrul, who is loyal to incumbent RU unit committee, beat up Limon at the guest room of Madar Bux Hall where the latter went to sit with his friends around 1:30pm.

Later, Limon's followers went to Kamrul's room and vandalised its windows, the correspondent said.

As the news spread in the area, BCL activists loyal to Kamrul attacked their rival group members, leaving seven activists injured.

On information, police and the university's proctorial body rushed to the spot and brought the situation under control, said RU Proctor Prof Lutfor Rahman

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