



## 2 injured JCD rival groups trade gunshots at DU

Rival groups of ruling party's student wing Jatiyatabadi Chhatra Dal (JCD) traded over 20 gunshots on the Dhaka University campus on Sunday evening leaving two people, including a girl, injured, reports UNB.

One of the injured was identified as Abdur Rashid Liton, a student of Finance Department and resident of Suryasen Hall. He was admitted to Dhaka Medical College Hospital.

According to police and campus sources, the second injured was a girl but her identity could not be known.

Witnesses said the gunfight erupted at about 6:30pm when 30-35 JCD workers of Laltu group were passing by Suryasen Hall on their way to Kabi Jasimuddin Hall hurling abuses at the cadres of Pintu group at the Suryasen Hall, prompting them to fire a shot.

"Hearing the gunshot, Laltu's cadres rushed towards Jashimuddin Hall and locked into the fierce gun battle," said a spot account.

Liton was injured in front of Suryasen Hall while the unidentified girl on the Jasimuddin Hall crossing.

Police also fired 6-7 shots in the air to disperse the warring groups.

Infighting in JCD, particularly in the Dhaka University halls, has marked a rise since BNP assumed power.