

4 injured in Barisal medical college BCL infighting

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AT LEAST four students were injured in a factional clash of Bangladesh Chhatra League in Barisal Sher-e-Bangla Medical College on Wednesday.

The identities of the injured were not identified immediately. Campus sources said a 15-member new committee of the medical college unit of BCL was announced on October 19 with Al Imran as its president and Mohammad Tuhin general secretary.

However, the committee has been dissolved as Anup Sarkar, a president candidate, opposed the new committee.

Supporters of Imran and Anup brought out separate processions on the campus on Wednesday. At one stage,

they engaged in a clash when a chase and counter-chase took place between them.

On information, police rushed in and charged baton on the feuding groups to disperse them. After the clash, the authorities announced the college shut for an indefinite period around 3:00pm and

asked the students of three dormitories to vacate their halls by Wednesday evening.

Later around 5:00pm on Wednesday, the decision of closing Barisal Sher-e-Bangla Medical College was changed as per direction of health minister, said the college principal Bhashkar Saha.