

Parents of sick girl all praise for UMS

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KOTA KINABALU: A student's parents were all praise for Universiti Malaysia Sabah (UMS) after its Science and Technology Preparation Center student Amanda Sandra Lestari Lee was rushed to hospital after she had breathing difficulty and a serious nose bleed.

"Doctors confirmed that my daughter suffered from serious lack of blood which could have turned fatal if not treated immediately," said Sandra's 38-year-old father, Lee Linggang.

"I am touched by the quick response taken by the university. I do not know what would have happened if they had not taken my daughter to the hospital immediately," said the SMK Tun Fuad Stephens Kiulu teacher.

Lee also applauded the efforts made by the university which prepared a special room for his daughter to sit for the Malaysia University English Test (Muet) in the hospital.

"This is a very special moment where UMS, the State Education Department and the hospital collaborated to ensure Amanda is not left out from taking the Muet exam which is important for her pre-university application," he said.

Meanwhile, Amanda's 38-year-old mother, Alvinah Saribun, also expressed gratitude to the university.

"We were initially worried for her, especially since we know she is away from home for the first time, but we have full confidence in the university," she said.



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