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Training & sensitization program on needs of special children at JMI

IASE, Faculty of Education, JMI organised In-service training and sensitization program for key functionaries of central and state governments, local bodies and other service providers from 26th to 30th December 2018. Participants were divided into three groups comprising of school teachers, paramedical staff and ASHA workers. The training was organized at Dean's office building, IASE, Faculty of Education, JMI. The objective of this program was to aware the participants about special education, needs of special child, initiatives taken by governments in this field and importance of every individual & responsibilities of the community towards these people.

The chief guest of the program was Prof. Mohd. Miyan who is former Vice Chancellor of Maulana Azad National University(MANUU) and former Dean of Faculty of Education & Registrar,JMI.

Speaking in the inaugural session Head of the Department Prof. Sara Begam told said this is 7th program organised by their department. Aim of the program is to aware people about inclusive education, objectives of RPWD Act (2016) and policies, so that each and every member of society knows about their duties towards disabled people.

Co-ordinator of the program Dr. Faizullah Khan shared that despite so many efforts by the government disabled children are not coming to the school education as compared to their numbers. The main reason behind this problem is lack of awareness. He said, objective of the program is to aware the participants to encourage other people to treat disabled children equally. Disabled children should be treated as differently able people and should not become object of sympathy. They should be encouraged to use their rights & live a respectful life in the society. He also shared that Jamia Millia Islamia is the only university which is organizing these programs at this level. Jamia will also organize ten more programs like this in next year too.

Dean, Faculty of Education Prof. Ilyas Hussain informed that very soon Jamia Millia Islamia is going to start Department of Disabled Studies which will be a great contribution in the field of special education. He also shared that the facilities of RPWD Act is useful only when people are aware about it.

Addressing the participants of the program the chief guest of the program Prof. Mohd. Miyan said that the objective of special education is giving education according to the needs of the

children and until people will not be aware about their responsibilities, the aim of special education and inclusive education cannot be achieved.

The program ended with a vote of thanks by Mr. Saurabh Roy.

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