A Report

On

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Centre for Clinical Legal Education and Legal Aid Cell NLUJAA

The Centre for Clinical Legal Education and Legal Aid Cell (CCLELAC) at the National Law University and Judicial Academy, Assam, continues to play a crucial role in advancing access to justice for the socially and economically disadvantaged. The Centre remains committed to bridging the gap between justice seekers and justice givers in the state by providing free legal aid, promoting legal literacy, and motivating the public towards alternative dispute resolution.

On 25th March 2025, the Centre organised a community outreach program to connect with local residents, enhance their awareness of legal rights, and inform them about the services offered by the university's Legal Aid Clinic. The outreach was held under the guidance of Dr. Kailash Jeenger, member of CCLELAC. The program focused on direct engagement with the community, where volunteers approached residents with warmth and openness to foster a comfortable environment for meaningful communication.

To ensure that the legal information was accessible and comprehensible, the team distributed leaflets and pamphlets in Assamese, providing information about the Legal Aid Clinic's location and timings. The content was designed to overcome language and literacy barriers, making it relevant for a diverse readership. The volunteers were conversant with Assamese as well as Hindi. Therefore, it was convenient to talk to the people with diverse cultural backgrounds. To further increase the accessibility of legal information, posters were affixed at prominent locations in the locality after obtaining the necessary permissions from the residents.

The visit concluded with a group photograph, which captured the spirit of collaboration and community engagement. The team returned to the university with a sense of accomplishment, having contributed to raising legal awareness and strengthening the community's access to justice.

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