From: Baljinder Saini Sent: Thursday, November 25, 2010 11:45 AM To: Kathleen Almond Subject: Nursing requirements

Dear Kathleen,

I just visited <a href="http://www.nursingmidwiferyboard.gov.au/News/Current-Consultations.aspx">http://www.nursingmidwiferyboard.gov.au/News/Current-Consultations.aspx</a> and i think that if an indiviual has done his/her education in english then he /she has the ability to communicate appropriately and effectively with the patient and the colleagues. Requirement of IELTS and OET is neccesary for those people who were never exposed to english before and hence must be tested before they interact with their professional life.

So, i think these requirements must be removed for people who have done their secondary or tertiary studies in English.

I shall be very thankful to you for considering my opinion.

Kind regards, Baljinder