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I am happy to hear that English requirement for registration has upgraded. But if the student finish their nursing course(graduated) in English medium in Australia in approved Universities by Nursing board with good performances, I think why they need to prove their English skills in IELTS. Nursing is totally medical feild and student should be familier with nursing feild rather than spending money in IELTS. If they perform well in all their studies well in Uni why they need to get IELTS. I think local student not need to sit for IELTS. You can expect some working experiences in Australia in nursing feild such as AIN. we can not expect that student who ever get 7 band in IELTS going to perform well in nursing feild. Nursing is totally skilled job with experiences. For international student it could be applicable if they did not study in English medium in their country. If they did their University studies in English medium in their country in recommended providers, I think it also not neccessory for them to take IELTS for registration. Because for Uni admission they have provided their Enlish abilities to providers.

Finally I considered that If student who were studing in recommended universities not need to sit for IELTS and spending money for exames. Board have to revise this amendment carefully for nursing student future.thanks.