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Dubai's Golden visa attracts India's rich

DUBAI: Dubai has surpassed iconic cities like New York, Miami and Paris in terms of being a preferred destination with ample financial resources. According to Forbes, Dubai has surpassed iconic cities like New



for expatriates
If you've got the money and are considering a move abroad, the UAE might be the destination for you. The UAE, particularly Dubai, has rapidly become one of the most sought-after locations for expatriates, especially those

York, Miami, and Paris in terms of being a preferred destination for expatriates.
A report by Henley & Partners, an international investment migration advisory firm, showed that the UAE has become the most
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GUIDELINES FOR FOREIGN EMPLOYERS (FE) REGISTRATION ON E-MIGRATE PORTAL

As per the directives from Ministry of External affairs / Government of India, all foreign employers, who intend to recruit workers from India, must have to register on e-Migrate through Indian Embassy.

HOW TO REGISTER IN E-MIGRATE

Foreign employer needs to send an email from their registered mail ID to help desk: helpdesk@emigrate.gov.in with CC to helpline@mea.gov.in so that they will revert in details with necessary documents to be uploaded in their sites.

List of documents uploaded on e-Migrate System along with FE Registration Application are as under

(Please tick box as applicable)

1. Copy of Company Registration Certificate/ Trade Licence.
2. Request Letter for FE Registration duly signed by the Authorised Signatory of the organisation.
3. Copy of Passport/ Personal Identification Number / Civil ID issued by Govt. Authority in the name of Authorised Signatory.
4. Copy of Address proof on Organisation Letterhead.

Once FE successfully completes the registration, FE may get a login & password and it will be valid upto five years, so that FE can generate necessary demand letter, power of attorney and employment contract etc. through the

e-Migrate system itself whenever FE requires without going to the respective Indian embassy of the employing country.

5. Once FE have done successful FE Registration process is completed and FE number is allotted, then to generate demand letter and power of attorney through e-Migrate System (<https://www.emigrate.gov.in/>), i.e. if the FE is desired to appoint CREATIVE ENTERPRISES as their authorised recruitment agency, go through the e-Migrate Registered # RA570 so that the system filtered to auto capture and fill the details of RA therein itself and the desired RA will be appointed by the FE.

IPEPCIL's proposals to prevent recruitment frauds by unscrupulous elements

To prevent frauds in the recruitment of personnel for foreign employment, the Indian Personnel Export Promotion Council (IPEPCIL) has put forward following suggestions to the Ministry of External Affairs (MEA). This issue was raised in Parliament the other day by some members and Minister of State for External Affairs Shri Kirti Vardhan Singh had warned that strict action will be taken against offenders. The ministry has also issued Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) to be followed by state governments on receipt of com-

plaints against such fake recruitment agencies.
IPEPCIL's PROPOSED SOLUTIONS TO PREVENT FRAUDS
1. UNIVERSAL APPLICATION OF THE EMIGRATION ACT, 1983: Extend the coverage of the Emigration Act, 1983, to all Indian workers travelling abroad for employment, regardless of their Emigration Check Required (ECR) or Emigration Check Not Required (ECNR) status and regardless of destination.
2. REGULATION OF ALL OVERSEAS / OUTBOUND RECRUITMENT: Strictly enforce

the registration of all recruitment agents under the Ministry of External Affairs. This includes agents operating via



social media, those operating as Immigration Consultants, Migration Consultants, Visa agents, Study Abroad, Student and intern recruitment and those recruiting for

ECNR countries like those in Europe and Southeast Asia. The authorities should take disciplinary action against unregistered agents and promote the use of licensed agents.
3. BRING ALL OVERSEAS RECRUITMENTS UNDER PGE : Bring all overseas recruitment of Indian workers under the jurisdiction of the Office of the Protector General of Emigrants (PGE) to ensure adherence to legal and ethical standards.
4. MANDATORY REGISTRATION ON E-MIGRATE: Implement mandatory on the e-Migrate System for all workers prior to their departure

from Indian airports.
5. CONTROL THE OVERSEAS TRAVEL WITH VISIT VISA FOR EMPLOYMENT: Prevent the misuse of visit visas by individuals seeking employment abroad. Implement stricter checks to ensure that workers do
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HOLIDAY NOTICE

Thursday, August 15, being Independence day, our offices will remain closed on that day. Therefore, ONE e-newspaper will not be published on Friday, 16 August 2024.



UAE visa amnesty: expats warned of fake 'registration websites' for illegal residents

DUBAI: The Philippine missions in the UAE have warned their countrymen about fake websites giving misleading information on the upcoming visa amnesty that will start on Sept 1.

The Philippine embassy said "We have received alarming reports of bogus text messages and e-mails sending links to sites pretending to be the portal for the registration for the amnesty".

"The Philippine Embassy urges everyone to be vigilant in putting sensitive and/or personal information on scrupulous websites. Only give details of your personal information to verified

sites," the mission said, noting that the UAE government is yet to



release the details on the conduct of the two-month visa amnesty programme.

During the last amnesty, Khaleej Times had reported in Nov 2018 that the Philippine government released some Dh7.8 million to pay for the exit fees (Dh221

each), lifting of absconding cases (Dh521 and airfares (Dh1,500

of the returning Filipinos. They were also given \$100 (Dh365) each (excluding the minors) as "humble welfare assistance".

Plans and procedures for the visa amnesty programme were discussed by immigration officials last week.

Smart systems will be deployed to simplify the process. This will be the fourth amnesty programme by the UAE government since 2007. The last one – six years ago – was supposed to run for only 90 days until Oct 31, 2018, but the federal government extended the amnesty scheme for two more months until Dec 31 that year to allow more residency violators to rectify their status or leave the country with no penalties.

In 2007, about 3.42 lakh residents across the UAE made use of a two-month amnesty and in 2012/2013, more than 60,000 migrants sought out the service nationwide.

Air India Tel Aviv flights remain suspended

MUMBAI: Air India has announced the suspension of its flights to and from Tel Aviv, effective immediately, until further notice amid the escalating tensions between Israel and Iran. The decision was made in response to the current situation in the region. Further, Air India said that they are continuously monitoring the situation and prioritising the safety of their guests and crew.



"In view of the current situation in parts of the Middle East, scheduled operations of our flights to and from Tel Aviv are suspended with immediate effect until further notice," Air India said in a post on X. We are continuously monitoring the situation and are offering a full refund to our passengers with confirmed bookings for travel to and from Tel Aviv. The safety of our guests and crew remains our topmost priority," the airline added.

Earlier, Air India had announced on Aug 2 that it would suspend its services to Tel Aviv until Aug 8 in response to the heightening tensions in the Middle East.

New Bank Bill coming

NEW DELHI: Soon, deposit holders or locker holders can name up to four persons as nominees, according to a new Bank Bill containing this provision that was introduced in the Lok Sabha. The bill also has provisions for new reporting dates among others.

"The Banking Laws (Amendment) Bill " seeks to improve governance standards, provide consistency in reporting by banks to the RBI, ensure better protection for depositors and investors, improve audit quality in Public Sector Banks, and extend the tenure of the directors (other than chairperson and whole-time director) in co-operative banks," a government source said.

The bill seeks to amend the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934, the Banking Regulation Act, 1949, the State Bank of India Act, 1955, the Banking Companies (Acquisition and Transfer of Undertakings) Act, 1970 and the Banking Companies (Acquisition and Transfer of Undertakings) Act, 1980. How-

ever, amendments in all these acts have nothing to do with the lowering of government holding or privatisation of public sector banks.

Nominees

Data show that as of March 31, 2023, the total amount under unclaimed deposits with public and private sector banks combined rose to over Rs 42,000 crore from around Rs 33,000 crore a year ago.

The bill proposes changes in the Banking Regulation Act to facilitate more number of nominees for the payment of depositors' money, the release of contents of safety lockers and the return of articles kept in safe custody with banks.

Currently, only one nominee is permitted for these cases, but post the enactment of the new law, the number of nominees could increase to four. However, there will be some conditions.

In case of deposits, four nominees will be permitted with two options. Either, the primary holder(s) has to give priority to all four or mention the share of

each nominee. In case of the priority, the nomination shall be effective only in favour of one person in the order of priority. This means the nomination of the first

nominee will be effective if she/he survives the person(s) who made

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preferred destination for the ultra-wealthy.

The report indicated that about 4,300 millionaires are expected to leave India in 2024, with a significant number choosing to relocate to Dubai in the UAE.

Indian professionals have long seen Dubai as a land of opportunity. Initially, the city attracted workers in traditional industries such as banking, retail and construction. However, in recent years, the city's economy has di-

versified, making room for tech startups, e-commerce businesses and digital media agencies.

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This diversification has broadened the scope of opportunities available to those considering a move.

Dubai has evolved far beyond its image of towering skyscrapers

and luxury shopping malls. Today, it's a thriving hub for business, innovation, and an exceptional quality of life. According to Manoj Dharmani, CEO of DUDigital Global, "Dubai offers a high standard of living, world-class infra-

structure, and a diverse range of leisure and entertainment options." This makes it an attractive destination not just for vacationers, but for those looking to relocate permanently.

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Singapore Dollar	64.25	63.20
Swedish krona	8.98	7.19
UAE Dirham	23.37	22.72
Swiss Franc (CHF)	97.97	96.37
British Pound	108.05	107
New Zealand Dollar	51.34	49.99
Thai Baht	2.48	2.28
Hong Kong Dollar	11.73	10.42
Saudi Arabian Riyal	23.08	22.13
Bahraini Dinar	229.90	215.90
Chinese Yuan	12.60	10.80
Danish Krone	12.79	11.79
Kuwaiti Dinar	280.66	264.66
Malaysian Ringgit	19.78	18.53
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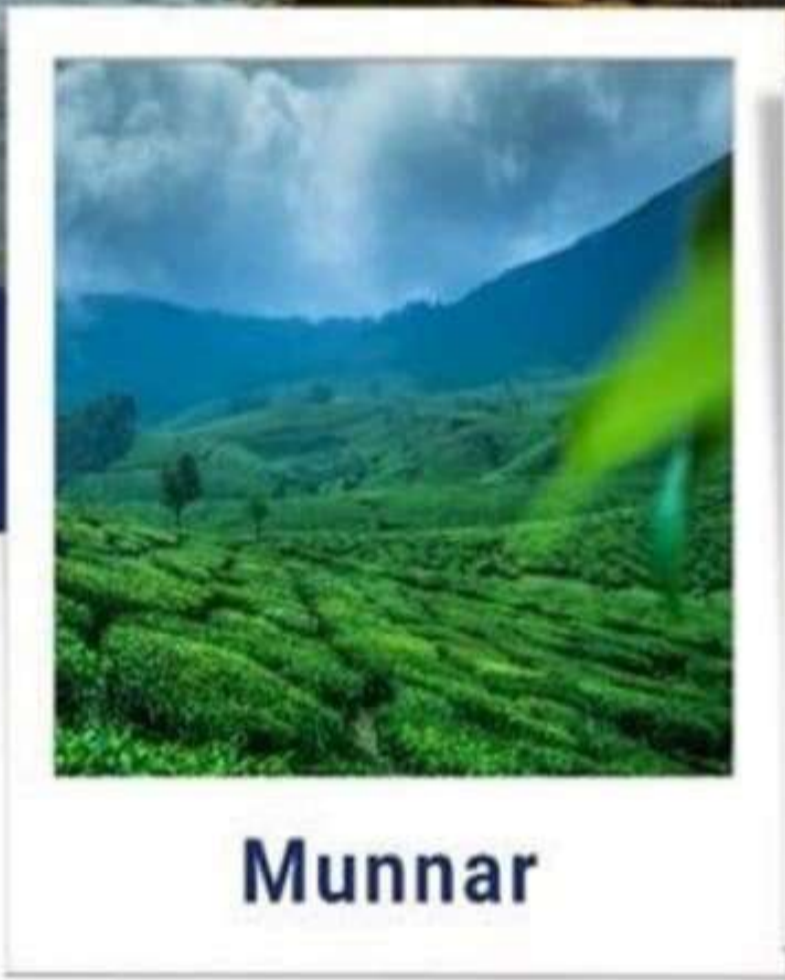

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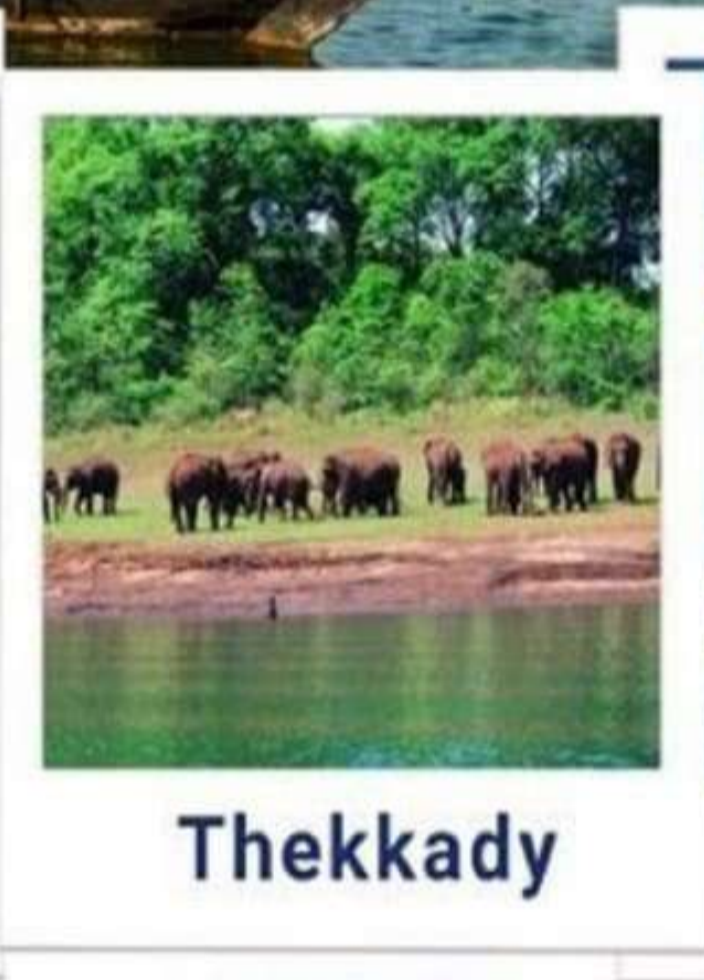



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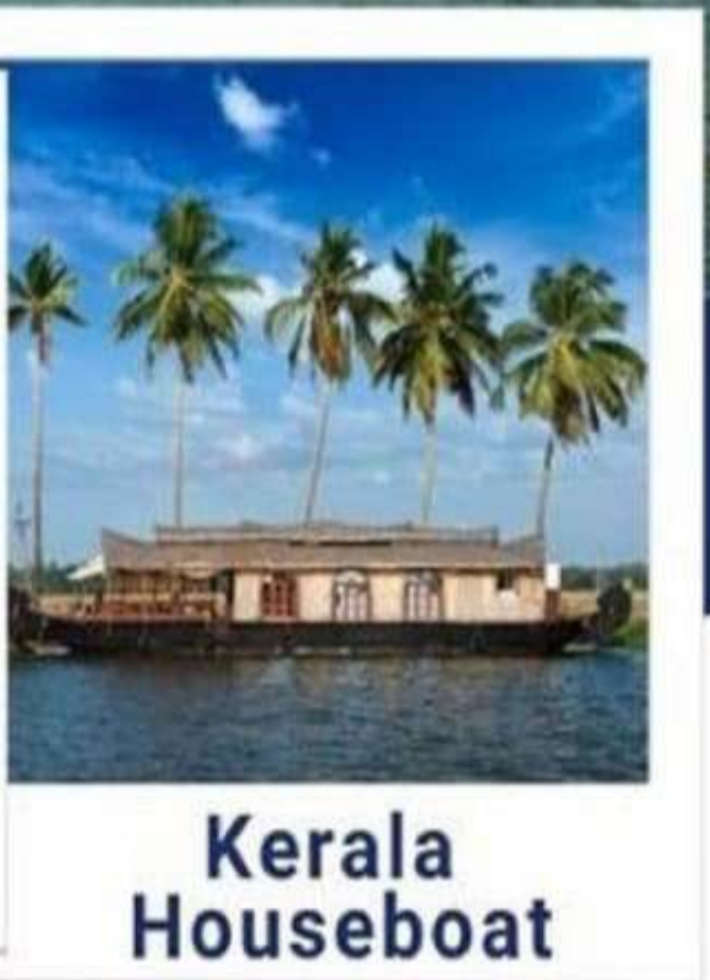
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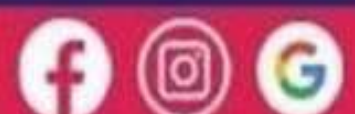


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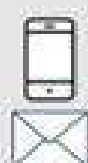
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GULF FAQs

How can I change my car number plate in Dubai?

I live in Dubai and I want to change my car number plate, what's the procedure and what documents are required?

In Dubai, motorists are allowed to get licensed number plates only, as per the Roads and Transport Authority. Those looking to change their number plates can do it easily through the RTA. This service can also be helpful for those who have lost their old plates. Driving without a

is only required in case the applicant has lost their number plate.)

Service fees

Short plate - Dh35, Long plate - Dh50, Short classical plate - Dh150, Long classical plate - Dh150, Motorcycle short plate - Dh25, Luxury plate - Dh500, Expo branded plate - Dh100, Dubai branded plate - Dh200 and Vehicle registration card - Dh50

How to apply

There are multiple RTA chan-



plate or with a damaged one can fetch you hefty fines of up to Dh3,000, and a whopping 23 black points on your licence.

From eligibility to documents required, here's how to change a vehicle number plate in Dubai. Are you eligible? The following people are eligible to apply for the vehicle plate number change:

UAE citizens UAE residents, GCC nationals, Companies Diplomatic bodies and governmental entities.

Documents required

The required documents for the process differ depending on the category of applicants. Original Emirates ID (Those working in local and federal government entities or semi-governmental entities have to provide original Emirates ID of the authorised person.) Letter from company (This is only required from commercial and free zone companies. Those working in local and federal government or semi-governmental entities have to provide a letter from the organisation.) Letter from Dubai Police (This

nels that residents can apply through. Through online channels, the results are produced instantly, whereas through in-person channels it takes around eight minutes. RTA website (Applicants must go to the "Change Vehicle Plate Number" from the "Vehicle Licensing Services" section to access this service.) Customer Happiness Centres (These are located in Umm Ramool, Al Manarah, Al Twar, Deira, and Al Barsha)

Vehicle registration and inspection centres; At the end of the process, applicants will get a vehicle ownership certificate and two vehicle plate numbers.

Thing to know: It is crucial for the customer or legal representative to be present in person. Before applying for the service, the applicant must settle all traffic fines. The customer must hand over the old vehicle plates before receiving the new one. Customers can change their plate numbers even if the residence visa or the Emirates ID was issued in another emirate as long as it is valid.

Dubai DXB airport records 44.9m passengers in 2024 first-half

DUBAI: Dubai International Airport (DXB) saw a record 44.9 million passengers in the first-half of this year, solidifying its position as the world's busiest airport for international travel. This impressive figure sets the

hub," Dubai Airports CEO Paul Griffiths said.

"Dubai is at the forefront of global cities when it comes to attracting talent, businesses and tourists from around the world — and we are proud to be



stage for potentially surpassing its all-time passenger record, reflecting the robust recovery of aviation post-pandemic.

The announcement follows a record annual profit for Emirates, the long-haul carrier based at DXB. Additionally, Dubai is preparing for the future with plans to transition operations to a nearly \$35 billion new airport within the next decade.

The city's booming real estate market and record tourism numbers have transformed Dubai from merely a layover spot into a prime destination for travelers worldwide.

"The record-breaking performance in the first-half of this year highlights our strategic importance as a global aviation

the gateway to the city. We have a very optimistic outlook for the remainder of the year, and we are on track to break records with 91.8 million annual guests forecast for 2024," Griffiths further added.

Dubai International Airport (DXB) has long been a key indicator for the global aviation industry and a reflection of Dubai's economic vitality. The emirate and its flagship airline quickly rebounded from the pandemic by aggressively pursuing tourism, even as other nations lagged in recovery. This rapid resurgence has led to congestion at DXB, which was briefly closed during the pandemic but now struggles to handle the surge in traffic.

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not travel on visit visas for employment purposes, as this often leads to exploitation.

6. PUBLIC AWARENESS CAMPAIGNS: Launch campaigns to educate the public about the importance of using licensed recruitment agencies. Highlight the legal obligations of these agencies to protect workers from exploitation.

7. IMs SHOULD CONDUCT ROADSHOWS TO POPULARISE SAFE EMIGRATION: Government may Issue instructions to Indian embassies worldwide to inform business groups, joint business councils, trade bodies and associations that recruitment of Indian workers must comply with the Emigration Act and be conducted through licensed recruitment agencies.

All foreign missions, consulates and embassies must be made aware of legal recruitment in India using Licensed Human Resource Consultants and the legal process of recruitment of Indian nationals as governed by the emigration act.

8. NOTIFICATIONS TO PORTAL, JOB SITES & NEWSPAPERS: All Job sites, portals and social media players must be notified that accepting posts advertisements is in direct violation of the Emigration Act and accepting /allowing adverts / posts amount to aiding and abetting illegal recruitment activities. Only posts and advertisements by MEA Authorised agents must be permitted and all portals/job sites and social media networks must verify the credentials of the agency.

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NURSING (Continuing from the previous issue)

Eligibility Criteria for Bachelor of Science in Post Basic Nursing- Passed the Higher Secondary or Senior Secondary or Intermediate or 10+2 or an equivalent examination recognised by the university for this purpose * Those who have done 10+1 in or before 1986, will be eligible for admission * Obtained a certificate in General Nursing and Midwifery and registered as RNRM with the State Nurses Registration Council * Candidates shall be medically fit * Students shall be admitted once in a year.

Eligibility Criteria for Master of Science in Nursing- The candidate should be a Registered Nurse and Registered midwife or equivalent with any State Nursing Registration Council * **The Minimum education requirements shall be the passing of:** BSc Nursing/BSc Honors Nursing/Post Basic BSc Nursing with minimum of 55pc aggregate marks



* The candidate should have undergone in BSc Nursing / BSc Honors Nursing / Post Basic BSc Nursing * Minimum one year of work experience after Basic BSc

ests and passions, nurses can select a specialty that best suits them. This will make nursing a more rewarding and intellectually stimulating profession by preparing

value of inter-professional and teamwork. Nurses provide their specialised skills to ensure comprehensive patient care by collaborating with physicians, therapists, pharmaci-



Nursing * Minimum one year of work experience prior or after Post Basic B.Sc. Nursing * (Indebted to INC Website for information regarding Eligibility Criteria)

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nurses to handle a range of healthcare challenges. * **Interesting career fields:** Nurses have the opportunity to work in a variety of healthcare settings and contribute to disaster relief efforts. The challenging nature of nursing provides new experiences and opportunities for personal and professional growth each day. * **Job Opportunities:** Countless Career Opportunities are available in hospitals, clinics, nursing homes, outpatient facilities, schools, and in a variety of healthcare institutions. It opens doors to a fulfilling career where you can make a real difference in people’s lives and establish yourself as a valuable member of the healthcare community. * **Teamwork:** Nursing is a collaborative profession by nature, with a strong emphasis on the

need for healthcare services has made nursing a safe and sustainable career choice in the modern era, and nurses can play a critical role in meeting these demands. (Impact and Significance of Male Nurses in Healthcare will be discussed later in SKILLS GURU).

CARDIOVASCULAR TECHNOLOGY / CARDIAC CARE TECHNOLOGY / CARDIAC TECHNOLOGY (Bachelor of Science Programmes)- Undergraduate courses leading to a Bachelor of Science in Cardiac Care Technology, Bachelor of Science in Cardiovascular Technology or Bachelor of Science in Cardiac Technology are offered. These are the areas in which allied health practitioners specialise. Cardiovascular technologists and technicians assist physicians in the diagnosis and treat-

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* **Course duration:** The programme is designed to prepare students for careers and is three years long, plus a one-year internship. The use of various monitoring devices and other equipment for electrocardiography, multi-stage stress testing, tilt table testing, Holter and ambulatory monitor analysis, pacemaker evaluation, and blood pressure analysis is taught to students. * **Eligibility Criteria for Undergraduate Cardiovascular Technology Courses:** To enroll in a cardiovascular technology course, a student must successfully complete their 10+2 with physics, chemistry, and biology from a recognised board and receive at least 50pc of the possible points. * **CAREERS IN CARDIOVASCULAR TECHNOLOGY:** Within the medical field, cardiovascular technology is highly sought after worldwide. There are numerous job opportunities for skilled graduates of cardiovascular technology. Graduates in this field can find employment in research, community organisations, long-term care facilities, cardiac stress testing and ECG departments, operating rooms, emergency rooms, medical sales and services, educational institutions, patient education, rehabilitation clinics, and clinics. They can choose to work as a lecturer, cardiographer, sonographer, cardiac care technician, catheterisation lab manager or cardiovascular technologist. **(To Be Continued)**