

'Punjab nurses better than rest'

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THE NURSING pass-outs from Chandigarh and Punjab region have a lot to rejoice, for not only the demand for Indian nurses aboard is rising every year, but also the foreign hospitals find nurses from Punjab region much better than those from the rest of the country. Director of Modi Health Care Placement India Pvt Ltd., Rita Marathey, stated this while talking to mediapersons here today.

She said the nursing pass-outs here have good nursing as well as language skills. "We have a tie-up with US-based chain of hospitals named Banner Health System and they themselves come here and conduct the test," she said.

Assistant Director Banner Staffing Services, Cathy Jacques, who was also on



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(From Left): Cathy Jacques, Rita Marathey and Paula Bradney during a press conference at Hotel Mountview in Chandigarh on Thursday.

the spot to conduct test, said they conduct three tests and then take the students to their hospitals in US and it takes one year for a nurse to reach US. She said they should be very careful as people are fooling students in the name of ar-

ranging jobs for them. "They should confirm whether the hospital is indeed there," she cautioned.

Her colleague Paula Bradney, System Director, Banner Staffing Services was also present on the occasion.