

Disposal details

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Decision on Warning

On 5 December 2023, whilst working as a registered nurse, you were dishonest in that you:

- Failed to escalate abdominal thrusts and/ or back slaps had been carried out on Patient A.
- Falsely claimed on more than one occasion that Patient A had choked on a banana when you knew it was a grape.
- Attempted to cover up the incident by asking colleagues not to report it.

This conduct does not meet with the standards expected of nurses, midwives and nursing associates and could undermine public confidence in the nursing and midwifery professions. The Code sets out the relevant standards of practice and behaviour at 10.3, 14.2, 20, 20.1 and 20.2.

10.3 complete all records accurately and without any falsification, taking immediate and appropriate action if you become aware that someone has not kept to these requirements

14.2 explain fully and promptly what has happened, including the likely effects, and apologise to the person affected and, where appropriate, their advocate, family or carers

20 Uphold the reputation of your profession at all times

20.1 keep to and uphold the standards and values set out in the Code

20.2 act with honesty and integrity at all times, treating people fairly and without discrimination, bullying or harassment

You have shown insight into your conduct and addressed any risk.