

**Nursing and Midwifery Council
Investigating Committee**

**Interim Order Review Hearing
5 October 2020**

Nursing and Midwifery Council
Virtual Hearing

Name of registrant:	Danielle Gallagher
NMC PIN:	13I0208N
Part(s) of the register:	Registered Nurse – Sub part 1 Learning Disabilities Nursing – 30 October 2013
Area of registered address:	Newtonabbey
Panel members:	Sarah Tozzi (Chair, lay member) Sue Gwyn (Registrant member) Tom Hayhoe (Lay member)
Legal Assessor:	Robin Ince
Panel Secretary:	Tara Hoole
Nursing and Midwifery Council:	Represented by Leeann Mohamed, Case Presenter
Miss Gallagher:	Not present, represented by John Guerin, BLM Law, in her absence
Interim order to be reviewed:	Interim conditions of practice order (18 months)
Outcome of review:	Interim conditions of practice order replaced with an interim suspension order

Decision and reasons on interim order

The panel decided to replace the current interim conditions of practice order with an interim suspension order.

Unless there has been a material change of circumstances, a reviewing panel will review the interim suspension order at an administrative meeting within the next six months. A reviewing panel will be invited by the NMC to confirm the interim suspension order at this meeting and Miss Gallagher will be notified of that panel's decision in writing following that meeting.

Alternatively, Miss Gallagher is entitled to have the interim suspension order reviewed at a hearing. This means that Miss Gallagher will be able to attend and make representations, send a representative on Miss Gallagher's behalf or submit written representations about whether the interim order continues to be necessary. Miss Gallagher must inform her case officer if she would like the interim suspension order to be reviewed at a hearing.

Even if Miss Gallagher does not request a hearing, where there has been a material change of circumstances that might mean that the interim order should be revoked or replaced, a reviewing panel will review the interim suspension order at a hearing which Miss Gallagher and her representative will be invited to attend.

Miss Gallagher should notify the NMC immediately of any material change of circumstances that may affect the interim order.

At any time, Miss Gallagher or the NMC may ask for the interim order to be reviewed by a panel if any relevant new information becomes available.

The NMC Case Examiners are yet to decide whether there is a case to answer in relation to the allegations made against Miss Gallagher. The NMC will write to Miss Gallagher when the case is ready for the next stage of the fitness to practise process.

This will be confirmed to Miss Gallagher in writing.

That concludes this determination.