

**Nursing and Midwifery Council
Investigating Committee**

**New Interim Order Hearing
Tuesday 20 July 2021**

Virtual Hearing

Name of registrant: Sara McIntosh

NMC PIN: 06H2518E

Part(s) of the register: Registered Nurse
Adult – 23 September 2006

Area of registered address: Hampshire

Panel members: Eileen Carr (Chair, Lay member)
Godfried Attafua (Registrant member)
Ingrid Lee (Lay member)

Legal Assessor: Charles Apthorp

Panel Secretary: Jennifer Morrison

Nursing and Midwifery Council: Represented by Michael Smalley, Case Presenter

Miss McIntosh: Not present and unrepresented

Interim order directed: **Interim suspension order (18 months)**

Decision and reasons on interim order

The panel decided to make an interim suspension order for a period of 18 months.

Unless Miss McIntosh's case has already been concluded or there has been a material change of circumstances, a panel will review the interim suspension order at a review meeting within the next six months and every six months thereafter. A panel will be invited by the Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC) to confirm the interim suspension order at this meeting and Miss McIntosh will be notified of the panel's decision in writing following that meeting.

Where there has been a material change of circumstances that might mean that the order should be revoked or replaced, or there has been a request for an early review, a panel will review the interim order at a hearing which Miss McIntosh will be invited to attend in person, send a representative on her behalf or submit written representations for the panel to consider. At any such review hearing the panel may revoke the interim order, it may confirm the interim suspension order or it may replace it with an interim conditions of practice order.

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

This will be confirmed to Miss McIntosh in writing.

That concludes this determination.