

**Nursing and Midwifery Council  
Investigating Committee**

**Interim Order Review Hearing  
Wednesday 13 April 2022**

Virtual Hearing

**Name of registrant:** Mrs Jennifer May Gaisford

**NMC PIN:** 93I0676E

**Part(s) of the register:** Registered Midwife  
Midwifery – 15 September 1996

**Area of registered address:** England

**Panel members:** Ingrid Lee (Chair, lay member)  
Debbie Holroyd (Registrant member)  
Elizabeth Williamson (Registrant member)

**Legal Assessor:** Charles Apthorp

**Hearing Coordinator:** Chandika Cheekhoory-Hughes-Jones

**Nursing and Midwifery Council:** Represented by Raj Joshi, Case Presenter

**Mrs Gaisford:** Not present and not represented

**Interim order to be reviewed:** Interim conditions of practice order (18 months)

**Outcome of review:** **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 Mrs Gaisford will be notified of that panel's decision in writing following that meeting.

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

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

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

At any time, Mrs Gaisford 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 Mrs Gaisford. The NMC will write to Mrs Gaisford when the case is ready for the next stage of the fitness to practise process.

This will be confirmed to Mrs Gaisford in writing.

That concludes this determination.