## Nursing and Midwifery Council Investigating Committee

## New Interim Order Hearing Friday 29 December 2023

Virtual Hearing

Name of registrant: Denise Ann Williams

**NMC PIN:** 80F1814E

Part(s) of the register: Registered Nurse – Sub Part 2

Adult Nursing (Level 2) – 17 November 1981

Relevant Location: Hampshire

Panel members: Angela Williams (Chair, Lay member)

Sue Gwyn (Registrant member)
Maureen Gunn (Registrant member)

Legal Assessor: William Hoskins

**Hearings Coordinator:** Monsur Ali

Nursing and Midwifery Council: Represented by Mohsin Malik, Case Presenter

Mrs Williams: Present but not represented at the hearing

**Interim order directed:** Interim conditions of practice order (18 months)

## Decision and reasons on interim order

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

The panel has determined that the following conditions are proportionate and appropriate:

For the purposes of these conditions, 'employment' and 'work' mean any paid or unpaid post in a nursing, midwifery or nursing associate role. Also, 'course of study' and 'course' mean any course of educational study connected to nursing, midwifery or nursing associates.

- 1. You must restrict your nursing practice to a single employer. If this is an agency you should only accept a single placement of at least three months duration.
- 2. You must not be the nurse in charge of any ward, shift or setting.
- You must be directly supervised by another registered nurse when managing or administering medication until deemed competent by another registered nurse.
   Upon completion, details of your competency should be sent to your NMC case officer.
- 4. You must be directly supervised by another registered nurse when managing or administering vaccination until deemed competent by another registered nurse. Upon completion, details of your competency should be sent to your NMC case officer.
- 5. You must have monthly meetings with your supervisor, line manager or mentor to discuss your nursing practice and performance including medicine management and administration, and/or vaccination management and administration.
- 6. Prior to any review hearing, you must send to your NMC case officer, a report from your line manager, supervisor or mentor, commenting on your compliance with this

order, medication management and administration, and communication and escalation of concerns.

- 7. You must keep the NMC informed about anywhere you are working by:
  - a. Telling your case officer within seven days of accepting or leaving any employment.
  - b. Giving your case officer your employer's contact details.
- 8. You must keep the NMC informed about anywhere you are studying by:
  - Telling your case officer within seven days of accepting any course of study.
  - b) Giving your case officer the name and contact details of the organisation offering that course of study.
- 9. You must immediately give a copy of these conditions to:
  - a) Any organisation or person you work for.
  - b) Any agency you apply to or are registered with for work.
  - c) Any employers you apply to for work (at the time of application).
  - d) Any establishment you apply to (at the time of application), or with which you are already enrolled, for a course of study.
  - e) Any current or prospective patients or clients you intend to see or care for on a private basis when you are working in a self-employed capacity.
- 10. You must tell your NMC case officer, within seven days of your becoming aware of:
  - a) Any clinical incident you are involved in.
  - b) Any investigation started against you.
  - c) Any disciplinary proceedings taken against you.
- 11. You must allow your NMC case officer to share, as necessary, details about your performance, your compliance with and / or progress under these conditions with:
  - a) Any current or future employer.
  - b) Any educational establishment.
  - c) Any other person(s) involved in your retraining and/or supervision required by these conditions.

Unless your case has already been concluded, this interim order must be reviewed before the end of the next six months and every six months thereafter. Additionally, you or the Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC) may ask for the interim order to be reviewed if any new evidence becomes available that may be relevant to the interim order.

At any review a panel may revoke the interim order or any condition of it, it may confirm the interim order, or vary any condition of it, or it may replace the interim conditions of practice order with an interim suspension order.

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

This decision will be confirmed to you in writing.

That concludes this determination.