## Nursing and Midwifery Council Investigating Committee

## Interim Order Review Hearing Tuesday, 9 January 2024

## Virtual Hearing

Debbie Odetta Abrams Steele Name of Registrant: **NMC PIN** 03G1297O Part(s) of the register: Registered Nurse – Sub Part 1 Adult Nursing (Level 1) - July 2003 **Relevant Location:** Carmarthenshire Panel members: Ingrid Lee (Chair, Lay member) Carole Panteli (Registrant member) Cheryl Hobson (Lay member) Andrew Granville-Stafford **Legal Assessor: Hearings Coordinator:** Rebecka Selva **Nursing and Midwifery Council:** Represented by Ashraf Khan, Case Presenter Mrs Abrams Steele: Not present and unrepresented Interim order to be reviewed: Interim conditions of practice order (18 months) Outcome of review: Interim conditions of practice order

confirmed

## Decision and reasons on interim order

The panel decided to confirm the current interim conditions of practice order.

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 work for one substantive employer, which can be an agency.
- 2. You must not undertake medicine administration unless you are directly supervised by a registered nurse, until you are formally assessed as competent to do so by a registered nurse.
  - a) You must provide the NMC with a copy of your assessment once successfully completed.
- 3. You must meet fortnightly with your mentor, supervisor or line manager to discuss your progress in relation to following medication administration protocols.
- 4. You must ensure an up-to-date report is provided by your mentor, supervisor or line manager in relation to compliance with medication administration protocols to the NMC prior to any review hearing.
- 5. 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.
- 6. You must keep the NMC informed about anywhere you are studying by:
  - a) 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.
- 7. 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
- 8. You must tell your 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.
- 9. You must allow your 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 will be confirmed to you in writing.

That concludes this determination.