Nursing and Midwifery Council Fitness to Practise Committee

Interim Order Review Hearing Wednesday, 13 March 2024

Virtual Hearing

Name of Mrs Okanlowan: Mrs Grace Okanlawon

NMC PIN 06H2890E

Part(s) of the register: Nurses part of the register - Sub part 1

RNMH: Mental health nurse, level 1

(1 March 2007)

Relevant Location: West Northamptonshire

Panel members: Bernard Herdan (Chair, Lay member)

Sophie Kane (Mrs Okanlowan member

Richard Bayly (Lay member)

Legal Assessor: Tim Bradbury

Hearings Coordinator: Tyrena Agyemang

Nursing and Midwifery Council: Represented by Bianca Huggins, Case

Presenter

Mrs Okanlawon: Not present and unrepresented

Interim order to be reviewed: Interim conditions of practice order (18

months)

Outcome of review: Interim conditions of practice order

replaced with interim suspension order

Decision and reasons on interim order

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

Unless Mrs Okanlowan'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 NMC to confirm the interim suspension order at this meeting and Mrs Okanlowan 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 Mrs Okanlowan will be invited to attend in person, send a representative on Mrs Okanlowan's 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.

A panel of the Fitness to Practise Committee has still to deal with the allegations made against Mrs Okanlowan. The NMC will keep Mrs Okanlowan informed of developments in relation to that issue.

This will be confirmed to Mrs Okanlowan in writing.

That concludes this determination.