## Nursing and Midwifery Council Investigating Committee

## New Interim Order Hearing Thursday, 24 July 2025

Virtual Hearing

Kirsti Jane Santoro

Interim suspension order (18 months)

Name of Registrant:

Interim order directed:

NMC PIN: 93I3321E Part(s) of the register: Registered Nurse – Adult – RNA – September 1996 Nurse Independent / Supplementary Prescriber – V300 – October 2019 **Relevant Location:** Sheffield Panel members: Gary Tanner (Chair, lay member) Lynn Bayes (Registrant member) Emma Lynch (Lay member) Legal Assessor: Valerie Paterson **Hearings Coordinator: Ekaette Uwa Nursing and Midwifery Council:** Represented by Lynn Roberts, Case Presenter Mrs Santoro: Not present and not represented in person

## Decision and reasons on interim order

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

Unless Ms Santoro'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. The reviewing panel will be invited by the NMC to confirm the interim suspension order at this meeting and Ms Santoro 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. Ms Santoro 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 reviewing 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 Ms Santoro. The NMC will write to Ms Santoro when the case is ready for the next stage of the fitness to practise process.

This will be confirmed to Ms Santoro in writing.

That concludes this determination.