

Nursing and Midwifery Council
Investigating Committee

Interim Order Review Meeting
Thursday, 26 June 2025

Virtual Meeting

Name of Registrant:	Richard Gwatiringa
NMC PIN:	20H0097E
Part(s) of the register:	Nurses Part of the Register – Sub Part 1 RNMH: Mental Health Nurse, Level 1 (23 September 2020)
Relevant Location:	Staffordshire
Panel members:	Godfried Attafua (Chair, Registrant member) Naomi Smith (Registrant member) Sandra Norburn (Lay member)
Hearings Coordinator:	Samantha Aguilar
Interim order to be reviewed:	Interim suspension order (18 months)
Outcome of review:	Interim suspension order confirmed

Decision and reasons on interim order

The panel decided to confirm the current interim suspension order.

Unless Mr Gwatiringa'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 Nursing and Midwifery Council ("NMC") to confirm the interim suspension order at this meeting and Mr Gwatiringa 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 Mr Gwatiringa will be invited to attend in person, send a representative on Mr Gwatiringa'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.

This will be confirmed to Mr Gwatiringa in writing.

That concludes this determination.