

**Nursing and Midwifery Council  
Investigating Committee**

**Interim Order Review Hearing  
Thursday 08 May 2025**

Virtual Hearing

<b>Name of Registrant:</b>	<b>Ashleigh Kim Fretwell</b>
<b>NMC PIN:</b>	14F1338E
<b>Part(s) of the register:</b>	Registered nurse – Sub Part 1 Adult nursing (level 1) – 20 April 2015
<b>Relevant Location:</b>	England
<b>Panel members:</b>	Ingrid Lee (Chair, Lay member) Arijana Kilic (Registrant member) Elaine Weinbren (Lay member)
<b>Legal Assessor:</b>	Graeme Henderson
<b>Hearings Coordinator:</b>	Hazel Ahmet
<b>Nursing and Midwifery Council:</b>	Represented by Anna Rubbi, Case Presenter
<b>Ms Fretwell:</b>	Not present and unrepresented
<b>Interim order to be reviewed:</b>	Interim suspension order (18 months)
<b>Outcome of review:</b>	<b>Interim suspension order confirmed</b>

**The panel determined to hold the entirety of this case in private, under Rule 19.**

In these circumstances, the panel determined that an interim suspension order remained the appropriate and proportionate order.

Unless there has been a material change of circumstances, a reviewing panel will review the interim suspension order at an administrative meeting within the next six months. A reviewing panel will be invited by the NMC to confirm the interim suspension order at this meeting and Ms Fretwell will be notified of that panel's decision in writing following that meeting.

Alternatively, Ms Fretwell is entitled to have the interim suspension order reviewed at a hearing. This means that Ms Fretwell will be able to attend and make representations, send a representative on Ms Fretwell's behalf or submit written representations about whether the interim order continues to be necessary. Ms Fretwell must inform her case officer if she would like the interim suspension order to be reviewed at a hearing.

Even if Ms Fretwell does not request a hearing, where there has been a material change of circumstances that might mean that the interim order should be revoked or replaced, a reviewing panel will review the interim suspension order at a hearing which Ms Fretwell and/or her representative will be invited to attend.

Ms Fretwell should notify the NMC immediately of any material change of circumstances that may affect the interim order.

At any time, Ms Fretwell or the NMC may ask for the interim order to be reviewed by a panel if any relevant new information becomes available.

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

This will be confirmed to Ms Fretwell in writing.

That concludes this determination.