Nursing and Midwifery Council Investigating Committee

Interim Order Review Meeting Monday, 29 September 2025

Virtual Meeting

Clare Olive Dobbin

NMC PIN:

Part(s) of the register:

Registered nurse – sub part 1 Learning disability nursing (level 1) – 29 September 1997

Relevant Location:

Belfast

Yvonne Wilkinson (Chair, Registrant member)
Louisa Hilton (Registrant member)
Dee Rogers (Lay member)

Hearings Coordinator: Eleanor Wills

Name of Registrant:

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 Mrs Dobbin'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 Mrs Dobbin 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 Dobbin will be invited to attend in person, send a representative on Mrs Dobbin'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.

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

This will be confirmed to Mrs Dobbin in writing.