

Nursing and Midwifery Council
Investigating COMMITTEE

New Interim Order Hearing
Friday, 17 April 2026

Virtual Hearing

Name of Registrant: Catherine Elizabeth Armitage-McGirr

NMC PIN: 88G1179E

Part(s) of the register: Registered Nurse - Adult
RN1 – March 1992

Community Practitioner Nurse
Prescriber
V150 – June 2011

Community Practitioner Nurse
Prescriber
V100 – September 2014

Specialist Practitioner – District
Nursing
SPDN – September 2014

Nurse Independent/Supplementary
Prescriber
V300 – November 2024

Relevant Location: Cannock

Panel members: Palbinder Thandi (Chair, lay member)
Elaine Bowden (Registrant member)
Noreen Quraishi (Lay member)

Legal Assessor: Joseph Magee

Hearings Coordinator: Samara Baboolal

Nursing and Midwifery Council: Represented by Ruhena Parker, Case
Presenter

Mrs Armitage-McGirr:

Not present and written submissions provided by the Royal College of Nursing (RCN)

Interim order directed:

Interim suspension order (18 months)

Decision and reasons on interim order

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

Unless Mrs Armitage-McGirr'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 Mrs Armitage-McGirr 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 Armitage-McGirr will be invited to attend in person, send a representative on his/her/their 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 allegation made against Mrs Armitage-McGirr. The NMC will write to Mrs Armitage-McGirr when the case is ready for the next stage of the fitness to practise process.

This will be confirmed to Mrs Armitage-McGirr in writing.

That concludes this determination.