

Nursing and Midwifery Council

Agreed Removal Decision

13 April 2026

Registrant: Claire Margaret Ferguson

PIN: 0210707S

Part(s) of the register: Registered Nurse - Adult Nursing

Relevant Location: Lanarkshire

On 7 July 2025, we received a referral raising a concern about Claire Margaret Ferguson's fitness to practise. It's alleged that Claire Margaret Ferguson attended for work while unfit.

The matter has been referred to the case examiners but the NMC investigation isn't finished. No allegation against Claire Margaret Ferguson has yet been found substantively proved by one of our statutory committees.

On 5 February 2026, we received an application from Claire Margaret Ferguson for agreed removal from the NMC register.

ASSISTANT REGISTRAR'S DECISION

As an Assistant Registrar, I have delegated authority to make decisions about agreed removal and have agreed to removal from the NMC register in this case.

In accordance with Rule 14 of the Nursing and Midwifery Council (Education, Registration and Registration Appeals) Rules 2004, in considering Claire Margaret Ferguson's application for agreed removal, I've taken into account:

- the agreed removal application form
- information and evidence obtained during the NMC investigation so far
- the interests of Claire Margaret Ferguson
- the public interest.

We contacted the person who made the allegation against Claire Margaret Ferguson for their comments on the application for agreed removal. They said they have no comments to make.

I'm satisfied that:

- there's enough information to make a decision about the agreed removal application
- Claire Margaret Ferguson no longer intends to work as a registered nurse

- the allegations against Claire Margaret Ferguson aren't likely to result in a striking-off order
- there are no other good reasons requiring us to consider the allegations further at this time
- the public interest is best served by agreeing the application for removal and enabling Claire Margaret Ferguson to leave the NMC register.

We'll publish a record of this decision for twelve months from the date of the decision, **13 April 2026**. In the event that Claire Margaret Ferguson seeks readmission to the register, we may consider the matters that led to this agreed removal further.