

Nursing and Midwifery Council

Agreed Removal Decision

Registrant: Joyce Hoare

PIN: 06G0849E

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

Relevant Location: County Durham

On 30 October 2023 we received a referral raising a concern about Joyce Hoare's fitness to practise. It's alleged that Joyce Hoare failed to administer prescribed medication to residents, incorrectly stored medication, then failed to make the appropriate records to reflect that the residents in question hadn't received their medication.

We investigated the issue and the matter was referred to the case examiner stage of our process. No allegation against Joyce Hoare has yet been found substantively proved by one of our statutory committees.

On 9 September 2025 we received an application from Joyce Hoare 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 Joyce Hoare's application for agreed removal, I've taken into account:

- comments received from the person that made the allegation against Joyce Hoare
- evidence and information about the concerns
- the interests of Joyce Hoare
- the public interest.

I'm satisfied that:

- Joyce Hoare no longer intends to work as a registered nurse
- the allegations against Joyce Hoare 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 Joyce Hoare to leave the NMC register.

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