

**Nursing and Midwifery Council
Investigating Committee**

**Interim Order Review Hearing
Friday, 22 May 2026**

Virtual Hearing

Name of Registrant:	Paul Anthony Jones
NMC PIN:	92J0460E
Part(s) of the register:	Mental Health – RNMH – February 2000 Adult – RNA – October 1995
Relevant Location:	Brighton
Panel members:	Palbinder Thandi (Chair, lay member) Melanie Tanner (Registrant member) Noreen Quraishi (Lay member)
Legal Assessor:	Giovanna Palmiero
Hearings Coordinator:	Catherine Blake
Nursing and Midwifery Council:	Represented by Jerome Burch, Case Presenter
Mr Jones:	Not present and represented by James Halliday, instructed by Blackfords LLP
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 registrant'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 Mr Jones 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 Mr Jones will be invited to attend in person, send a representative on Mr Jones' 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 Mr Jones. The NMC will write to Mr Jones when the case is ready for the next stage of the fitness to practise process.

This will be confirmed to Mr Jones in writing.

That concludes this determination.