Nursing and Midwifery Council
Fitness to Practise Committee

Interim Order Review Hearing
Wednesday 25 November 2026

Virtual Hearing

Name of Registrant:	Jacqueline Lewis
NMC PIN:	20C0325E
Part(s) of the register:	Registered Nurse – Adult RNA – 10 December 2020
Relevant Location:	Suffolk
Panel members:	Oluremi Alabi (Chair, registrant/lay member) Elisabeth Cardwell (Registrant member) Chantelle Whitehead Lay member)
Legal Assessor:	Nigel Ingram
Hearings Coordinator:	Vicky Green
Nursing and Midwifery Council:	Represented by Skye Watson, Case Presenter
Mrs Lewis:	Not present and not represented at the hearing
Interim order to be reviewed:	Interim conditions of practice order (18 months)
Outcome of review:	**Interim conditions of practice order varied**

The panel concluded that the public would remain suitably protected by the following varied conditions:

'For the purposes of these conditions, 'employment' and 'work' mean any paid or unpaid post in a nursing, midwifery or nursing associate role. Also, 'course of study' and 'course' mean any course of educational study connected to nursing, midwifery or nursing associates.'

1. When you return to work in a role requiring your NMC PIN, you must either work in:
    a. A non-patient facing role. This means you may undertake a nursing role which does not involve any patient contact whether remote or face to face
    OR
    b. If you are working in a patient facing role:
        i. You must not act as the nurse in charge or have overall clinical responsibility for any shift, ward, unit, department, service or clinical area.
        ii. You must be indirectly supervised by another NMC registered nurse on location any time you are working. You must ensure that the supervising nurse is working at the same location at all times in your shift.

2. You must meet with your line manager, mentor or supervisor at the commencement of your role and thereafter on a monthly basis to discuss:
    a. The importance of maintaining professional boundaries with patients.
    b. Your ongoing learning development and reflective practice.

3. You must provide your NMC case officer with a report from your line manager, mentor or supervisor prior to the next NMC review hearing detailing your general performance and your discussions regarding the importance of maintaining professional boundaries with patients.

4. You must keep the NMC informed about anywhere you are working by:

a. Telling your case officer within seven days of accepting or leaving any employment.
b. Giving your case officer your employer's contact details.

5. You must immediately give a copy of these conditions to:
    a. Any organisation or person you work for.
    b. Any employers you apply to for work (at the time of application).
    c. Any establishment you apply to (at the time of application), or with which you are already enrolled, for a course of study.

6. You must tell your NMC case officer, within seven days of your becoming aware of:
    a. Any clinical incident you are involved in.
    b. Any investigation started against you.
    c. Any disciplinary proceedings taken against you.

7. You must allow your case officer to share, as necessary, details about your performance, your compliance with and / or progress under these conditions with:
    a. Any current or future employer.
    b. Any educational establishment.
    c. Any other person(s) involved in your retraining and/or supervision required by these conditions.

The panel decided to confirm this interim conditions of practice order and it will run for the remainder of the current interim order.

Unless Mrs Lewis' case has already been concluded, this interim order must be reviewed before the end of the next six months and every six months thereafter. Additionally, Mrs Lewis or the NMC may ask for the interim order to be reviewed if any new evidence becomes available that may be relevant to the interim order.

At any review, the reviewing panel may revoke the interim order or any condition of it, it may confirm the interim conditions of practice order, or vary any condition of it, or it may replace the interim conditions of practice order with an interim suspension order.

In certain circumstances, it may be possible for the interim conditions of practice order to be reviewed by a reviewing panel at an administrative meeting. Mrs Lewis' case officer will write to her about this in due course.

A panel of the Fitness to Practise Committee has still to deal with the allegations made against Mrs Lewis. The NMC will keep Mrs Lewis informed of developments in relation to that issue.

This will be confirmed to Mrs Lewis in writing.

That concludes this determination.