

## Table of amendments to our original legislation

The tables below set out the original legislation that is currently in effect for regulating nurses and midwives, what legislation has amended each and links to that legislation on [www.legislation.gov.uk](http://www.legislation.gov.uk)

### The Order

|                              | Title:                                                                                                                                           | SI reference*   | Link                |                     |
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| <b>Original legislation:</b> | <b><u>The Nursing and Midwifery Order 2001</u></b>                                                                                               | SI 2002/253     | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
| <b>Amended by:</b>           | The National Health Service Reform and Health Care Professions Act 2002 (Supplementary, Consequential etc Provisions) Regulations 2002           | SI 2002/2469    | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Enterprise Act 2002 (Consequential and Supplemental Provisions) Order 2003                                                                   | SI 2003/1398    | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The European Qualifications (Health Care Professions) Regulations 2003                                                                           | SI 2003/3148    | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The European Qualifications (Health and Social Care Professions and Accession of New Member States) Regulations 2004                             | SI 2004/1947    | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | Health and Social Care (Community Health and Standards) Act 2003                                                                                 | n/a             | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Medical Act 1983 (Amendment) and Miscellaneous Amendments Order 2006                                                                         | SI 2006/1914    | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | Health Act 2006                                                                                                                                  | n/a             | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | National Health Service (Consequential Provisions) Act 2006                                                                                      | n/a             | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The European Qualifications (Health and Social Care Professions) Regulations 2007                                                                | SI 2007/3101    | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Nursing and Midwifery (Amendment) Order 2008                                                                                                 | SI 2008/1485    | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | Health and Social Care Act 2008                                                                                                                  | n/a             | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Health and Social Care (Reform) (2009 Act) (Consequential Provisions) Order (Northern Ireland) 2009                                          | SR(NI) 2009/144 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Health Care and Associated Professions (Miscellaneous Amendments and Practitioner Psychologists) Order 2009                                  | SI 2009/1182    | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | Health and Social Care Act 2012                                                                                                                  | n/a             | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | Protection of Freedoms Act 2012                                                                                                                  | n/a             | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The National Treatment Agency (Abolition) and the Health and Social Care Act 2012 (Consequential, Transitional and Saving Provisions) Order 2013 | SI 2013/235     | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Health Care and Associated Professions (Indemnity Arrangements) Order 2014                                                                   | SI 2014/1887    | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Nursing and Midwifery (Amendment) Order 2014                                                                                                 | SI 2014/3272    | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |

\* SI = Statutory Instrument

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|  | The Health Care and Associated Professions (Knowledge of English) Order 2015                                                                                          | SI 2015/806  | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|  | Health and Social Care (Safety and Quality) Act 2015                                                                                                                  | <i>n/a</i>   | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|  | The European Qualifications (Health and Social Care Professions) Regulations 2016                                                                                     | SI 2016/1030 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|  | The Nursing and Midwifery (Amendment) Order 2017                                                                                                                      | SI 2017/321  | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|  | The Data Protection Act 2018                                                                                                                                          | <i>n/a</i>   | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|  | The Nursing and Midwifery (Amendment) Order 2018                                                                                                                      | SI 2018/838  | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|  | The Coronavirus Act 2020                                                                                                                                              | <i>n/a</i>   | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|  | Data Protection, Privacy and Electronic Communications (Amendments etc)(EU Exit) Regulations 2019                                                                     | SI 2019/419  | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|  | European Qualifications (Health and Social Care Professions) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations                                                                   | SI 2019/593  | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|  | The Nursing and Midwifery (European Qualifications)(Amendment) Regulations                                                                                            | 2021/531     | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|  | The Dentists, Dental Care Professionals, Nurses, Nursing Associates and Midwives (International Registrations) Order 2023                                             | SI 2023/162  | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|  | The Recognition of Professional Qualifications and Implementation of International Recognition Agreements (Amendment) Regulations 2023                                | SI 2023/1286 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|  | The Recognition of Professional Qualifications and Implementation of International Recognition Agreements (Amendment)(Extension to Switzerland etc.) Regulations 2024 | SI 2024/1379 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |

## Privy Council orders

|                              | Title:                                                                                                | SI reference | Link                |                     |
|------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| <b>Original legislation:</b> | <b><u>The Nursing &amp; Midwifery (Constitution) Order 2008</u></b>                                   | SI 2008/2553 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
| <b>Amended by:</b>           | The Nursing and Midwifery Council (Constitution) (Amendment) Order 2012                               | SI 2012/2745 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Protection of Freedoms Act 2012 (Disclosure and Barring Service Transfer of Functions) Order 2012 | SI 2012/3006 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Nursing and Midwifery (Amendment) Order 2018                                                      | SI 2018/838  | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |

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| <b>Original legislation:</b> | <b><u>Nurses &amp; Midwives (Parts of and Entries in the Register) Order of Council 2004</u></b>                                       | SI 2004/1765 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
| <b>Amended by:</b>           | The National Health Service (Pharmaceutical Services) Regulations 2005                                                                 | SI 2005/641  | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Nurses and Midwives (Parts of and Entries in the Register) Amendment Order of Council 2006                                         | SI 2006/1015 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Smoking, Health and Social Care (Scotland) Act 2005 (Consequential Modifications) (England, Wales and Northern Ireland) Order 2006 | SI 2006/1056 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The European Qualifications (Health and Social Care                                                                                    | SI 2007/3101 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |

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|  | Professions) Regulations 2007                                                                       |              |                     |                     |
|  | The National Health Service (Pharmaceutical Services) (Scotland) Regulations 2009                   | SSI 2009/183 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|  | The Nursing and Midwifery (Amendment) Order 2018                                                    | SI 2018/838  | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|  | European Qualifications (Health and Social Care Professions) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations | SI 2019/593  | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |

|                              | Title:                                                                                               | SI reference | Link                |                     |
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| <b>Original legislation:</b> | <b><u>The Nursing &amp; Midwifery Order 2001 (Transitional Provisions) Order of Council 2004</u></b> | SI 2004/1762 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
| <b>Amended by:</b>           | The Nursing and Midwifery Order 2001 (Transitional Provisions) (Amendment) Order of Council 2006     | SI 2006/1441 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |

|                              | Title:                                                                                                                                                            | SI reference | Link                |                     |
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| <b>Original legislation:</b> | <b><u>Nursing &amp; Midwifery Order 2001 (Legal Assessors) Order of Council 2004</u></b>                                                                          | SI 2004/1763 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
| <b>Amended by:</b>           | The National Treatment Agency (Abolition) and the Health and Social Care Act 2012 (Consequential, Transitional and Saving Provisions) Order 2013                  | SI 2013/235  | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Nursing and Midwifery Order (Legal Assessors) (Amendment) and the Nursing and Midwifery Council (Fitness to Practise) (Amendment) Rules Order of Council 2017 | SI 2017/703  | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |

## Rules made by our Council

|                              | Title:                                                                                                               | SI reference | Link                |                     |
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| <b>Original legislation:</b> | <b><u>The Nursing &amp; Midwifery Council (Education, Registration and Registration Appeals) Rules 2004</u></b>      | SI 2004/1767 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
| <b>Amended by:</b>           | The Civil Partnership Act 2004 (Amendments to Subordinate Legislation) Order 2005                                    | SI 2005/2114 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Nursing and Midwifery Council (Education, Registration and Registration Appeals) (Amendment) Rules 2005          | SI 2005/3354 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The European Qualifications (Health and Social Care Professions) Regulations 2007                                    | SI 2007/3101 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Nursing and Midwifery (Amendment) Order 2008                                                                     | SI 2008/1485 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Health Care and Associated Professions (Miscellaneous Amendments and Practitioner Psychologists) Order 2009      | SI 2009/1182 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Nursing and Midwifery Council (Fees and Education, Registration and Registration Appeals) (Amendment) Rules 2011 | SI 2011/2297 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | Protection of Freedoms Act 2012                                                                                      | n/a          | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Nursing and Midwifery Council (Education, Registration and Registration Appeals) (Amendment) Rules 2012          | SI 2012/2754 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Health Care and Associated Professions (Indemnity Arrangements) Order 2014                                       | SI 2014/1887 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Nursing and Midwifery Council (Fitness to Practise) (Education, Registration and Registration Appeals)           | SI 2015/52   | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |

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|  | (Amendment) Rules Order of Council 2014                                                                                                                  |              |                     |                     |
|  | The Nursing and Midwifery Council (Fitness to Practise) (Education, Registration and Registration Appeals) (Amendment No. 2) Rules Order of Council 2015 | SI 2015/1923 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|  | The European Qualifications (Health and Social Care Professions) Regulations 2016                                                                        | SI 2016/1030 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|  | The Nursing and Midwifery (Amendment) Order 2018                                                                                                         | SI 2018/838  | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|  | The Nursing and Midwifery Council (Emergency Procedures) (Amendment) Rules 2020 Order of Council 2020                                                    | SI 2020/364  | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|  | The Nursing and Midwifery Council (Coronavirus) (Amendment) (No.2) Rules Order of Council 202                                                            | SI 2020/821  | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|  | European Qualifications (Health and Social Care Professions) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations                                                      | SI 2019/593  | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|  | The Dentists, Dental Care Professionals, Nurses, Nursing Associates and Midwives (International Registrations) Order 2023                                | SI 2023/162  | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |

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| <b>Original legislation:</b> | <b><u>The Nursing &amp; Midwifery Council (Fitness to Practise) Rules 2004</u></b>                                                                                | SI 2004/1761 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
| <b>Amended by:</b>           | The Nursing and Midwifery Council (Fitness to Practise) (Amendment) Rules 2007                                                                                    | SI 2007/893  | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Nursing and Midwifery Council (Midwifery and Practice Committees) (Constitution) Rules 2008                                                                   | SI 2008/3148 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Health Care and Associated Professions (Miscellaneous Amendments and Practitioner Psychologists) Order 2009                                                   | SI 2009/1182 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Nursing and Midwifery Council (Fitness to Practise) (Amendment) Rules 2011                                                                                    | SI 2012/17   | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | Protection of Freedoms Act 2012                                                                                                                                   | <i>n/a</i>   | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Nursing and Midwifery Council (Fitness to Practise) (Education, Registration and Registration Appeals) (Amendment) Rules Order of Council 2014                | SI 2015/52   | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Nursing and Midwifery Council (Fitness to Practise) (Education, Registration and Registration Appeals) (Amendment No. 2) Rules Order of Council 2015          | SI 2015/1923 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Nursing and Midwifery Order (Legal Assessors) (Amendment) and the Nursing and Midwifery Council (Fitness to Practise) (Amendment) Rules Order of Council 2017 | SI 2017/703  | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Nursing and Midwifery (Amendment) Order 2018                                                                                                                  | SI 2018/838  | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Nursing and Midwifery Council (Emergency Procedures) (Amendment) Rules 2020 Order of Council 2020                                                             | SI 2020/364  | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Nursing and Midwifery Council (Coronavirus) (Amendment) (No.2) Rules Order of Council 2020                                                                    | SI 2020/821  | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Nursing and Midwifery Council (Fees) (Practice Committee) (Fitness to Practise) (Amendment) Rules Order of Council 2026                                       | SI 2026/822  | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |

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| <b>Original legislation:</b> | <b><u>Nursing and Midwifery Council (Practice Committees) (Constitution) Rules 2008<sup>1</sup></u></b>                     | SI 2008/3148 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
| <b>Amended by:</b>           | The Nursing and Midwifery Council (Midwifery and Practice Committees) (Constitution) (Amendment) Rules 2009                 | SI 2009/2894 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Protection of Freedoms Act 2012 (Disclosure and Barring Service Transfer of Functions) Order 2012                       | SI 2012/3006 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Nursing and Midwifery (Amendment) Order 2017                                                                            | SI 2017/321  | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Nursing and Midwifery (Amendment) Order 2018                                                                            | SI 2018/838  | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Nursing and Midwifery Council (Emergency Procedures) (Amendment) Rules 2020 Order of Council 2020                       | SI 2020/364  | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Nursing and Midwifery Council (Coronavirus) (Amendment) (No.2) Rules Order of Council 2021                              | SI 2020/821  | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Nursing and Midwifery Council (Fees) (Practice Committee) (Fitness to Practise) (Amendment) Rules Order of Council 2026 | SI 2026/822  | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |

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| <b>Original legislation:</b> | <b><u>The Nursing and Midwifery Council (Fees) Rules 2004</u></b>                                                           | SI 2004/1654 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
| <b>Amended by:</b>           | The Nursing and Midwifery Council (Fees) (Amendment) Rules 2005                                                             | SI 2005/3353 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Nursing and Midwifery Council (Fees) (Amendment) Rules 2007                                                             | SI 2007/1885 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The European Qualifications (Health and Social Care Professions) Regulations 2007                                           | SI 2007/3101 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Nursing and Midwifery Council (Fees and Education, Registration and Registration Appeals) (Amendment) Rules 2011        | SI 2011/2297 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Nursing and Midwifery Council (Fees) (Amendment) Rules 2012                                                             | SI 2012/3026 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Nursing and Midwifery Council (Fees) (Amendment) Rules Order of Council 2014                                            | SI 2014/3139 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Nursing and Midwifery Council (Fees) (Amendment) Rules Order of Council 2018                                            | SI 2018/1198 | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | European Qualifications (Health and Social Care Professions) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019                    | SI 2019/593  | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |
|                              | The Nursing and Midwifery Council (Fees) (Practice Committee) (Fitness to Practise) (Amendment) Rules Order of Council 2026 | SI 2026/822  | <a href="#">PDF</a> | <a href="#">Web</a> |

<sup>1</sup> Title of the Statutory Instrument amended to the one shown by The Nursing and Midwifery (Amendment) Order 2017.