Nursing and Midwifery Council Investigating Committee

New Interim Order Hearing Wednesday, 26 June 2024

Virtual Hearing

Name of Registrant: Donna Marie Murphy

NMC PIN 06F1254E

Part(s) of the register: Registered Nurse – Sub part 1

Adult Nursing – 02 October 2006

Registered Specialist Community Public Health Nurse (RHV) – 16 September 2010

Community Practitioner Nurse Prescriber

(V100) – 16 September 2010

Panel members: Ingrid Lee (Chair, Lay Member)

Karen McCutcheon (Registrant Member)

Michael Lupson (Lay Member)

Legal Assessor: Valerie Paterson

Hearings Coordinator: Angela Nkansa-Dwamena

Nursing and Midwifery Council: Represented by Shopna Roy, Case Presenter

Miss Murphy: Not present and not represented.

Interim order directed: Interim suspension order (18 months)

Decision and reasons on interim order

The panel decided to make an interim suspension order for a period of 18 months.

Unless Miss Murphy'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. The reviewing panel will be invited by the Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC) to confirm the interim suspension order at this meeting and Miss Murphy 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 Miss Murphy will be invited to attend in person, send a representative on her behalf or submit written representations for the panel to consider. At any such review hearing the reviewing 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 Miss Murphy. The NMC will write to Miss Murphy when the case is ready for the next stage of the fitness to practise process.

This will be confirmed to Miss Murphy in writing.

That concludes this determination.