

**Nursing and Midwifery Council
Fitness to Practise Committee**

**New Interim Order Hearing
Wednesday, 20 November 2024**

Virtual Hearing

Name of Registrant: Mark Alan Fratson

NMC PIN: 97C1625E

Part(s) of the register: Nurses part of the register Sub part 1
RNMH: Mental health nurse, level 1 (20 March 2000)

Relevant Location: Hull

Panel members: Carolyn Tetlow (Chair, lay member)
Elisabeth Fairbairn (Registrant member)
Gill Mullen (Lay member)

Legal Assessor: Gillian Hawken

Hearings Coordinator: Sabrina Khan

Nursing and Midwifery Council: Represented by Anna Rubbi, Case Presenter

Mr Fratson: Not Present and not represented

Interim order directed: **Interim suspension order (12 months)**

Decision and reasons on interim order

The panel decided to make an interim suspension order for a period of 12 months.

Unless Mr Fratson'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 NMC to confirm the interim suspension order at this meeting and Mr Fratson 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 Fratson will be invited to attend in person, send a representative on his 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.

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

This will be confirmed to Mr Fratson in writing.

That concludes this determination.