

**Nursing and Midwifery Council
Investigating Committee**

**New Interim Order Hearing
Monday 10 February 2025**

Virtual Hearing

Name of Registrant: Uwana Francis Udidiong

NMC PIN: 22H3637E

Part(s) of the register: Registered Nurse Mental Health - September 2022

Relevant Location: Doncaster

Panel members: Jill Wells (Chair, lay member)
Jane Hughes (Registrant member)
Sandra Norburn (Lay member)

Legal Assessor: Valerie Paterson

Hearings Coordinator: Salima Begum

Nursing and Midwifery Council: Represented by Grace Khaile, Case Presenter

Mr Udidiong: Not present and unrepresented at this hearing

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 Mr Udidiong'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 Udidiong 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 Udidiong 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.

The NMC Case Examiners are yet to decide whether there is a case to answer in relation to the allegations made against Mr Udidiong. The NMC will write to Mr Udidiong when the case is ready for the next stage of the fitness to practise process.

This will be confirmed to Mr Udidiong in writing.

That concludes this determination.