

**Nursing and Midwifery Council
Investigating Committee**

**Interim Order Review Meeting
Tuesday, 21 January 2025**

Virtual Meeting

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| Name of Registrant: | Matthew James Wharton |
| NMC PIN | 21J0046W |
| Part(s) of the register: | Registered Nurse – Sub part 1 Mental Health Nursing (level 1) – 21 November 2021 |
| Relevant Location: | Manchester |
| Panel members: | Jill Robinson (Chair, Registrant member) Georgia Kontosorou (Registrant member) Ian Hanson (Lay member) |
| Hearings Coordinator: | Rebecca Wagner |
| Interim order to be reviewed: | Interim suspension order (18 months) |
| Outcome of review: | Interim suspension order confirmed |

Decision and reasons on interim order

The panel decided to confirm the current interim suspension order.

Unless there has been a material change of circumstances, a panel will review the interim suspension order at an administrative meeting within the next six months. The reviewing panel will be invited by the Nursing and Midwifery Council ('NMC') to confirm the order at this meeting and Mr Wharton will be notified of that panel's decision in writing following that meeting.

Alternatively, Mr Wharton is entitled to have the interim suspension order reviewed at a hearing. This means that Mr Wharton will be able to attend and make representations, send a representative on his behalf or submit written representations about whether the order continues to be necessary. Mr Wharton must inform his case officer if he would like the interim suspension order to be reviewed at a hearing.

Even if Mr Wharton does not request a hearing, where there has been a material change of circumstances that might mean that the order should be revoked or replaced, a panel will review the order at a hearing to which Mr Wharton and his representative will be invited to attend.

This decision will be confirmed to Mr Wharton in writing.

That concludes this determination.