

Summary minutes of the hybrid meeting of the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Ireland (NMBI) held on Wednesday, 26 November 2025 starting at 9.00hrs.

### **Members attending in person**

Dr Louise Kavanagh McBride, President of NMBI  
Ms Muireann Ní Shúilleabháin  
Dr Lydia Buckley  
Mr Ray Dolan  
Ms Anne Marie Duffy

### **Members attending online**

Ms Áine Lynch, Vice President of NMBI  
Ms Marie Lavelle  
Dr Gráinne Gaffney  
Mr John Horan  
Ms Niamh Murphy  
Ms Somy Thomas  
Ms Mittu Alungal  
Ms Mary Leahy  
Dr Aileen Lynch  
Mr Terry McGonigal  
Dr Margaret Murphy  
Dr Conan McKenna

### **In attendance**

Ms Carolyn Donohoe, Chief Executive Officer  
Ms Yvonne Kennedy, Interim Director of Fitness to Practise  
Ms Veronica O'Rourke, Senior Staff Officer, Fitness to Practise Department  
Mr Mohamed Nader, Secretariat Officer – Fitness to Practise Division  
Mr John Sadlier, Head of PPC  
Ms Niamh McDonald, FTP Liaison Officer  
Ms Orla Coady, Governance and Secretariat Manager  
Mr Stephen McLoughlin, Solicitor, Addleshaw Goddard

### **Item 1 – Apologies and conflicts of interest**

- 1.1 Apologies were received from Ms Sonia Shortt, Prof Nadine Farah, Ms Kate O'Halloran, Ms Louise Collins and Mr Mark Johnston.



- 1.2 The President reminded Board members of the provisions of the conflict-of-interest policy. The President then asked Board members to review the agenda to identify any conflicts of interest.

The President advised members that matters discussed during this hybrid meeting were to remain confidential to Board members and attendees.

### **Items 2-8 – Fitness to practise matters**

The Board considered the following:

- Seven no prima facie recommendations from the Preliminary Proceedings Committee.
- Two undertakings and consents pursuant to section 57A of the Nurses and Midwives Act 2011 (as amended).
- Two applications pursuant to section 55(1) of the Nurses and Midwives Act 2011 (as amended).
- Four reports of the Fitness to Practise Committee of Inquiry.
- One application pursuant to section 50(3) of the Nurses and Midwives Act 2011, as amended.
- Four reports of undertakings requested pursuant to section 65 of the Nurses and Midwives Act 2011 (as amended) pre-August 2021.
- Two reports of undertakings requested pursuant to section 65 of the Nurses and Midwives Act 2011 (as amended) post-August 2021.

### **Item 9 – Any other FTP business**

There being no further matters for consideration, the meeting ended at 15.10hrs

**Signed:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_