

General Pharmaceutical Council
Fitness to Practise Committee
Interim Order Application

Remote telephone hearing in private

29 November 2024

Registrant name:	Oliver James Houghland
Registration number:	2071069
Part of the register:	Pharmacist
Committee Members:	Lubna Shuja (Chair) Esosa Osakue (Registrant member) Moriam Bartlett (Lay member)
Secretary:	Chelsea Smith
Registrant:	Present and represented by Jayesh Jotangia (Counsel)
General Pharmaceutical Council:	Represented by Yesim Hall (Solicitor)
Outcome:	Interim conditions, 12 months

The Committee decided to impose the following conditions on the Registrant's registration:

1. *You must:*

- *give the GPhC the contact details of your place of employment and anyone who is likely to be the manager or persons supervising you (superintendent pharmacist and/or responsible pharmacist)*

- *tell the GPhC before you take on any position for which you must be registered with the GPhC*
 - *give the GPhC details of the role and the hours you will work each week, including locum or relief work*
 - *tell the GPhC if any of the above details change*
2. *You must notify the following people in writing of these conditions before you commence any work, in relation to any paid or unpaid work for which registration with the GPhC is required:*
- *All employers or contractors*
 - *Agents acting on behalf of employers and locum agencies*
 - *Superintendent Pharmacists*
 - *Responsible Pharmacists*
 - *Line Managers*
 - *Workplace supervisors*
 - *Accountable Officer for Controlled drugs*
 - *Prospective employers (notification should be given at the time of applying)*

You must provide the GPhC with a copy of the notification(s).

3. *You must, within 2 weeks of the date this order takes effect:*
- *find a workplace supervisor (who must be a registered pharmacist or pharmacy technician) and ask the GPhC to approve your workplace supervisor*
 - *put yourself, and stay, under their close supervision*
 - *give the GPhC your permission to exchange information with your workplace supervisor about your efforts to improve your pharmacy practice*
 - *If you are not employed, you must ask the GPhC to approve your workplace supervisor before you start work*

- 4. You must arrange for your workplace supervisor to send a report setting out any progress you have made and further developments in relation to your Performance Improvement Plan directly to the GPhC every month or when the GPhC asks for one.*