



Medical Council
OF ★ NEW ★ SOUTH ★ WALES

Dr William Wall Warner Mooney

13 November 2018

The Medical Council of New South Wales suspended Dr William Wall Warner Mooney's registration effective 7 November 2018 under section 150 of the Health Practitioner Regulation National Law.

The Council acted to fulfil its responsibility to protect the health and safety of the public and maintain confidence in the medical profession.

The reasons for this suspension are confidential. As required by law, the Council has referred the suspension to the Health Care Complaints Commission and advised the Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency.

The suspension remains in place until removed by an adjudication body, such as the Medical Tribunal, a Professional Standards Committee or the Council.

Dr Mooney has the right to seek a review by the Council or appeal to the NSW Civil and Administrative Tribunal.

The Council will not be making any further comment on Dr Mooney at this time.

Background

The Medical Council regulates medical practitioners in NSW with the objective of maintaining public safety and confidence in the medical profession.

Under section 150 of the Health Practitioner Regulation National Law (NSW), the Council has power to suspend or impose restrictions on a practitioner's registration as an immediate action while a complaint is investigated by the Health Care Complaints Commission. Proceedings under s150 are not public, nor may the reasons for decision be published.

Changes to the practitioner's registration status, such as the imposition of conditions or suspension, are published on the Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency online public register at <https://www.ahpra.gov.au/registration/registers-of-practitioners.aspx>

Please attribute to a spokesperson for the Medical Council of NSW.