

Wednesday, 2 November 2022

Public Statement: Prohibition Order – Mr Wendell Foster

The Health and Community Services Complaints Commissioner Associate Professor Grant Davies has issued a [prohibition order](#) against Mr Wendell Foster who provides mental health services.

Following an investigation, the HCSCC found Mr Foster had breached clause 15(3) of the [Code of Conduct for Certain Health Care Workers](#).

Accordingly, Mr Foster is now indefinitely prohibited from providing health services related to mental health.

Associate Professor Davies explained following the investigation conducted by his Office, he has determined Mr Foster entered into a consensual relationship too soon with a former consumer.

“It is therefore my belief it is appropriate for Mr Foster be indefinitely prohibited,” he said.

“During the course of our investigation, Mr Foster informed the HCSCC he was not aware of the Code.

“This highlights how important it is Unregistered Health Care Workers take the time to read and understand the Code before offering any health service.

“If anyone has concerns, please call us on 7117 9313.”

Due to the unique nature of this issue, the HCSCC is unable to comment further.