

Authorised Decision Maker – decision to remove for failure to pay a required fee

Fatima Sharif - A8131456

Date of decision – 03/09/2026

Decision

1. Fatima Sharif was notified that their annual fee was due on 13/02/2026 . Reminders were sent in line with our policy but payment was not received.
2. Rule 5(2) of the [General Medical Council \(Fees\) \(Anaesthesia Associates and Physician Associates\) Rules](#) ('fees rules') sets out that a PA or AA must pay an annual fee as set out in the [schedule of fees](#) on the anniversary of gaining their registration, and rule 7(1) says failure to pay may result in the removal of their entry in the register. Article 9(2)(c)(ii)(bb) of [The Anaesthesia Associates and Physician Associates Order \(AAPAO\)](#) allows us to remove an entry from the register where the person to whom it relates has not paid a fee in accordance with the fees rules.
3. I notified them on 26/08/2026 that I intended to remove their entry from the register if we did not receive payment of the required fee within seven days. To date, we have not received payment of the fee.
4. I have therefore decided to remove Fatima Sharif's entry from the register, under rule 17(1) of the [General Medical Council \(Registration\) \(Anaesthesia Associates and Physician Associates\) Rules 2024](#) ('registration rules').
5. Removal of the entry will take effect on the day when notification of this decision is served, in accordance with registration [rule 27\(5\)](#).