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# Medical Technologies Advisory Committee (MTAC) meeting minutes

**Minutes:** Confirmed

**Date and time: 108th MTAC meeting - Friday 12 November 2021**

**Location:** via Zoom

## Attendees

Committee members present

1. Shaheen Hamdy (Interim Vice Chair) Present for all items
2. Fiona Denison (Vice-chair) Present for all items
3. Donna Cowan Present for all items
4. Julian Dunnett Present for all items
5. Teik Goh Present for items 1-4.2
6. Stephen Habgood Present for all items
7. Jeremy Henning Present for all items
8. Mohammad Ilyas Present for all items
9. Michael Kolovetsios Present for all items
10. Emily Lam Present for all items
11. Duncan McPherson Present for all items
12. Karen McCutcheon Present for all items
13. Naomi McVey Present for all items
14. Abdullah Pandor Present for all items
15. David Partridge Present for all items
16. Jai Patel Present for all items
17. Kazem Rahimi Present for all items
18. Carl Roobottom Present for all items
19. Allan Wailoo Present for all items

NICE staff present

Anastasia Chalkidou, Associate Director Present for all items

Chris Chesters, Health Technology Assessment Senior Adviser Present for all items

Victoria Fitton, Project Manager Present for all items

Izabela Syrek, Administrator Present for all items

Chris Pomfrett, Technical Adviser – Research Commissioning Present for all items

Bernice Dillon, Health Technology Assessment Adviser Present for all items

Kimberley Carter, Health Technology Assessment Adviser Present for all items

Charlotte Pelekanou, Health Technology Assessment Analyst Present for all items

Samantha Baskerville, Health Technology Assessment Analyst Present for all items

Lirije Hyseni, Health Technology Assessment Analyst Present for all items

Dionne Bowie, Health Technology Assessment Analyst Present for all items

Federica Ciamponi, Health Technology Assessment Analyst Present for all items

Ivan Maslyankov, Associate Analyst Present for all items

Victoria Carter, Senior Technical Analyst Adoption & Impact Present for all items

Lucinda Evans, Corporate Office Coordinator Present for all items

Ian Mather, Business Analyst Present for all items

Emilene Coventry, Senior Medical Editor Present for all items

Amanda Adler, Chair, Technology Appraisal Committee B Present for all items

Michael Beddard, Senior Evaluation Scientist, Cedar EAC Present for all items

EAC representatives present

Matthew Taylor, Director, York Health Economics Consortium

(York EAC) Present for items 1-4.1

Judith Shore, Senior Research Consultant, York Health

Economics Consortium (York EAC) Present for items 1-4.1

Professional experts present

Prof Frances Game, Consultant Diabetologist and Director of R&D, Royal Derby Hospital, University Hospitals of Derby and Burton NHS FT Present for items 1-4.1

Ms Alison Musgrove, Advanced Podiatrist (Diabetes), Nottingham University Hospitals NHS Trust Present for items 1-4.1

Prof Edward B Jude, Consultant Diabetologists, Tameside Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

 Present for items 1-4.1

## 1. Introduction to the meeting

* 1. The chair welcomed members of the committee and other attendees present to the meeting.
	2. The chair noted apologies from Katherine Boylan, Cynthia Iglesias, Avril McCarthy, Huseyin Naci and Alun Williams.

## 2. News and announcements

* 1. n/a

## 3. Minutes from the last meeting

* 1. The committee approved the minutes of the committee meeting held on 15 October 2021

## 4. Evaluation of MT539 3C Patch System for treating diabetic foot ulcers

* 1. Part 1 – Open session
		1. The chair welcomed the invited professional experts, external group representatives, members of the public and company representatives from Reapplix A/S and Insight Health Improvement.
		2. The chair asked all committee members, professional experts, external group representatives and NICE staff present to declare any relevant interests in relation to the item being considered.

* Dr David Partridge declared an indirect financial interest as he is a co-investigator on a grant application for a study looking at a novel topical antibiotic aimed at treating diabetic foot infections. The work is all early stage pre-clinical at the minute and is not a dressing per se although obviously it aims at treating a small subsection of the same patients.

It was agreed that his declaration would not prevent Dr Partridge from participating in this section of the meeting.

* Prof Frances Game declared a non-financial professional interest as she is Chief Investigator and first author of the largest RCT of this technology submitted (Game et al 2018) (from 2012 till 2018).

It was agreed that her declaration would not prevent Prof Game from providing expert advice to the committee.

* Ms Alison Musgrove declared a non-financial professional interest as she was an investigator on the trial as a side.

Ms Musgrove also gave an educational / practical session on the 3CP patch in 2019 on a diabetes foot module . It comprised of her experience of using it in the trail. She was not paid directly for this but Reapplix offered to pay for accommodation to a conference which had to be cancelled due to COVID in 2020.

It was agreed that her declaration would not prevent Ms Musgrove from providing expert advice to the committee.

* York Health Economics Consortium (YHEC) declared an indirect financial interest as YHEC are acting as the External assessment centre for the MTEP evaluation of 3CPatch. YHEC have been asked to work on a project for a technology designed to treat hard to heal diabetic foot ulcers (the same indication as 3C Patch.) The company has no other products in this disease area.

It was agreed that their declaration would not prevent YHEC from participating in this section of the meeting.

* + 1. The Chair led a discussion of the evidence presented to the committee. This information was presented to the committee by Prof Mohammad Ilyas and Dr Donna Cowan.
	1. Part 2 – Closed session (company representatives, professional experts, external group representatives and members of the public were asked to leave the meeting)
		1. The committee then agreed on the content of the Medical Technology Guidance (MTG). The committee decision was reached by consensus.
		2. The committee asked the NICE technical team to prepare the Medical Technology Guidance (MTG) in line with their decisions

## 5. Date of the next meeting

The next meeting of the Medical Technologies Advisory Committee (MTAC) will be held on 10 December 2021 and will start promptly at 9:00am.