

Autism Spectrum Conditions Guideline Development Group Meeting

Date and Time: Friday 3 December 2010, 10.30am – 4pm

Minutes: Confirmed

Place: The Royal College of Psychiatrists'
6th Floor Standon House
21 Mansell Street
London
E1 8AA

Present: GDG members
Simon Baron Cohen (Chair) (SBC)
Steve Pilling (facilitator) (SP)
Gillian Baird (GB)
Carole Buckley (CB)
Peter Carpenter (PC)
Jackie Dziewanowska (JD)
Marga Hogenboom (MH)
Campbell Main (CM)
Melissa McAuliffe (MMc)
Anya Ustazewski (AU)
Joan Panton (JP)

Experts

None

In attendance:

NCCMH Staff: Amina Udechuku (AUd)
Naomi Glover (NG)
Nadir Cheema (NC)
Sarah Stockton (SS)

NICE staff: None

Observers: None

Notes

1. Apologies were received from Juli Crocombe, Patricia Howlin, Annie Jones, Richard Mills, Maggi Rigg, Caroline Kier and Katherine Leggett.
2. No new declarations of interest were raised.
3. The minutes were agreed as an accurate account of the previous meeting.
4. Service user and carer concerns were discussed.
5. SS gave a presentation regarding search strategies
6. AUd presented the clinical questions.
7. AUd and FK presented some outline data for biomedical and psychological interventions.
8. NC gave a presentation regarding health economics.
9. IM presented the draft economic plan to the GDG.
10. Next meeting: 10.30am-4pm, 14 January 2011.