## NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR HEALTH AND CLINICAL EXCELLENCE SPECIAL HEALTH AUTHORITY

## 24th WAVE WORK PROGRAMME

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On 24<sup>th</sup> February 2010 the Department of Health formally requested the National Institute for Health and Clinical Excellence to prepare a clinical guideline as described in the box below.

## Remit:

To produce a clinical guideline on the diagnosis and management of suspected idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis

## **Suggested working titles for NICE:**

Long title: Diagnosis and initial assessment of idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis

Short title: Idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis