

Urinary incontinence (update) and pelvic organ prolapse in women: management Committee meeting

Date: 28 & 29/06/2018

Location: RCOG, London

Minutes: Confirmed

Day 1

Committee members present:		
Fergus Macbeth (Chair)		Present for notes 1 – 7
Karen Ward (Topic adviser)		Present for notes 1 – 7
Carmel Ramage		Present for notes 1 – 7
Polly Harris		Present for notes 1 – 7
Kate Welford		Present for notes 1 – 7
Lucy Ryan		Present for notes 1 – 7
Jacq Emkes		Present for notes 1 – 7
Suzanne Biers		Present for notes 1 – 7
Doreen McClurg		Present for notes 1 – 7
Steven Brown (Co-opted committee member)		Present for notes 1 – 7
Carol Paton (Co-opted committee member)		Present for notes 1 – 2

In attendance:		
Clifford Middleton	NICE Guideline Commissioning Manager	Present for notes 1 – 3
Gareth Murphy	NICE Business Analyst	Present for notes 1 – 7
Judy McBride	NICE Senior Medical Editor	Present for notes 1 – 7
Catrin Austin	NICE Systematic Reviewer	Present for notes 1 – 7
Steve Pilling	NGA Clinical Advisor	Present for notes 1 – 2
Vanessa Delgado Nunes	NGA Guideline Lead	Present for notes 1 – 7
Katharina Dworzynski	NGA Guideline Lead	Present for notes 1 – 7
Patrice Carter	NGA Senior Systematic Reviewer	Present for notes 1 – 4
Jo Varley-Campbell	NGA Systematic Reviewer	Present for notes 1 – 7

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Eric Slade	NGA Senior Health Economist	Present for notes 1 – 4
Eleanor Howat	NGA Project Manager	Present for notes 1 – 7
Arun Kumar	NGA Systematic Reviewer	Present for notes 1 – 2

Observers:

Rachel Connolly	Present for notes 5 – 7
Katrina Penman	Present for notes 1 – 7

Apologies:

Rohna Kearney	Topic Advisor
Julian Spinks	Committee member
Catherine Heffernan	Committee member
Vikky Morris	Committee member

1a. Welcome and objectives for the meeting

The Chair welcomed the Committee members and attendees to day one of the eleventh meeting on urinary incontinence (update) and pelvic organ prolapse in women: management. The Committee members and attendees introduced themselves.

The Chair informed the Committee that apologies had been received. These are noted above.

The Chair outlined the objectives of the meeting, which included: reviewing clinical and health economic evidence and making recommendations, reviewing and agreeing draft recommendations and reviewing NICE edits to recommendations.

1b. Introductions

The Chair introduced Catrin Austin (NICE Systematic Reviewer) and Katrina Penman (NICE Technical Advisor) to the meeting.

1c. Confirmation of matter under discussion, and declarations of interest

The Chair confirmed that, for the purpose of managing conflicts of interest, the matter under discussion was urinary incontinence and pelvic organ prolapse.

The Chair asked everyone to verbally declare any interests that have arisen since the last meeting.

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Name	Job title, organisation	Declarations of Interest, date declared	Type of interest	Decision taken
Jacq Emkes	Lay member	<p>Declared 27.3.2018</p> <p>Member will be a speaker at a series of Masterclasses. The content will be based on a study conducted and should equip Specialist Nurses to support female patients to overcome the barriers they face when introduced to CISC (clean intermittent self-catherisation). They will also be working with Rik Bes – a Motivational Interviewing expert.</p> <p>Member's travel and accommodation will be covered and she will receive an honorarium.</p> <p>The Masterclasses are organised by Coloplast Ltd who manufacture mesh products</p>	Direct – financial (specific)	<p>Action: Partial exclusion – For questions on mesh, the member can answer specific questions about the evidence, but cannot take part in decision-making for recommendations. This action is effective for all future committee meetings</p> <p>Agreed by GL and Chair on 28.3.2018</p> <p>Rationale: the activity is sponsored by Coloplast who manufacture mesh products for prolapse repair. As mesh is a key part of the guideline, the decision was made that the member could be involved in decision-making around mesh.</p>

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		<p>for prolapse repair.</p> <p>The Masterclasses are scheduled for the following dates:</p> <p>05/03/18 Ireland 24/04/18 Birmingham 19/06/18 London</p>		
Suzanne Biers	Committee member	<p>Declared 18.7.2017</p> <p>Teacher on a course on Mens Health Erectile Restoration and Male Continence Surgery Hands-on Training Masterclass in collaboration with the ESSM (European Society for Sexual Medicine) in Cambridge in September 2017. This involves providing male incontinence surgery training on a course for urology surgeons organised by Boston Scientific. Fees received.</p>	Direct – financial (specific)	<p>Partial exclusion: the initial view was that she could participate fully. However, it was subsequently agreed that she would need to be partial excluded from decision-making on mesh interventions given that Boston Scientific makes mesh. This action is effective for all future committee meetings.</p> <p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by GL and NICE GCM under the 2014 policy and revised under the 2018 policy.</p> <p>Rationale: The interest is financial and specific. The organiser Boston Scientific manufactures products used for</p>

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				mesh interventions which are a specific interest.
Suzanne Biers	Committee member	<p>Declared 28.3.2018</p> <p>Teacher on a course on Men's Health Male Continence Surgery Hands-on Training Masterclass. This involves providing male incontinence discussion of cases and surgery training on a course for urology surgeons organised by Boston Scientific.</p> <p>Member has agreed arrange to have her fee paid directly to the hospital, rather than receiving the fee personally.</p>	Direct – financial (specific)	<p>Partial exclusion – For questions on mesh interventions, the member can answer specific questions about the evidence, but cannot take part in decision-making for recommendations. This action is effective for all future committee meetings.</p> <p>Agreed by GL on 13.6.2018</p> <p>Rationale: the organiser Boston Scientific manufactures products used for mesh interventions which are a specific interest. The member agreed to try to have the fee paid directly to the hospital rather than receiving it directly, but has also agreed to the above partial exclusion to avoid any potential conflict of interest should this arrangement not be possible.</p>
Kate Welford	Committee member	Declared 28.6.2018	Direct – non-financial	Declare and participate

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		Participated in an education study day sponsored by Bulkamid.		<p>Agreed by GL and Chair on 28.6.2018</p> <p>Rationale: Bulkamid manufactures a soft hydrogel used for the treatment of stress urinary incontinence, which is specific to the scope. However, the event was for educational purposes only and the member was not paid to attend or speak at the event.</p>
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The Chair and a senior member of the Developer's team noted that the following members would not participate in a part of the meeting:

- Suzanne Biers is unable to participate in discussions about mesh interventions and can only answer specific questions asked by the committee. She cannot take part in decision making for recommendations.
- Jacq Emkes is unable to participate in discussions about mesh interventions and can only answer specific questions asked by the committee. She cannot take part in decision making for recommendations.

1d. Minutes of last meeting

The Chair asked the Committee if it wanted any changes made to the minutes of the last meeting. The Committee agreed that the minutes were a true and accurate account of the meeting.

2. Evidence review 3.1

The Chair introduced Arun Kumar, NGA Systematic Reviewer, who gave a presentation on evidence review 3.1 What are the risks to cognitive function for women taking anticholinergic drugs for overactive bladder?

The committee were presented with evidence and then drafted recommendations and the rationale and impact sections of the evidence report. The committee also reviewed related recommendations from the previous guideline CG171 and agreed

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necessary updates.

3. Health economics and recommendations for 8.4

The Chair introduced Eric Slade, NGA Senior Health Economist, who presented health economic evidence for review question 8.4 What are the most effective surgical management options (including mesh and non-mesh procedures) for pelvic organ prolapse?

The committee discussed the evidence and agreed that there were no changes required to the recommendations made for this question.

The Chair introduced Patrice Carter, NGA Senior Systematic Reviewer, who gave an updated on the rationale for recommendation 7 for review question 8.4 and sought further input from the committee.

4. Evidence review 5.2

The Chair introduced Catrin Austin, NICE Systematic Reviewer, who gave a presentation on evidence review 5.2 What is the effectiveness of surgical management of stress urinary incontinence (including mesh and non-mesh procedures), compared to pelvic floor muscle training?

The committee were presented with evidence and then drafted recommendations and the rationale and impact sections of the evidence report. The committee also reviewed related recommendations from the previous guideline CG171 and agreed necessary updates.

5. Agreeing recommendations for 6.1

The committee revisited draft recommendations made for review question 6.1 What is the most effective composition of a multidisciplinary team for the assessment and management of simple and complex cases including mesh complications?

The committee discussed and agreed revised recommendations and the order in which they should be presented.

6. Reviewing NICE Senior Medical Editor's comments on recommendations

The committee reviewed and discussed comments from the NICE Senior Medical Editor on the draft recommendations for the following review questions:

11.2 What are the most effective management options for sexual dysfunction after mesh surgery?

11.3 What are the most effective management options for pain after mesh surgery?

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The committee agreed to changes to the recommendations for these review questions.

7. Any other business

There was no other business.

Day 2

Committee members present:

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Fergus Macbeth (Chair)	Present for notes 8 – 12
Karen Ward (Topic adviser)	Present for notes 8 – 12
Carmel Ramage	Present for notes 8 – 12
Polly Harris	Present for notes 8 – 12
Kate Welford	Present for notes 8 – 12
Lucy Ryan	Present for notes 8 – 12
Jacq Emkes	Present for notes 8 – 12
Vikky Morris	Present for notes 8 – 11
Doreen McClurg	Present for notes 8 – 12
Catherine Heffernan	Present for notes 10 – 12

In attendance:

Clifford Middleton	NICE Guideline Commissioning Manager	Present for notes 8, 10 – 12
Gareth Murphy	NICE Business Analyst	Present for notes 9 – 12
Andy Hutchinson	NICE Medicines Education Technical Adviser	Present for notes 8 – 9
Vanessa Delgado Nunes	NGA Guideline Lead	Present for notes 8 – 12
Katharina Dworzynski	NGA Guideline Lead	Present for notes 8 – 12
Patrice Carter	NGA Senior Systematic Reviewer	Present for notes 8 – 12
Jo Varley-Campbell	NGA Systematic Reviewer	Present for notes 8 – 12
Eric Slade	NGA Senior Health Economist	Present for notes 8 – 12
Eleanor Howat	NGA Project Manager	Present for notes 8 – 12
Linyun Fou	NGA Senior Systematic Reviewer	Present for notes 8 – 12

Observers:

Alice Biggane (PhD student)	Present for notes 8 – 12
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Apologies:

Rohna Kearney	Topic Advisor
Julian Spinks	Committee member

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Suzanne Biers	Committee member
Arun Kumar	NGA Systematic Reviewer
Catrin Austin	NICE Systematic Reviewer
Judy McBride	NICE Senior Medical Editor

8a. Welcome and objectives for the meeting

The Chair welcomed the Committee members and attendees to day two of the eleventh meeting on urinary incontinence (update) and pelvic organ prolapse in women: management. The Committee members and attendees introduced themselves.

The Chair informed the Committee that apologies had been received. These are noted above.

The Chair outlined the objectives of the meeting, which included: discussing preference-sensitive decision points and patient decision aids, reviewing clinical and health economic evidence and making recommendations, and discussing research recommendations.

8b. Confirmation of matter under discussion, and declarations of interest

The Chair confirmed that, for the purpose of managing conflicts of interest, the matter under discussion was urinary incontinence and pelvic organ prolapse.

The Chair asked everyone to verbally declare any interests that have arisen since declarations were made on day one.

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members would not participate in a part of the meeting:

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9. Preference-sensitive decision points

The Chair introduced Andy Hutchinson, NICE Medicines Education Technical Adviser, who gave a presentation on preference-sensitive decision points and patient decision aids.

The Chair then introduced Vanessa Delgado Nunes, NGA Guideline Lead, who led a discussion with the committee to agree on key areas where preference-sensitive decision point tables should be developed and priority areas for NICE patient decision aids. The committee also volunteered members to work with NICE on patient decision aids.

10. Evidence review 5.1

The Chair introduced Linyun Fou, NGA Senior Systematic Reviewer, and Eric Slade, NGA Senior Health Economist, who presented clinical and health economic evidence on review question 5.1 What is the most effective surgical management of stress urinary incontinence, including mesh and non-mesh procedures?

The committee were presented with clinical data on complications and effectiveness as well as the data from ESTER NMA and related health economic evidence.

The committee discussed the evidence and drafted recommendations and the rationale and impact sections of the evidence report. The committee also reviewed the related recommendations from the previous guideline CG171 and agreed which recommendations required amendment.

11. Research recommendations

The committee reviewed the draft research recommendations and provisionally agreed some priority areas for future research.

12. Any other business

There was no other business.

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