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# Medical Technologies Advisory Committee (MTAC) meeting minutes

**Minutes:** Unconfirmed

**Date and** **time:** **136th MTAC meeting - Thursday 15th August 2024**

**Location:** Virtual meeting via Zoom

## Attendees

Committee members present

Jacob Brown (Chair) Present for all items

Teik Goh Present for all items

Kiran Bali Present for all items

Katherine Boylan Present for all items

Stacey Chang-Douglass Present for all items

Philip Crilly Present for all items

Devavrata (Dev) Joshi Present for all items

Michael Kolovetsios Present for all items

Emily Lam Present for all items

Naomi McVey Present for all items

Jai Patel Present for all items

Elizabeth-Ann Schroeder Present for items 4.1-5

Jennie Walker Present for all items

NICE staff present

Anastasia Chalkidou, Associate Director Present for all items

Elizabeth Islam, Project Manager Present for all items

Bruce Smith, Project Manager Present for all items

Izabela Syrek, Administrator Present for all items

Sana Issa, Coordinator, Corporate Office team Present for items 1-4.1

Lesley Goodburn, Head of public involvement and engagement Present for items 1-4.1

Benjamin Pearce, Senior Guidance Content Designer, Publishing

and Products Team Present for all items

Emily Eaton-Turner, Associate Director, HealthTech Present for all items

Edgar Masanga, Business Analyst (Accountant), Resource

Impact Assessment Present for all items

Vera Unwin, Senior analyst, Managed Access (EvGen) Present for all items

Dionne Bowie, Scientific Adviser, Science Policy and Research

Programme Present for all items

Xia Li, Health Technology Assessment Analyst, IP team Present for all items

Laura Norburn, Senior Operations Manager, People and

Communities Involvement and Engagement Team Present for all items

Tom Lawrence, Data scientist, Managed Access Present for all items

Matthew Brown, Digital Media Manager (press and content),

External Communications Team Present for all items

Ziqi Zhou, Health Technology Assessment Analyst Present for all items

Kim Carter, Health Technology Assessment Adviser Present for all items

Charlotte Pelekanou, Health Technology Assessment Analyst Present for all items

External observers present

Dr Tomasz Szymanski | Head of Health Economics and Data

Science, Imperial College Health Partners Present for all items

EAC representatives present

Dwayne Boyers, Senior Research Fellow, University of Aberdeen Present for items 1-4.1

Miriam Brazelli, Professor of Health Services Research, University

of Aberdeen Present for items 1-4.1

Specialist Committee Members present

Tara Murphy, Consultant Psychologist, Great Ormond Street

Hospital Present for all items

Harriet Stewart, Consultant Child and Adolescent Psychiatrist,

SLAM Present for all items

Inyang Takon, Consultant Paediatrician, East and North

Hertfordshire NHS Trust Present for all items

Tammy Hedderly, Consultant Paediatric Neurologist, GSTT Present for all items

Jeremy Stern, Consultant Neurologist, Frimley Park Hospital Present for all items

Lay Specialist Committee Members present

Samantha Bramley Present for all items

Joanne Dooley Present for all items

Professional Experts present

Emma McNally, Chief Executive Officer, Tourette Syndrome

(UK) Association, trading as Tourettes Action Present for items 1-4.2

## 1. Introduction to the meeting

1.1 The chair welcomed members of the committee and other attendees present to the meeting.

1.2 The chair noted apologies from committee members: Donna Cowan, Neil Hawkins, Jihad Malasi, Avril McCarthy, Richard Packer, Abdullah Pandor and Funminiyi Adenle.

## 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 18th July 2024.

## 4. Evaluation of GID-MT605 Digitally enabled therapy for chronic tic disorders and Tourette Syndrome

* 1. Part 1 – Open session
		1. The chair welcomed the invited Specialist Committee Members, Lay Specialist Committee Member, Professional Experts, External Assessment Group representatives, members of the public and company representatives from Neurotherapeutics Ltd for Neupulse and Nottingham University Hospitals NHS Trust / Mindtech for ORBIT.
		2. The chair asked all Committee Members, Specialist Committee Members, Lay Specialist Committee Member and Professional Experts, to indicate if they had any further interests to declare, in addition to those declared in advance of the meeting. All interests declared for this assessment are listed on the registers available on the NICE website here: <https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/indevelopment/gid-mt605/documents>
		3. The Chair led a discussion of the evidence presented to the committee. This information was presented to the committee by Lead Committee member Stacey Chang-Douglass and Lead Specialist Committee member Tara Murphy.
	2. Part 2 – Closed session (External Assessment Group representatives, Professional Experts, Company representatives and members of the public were asked to leave the meeting).
		1. The committee then agreed on the content of the draft guidance document. The committee decision was reached by consensus.
		2. The committee asked the NICE technical team to prepare the draft guidance document in line with their decisions.

## 5. Date of the next meeting

The next virtual meeting of the Medical Technologies Advisory Committee (MTAC) will be held on 19th September 2024 and will start promptly at 9:30am.