

MINUTES FOR 3rd of September 2009

NICE national clinical guideline – The management of transient loss of consciousness

Eleventh guideline development group meeting

PRESENT:

Paul Cooper (Chair,PC)	Neurologist, Salford Royal Hospital
Mary Braine (MB)	Lecturer, School of Nursing, University of Salford
Ian Bullock (IB)	Chief Operating Officer, NCGC
Sarah Davis (SD)	Health Economic Lead, NCGC
Melesina Goodwin (MG)	Epilepsy Specialist Nurse, Northampton General Hospital
Richard Grūnewald (RG)	Neurologist, Royal Hallamshire Hospital
John Pawelec (JP)	Paramedic Clinical Tutor, Yorkshire Ambulance Service NHS Trust
Sanjiv Petkar (SP)	Clinical Research Fellow, Manchester Heart Centre
David Pitcher (DP)	Cardiologist, Worcester NHS Trust
Alison Pottle (AP)	Cardiology Nurse Consultant, Harefield Hospital
Greg Rogers (GR)	General Practitioner
Maggie Westby (MW)	Clinical Effectiveness Lead, NCGC
Julie Fear (JF)	Patient/Carer Representative, Syncope Trust & Anoxic Reflex Seizures (STARS)
Paddy Jelen (PJ)	Patient/Carer Representative
Nancy Turnbull (NT)	Project Manager, NCGC

APOLOGIES:

Robin Beal (RB)	Clinical Director, St Mary's Hospital – Emergency Department
Garry Swann (GS)	Consultant Nurse, Birmingham Heartlands Hospital
Sue Latchem (SL)	NICE Commissioning Manager (Day 1; am only)

The following topics were discussed:

Matters Arising

Welcome, introduction and apologies

Minutes, declarations of interest and matters arising

No new declarations were made to the GDG

Review of evidence12-lead ECG

Initial assessment review of recommendation and algorithm

Drafting patient information recommendations