

Date and Time: Thursday 20th January 2011, 10.30 - 17.00

Minutes: Confirmed

Guideline Development Group Meeting 1: Management of psoriasis

Place: National Clinical Guideline Centre, 180 Great Portland Street,
 London W1W 5QZ

Present: Catherine Smith (Consultant Dermatologist and Senior Lecturer, Chair)
 Paul Hepple (General Practitioner)
 Natasha Smeaton (General Practitioner)
 Jillian Peters (Dermatology Nurse Practitioner)
 Karina Jackson (Nurse Consultant, Dermatology)
 Ruth Murphy (Adult and Paediatric Dermatology Consultant)
 Richard Warren (Senior Clinical Lecturer and Honorary Consultant Dermatologist)
 Roderick Turner (Community Pharmacist)
 Claire Strudwicke (Patient member)
 David Chandler (Patient member)
 James Ferguson (Consultant Dermatologist, Head of Photobiology Unit, Co-optee)
 Christine Bundy (Senior Lecturer in Psychological Medicine/ Health Psychology, Co-optee)
 Jill Parnham (Guideline Operations Director, NCGC)
 Bernard Higgins (Clinical Director, NCGC)
 Laura Sawyer (Senior Health Economist, NCGC)
 Rachel O'Mahony (Senior Research Fellow, NCGC)
 Ellie Samarasekera (Research Fellow, NCGC)
 Silvia Rabar (Project Manager, NCGC)
 Jill Cobb (Information Scientist, NCGC)

Apologies: Neil McHugh (Consultant Rheumatologist, Co-optee)

In attendance:

NICE Staff:		
NICE attendee 1	Sarah Dunsdon (Guidelines Commissioning Manager)	
NICE attendee 2	Barbara Meredith (Patient and Public Involvement Project Manager)	

Observers:

Observer 1	Kate Kelley (Guidelines Manager, NCGC)	
Observer 2	Nancy Pursey (Senior Project Manager, NCGC)	
Observer 3	Robert Pitcher (Research Fellow, NCGC)	
Observer 4	Zarif Jabbar-Lopez (Research Fellow, NCGC)	
Observer 5	Amy Kelsey (Project Manager, NCGC)	

Notes

1. The chair welcomed the group to the first psoriasis guideline development group meeting and asked group members to introduce themselves. Apologies were received from Neil McHugh. The chair asked all GDG members to declare any conflicts if interest. No new declarations of interest were made since the original declarations in December 2010.
2. The presentations listed below were given to introduce attendees to the role of the GDG, the National Clinical Guideline Centre (NCGC), NICE and patient and carer involvement. Members of the NCGC technical team gave presentations on searching for evidence, reviewing the evidence and health economics. An overview of the psoriasis care pathway was given.

Presentation 1 – Working with NICE (Sarah Dunsdon)
Presentation 2 – The NCGC, it's guideline development programme (Jill Parnham)
Presentation 3 – Patient and carer involvement (Barbara Meredith)
Presentation 4 – Searching for the evidence (Jill Cobb)
Presentation 5 – Reviewing the evidence (Ellie Samarasekera)
Presentation 6 – Health economics process (Laura Sawyer)
Presentation 7 – Psoriasis care pathway (Catherine Smith)
3. The GDG discussed the results of the survey that had been carried out before the meeting to seek feedback on the clinical questions. The GDG discussed the questions and some questions were amended to produce a final list of key clinical questions.
4. The GDG discussed work for the meeting.
5. The GDG discussed prioritisation of questions for modelling
6. The Chair closed the meeting and thanked everyone for attending.

Notes

Date, time and venue of the next meeting

Date and time: Thursday 17th February from 1000 until 1600

Venue: Willan Room, Royal College of Physicians, 11 St Andrews Place, Regent's Park, London NW1 4LE.