

Depression in Chronic Physical Health Problems Guideline Development Group Meeting

Date and Time: Tuesday 12th May 2009, 10.30am – 4pm

Minutes: Confirmed

Place: The Royal College of Psychiatrists' Research and Training Unit
6th Floor Standon House
21 Mansell Street
London
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Present: **GDG members**
David Goldberg (Chair) (DG)
Neil Andrews (NA)
Mark Haddad (MH)
Nicky Thomas (NT)
Chris Dowrick (CD)
Margaret Ogden (MO)
John Hindle (JH)
David Kessler (DK)
Steve Wilcox (SW)
David Taylor (DT)

Experts

None

In attendance:
NCCMH Staff: Steve Pilling (SP)
Nick Meader (NM)
Mario Rizzo (MR)
Victoria Bird (VB)
Suffiya Omarjee (SO)
Matthew Dyer (MD)
Ifigeneia Mavranezouli (IM)
Katherine Leggett (KL)

NICE staff: Claire Turner, NICE (observer)
Lyn Knot, NICE (observer)

Observers: None

Notes

1. DG welcomed the group. Apologies were received from Francis Creed, Jon Packham and James Lindesay.
2. All members present declared no new personal specific, personal non-specific, non-personal specific or non-personal non-specific interest in the development of this guideline.
3. The minutes of the last meeting were agreed as a true and accurate account.
4. MO thanked the group for being inclusive and supportive throughout the process, which she has enjoyed.
5. The group reviewed the comments received during the consultation process.
6. The group discussed the research recommendations.
7. The group discussed what would be the best format for the Quick Reference Guide and the Understanding NICE Guidance documents.
8. The Chair thanked group for all their hard work and dedication to develop this guideline