

## Harmful Gambling: identification, assessment & management Committee Meeting 3

### Minutes

**Date:** 12/05/2022

**Location:** Virtual, via Zoom

**Minutes:** Final

<b>Committee members present:</b>	
Peter Hoskin (Chair)	Present for items 1-6
Matthew Gaskell (Topic Advisor)	Present for items 1-6
Jenny Blythe	Present for items 1- 4
Dragos Dragomir	Present for items 1-6
Robert Dawson	Present for items 1-6
Andre Geel	Present for items 1-6
Soyar Sherkat	Present for items 5-6
Emma Ryan	Present for items 1-6
Mohammed Rahman	Present for items 1-6
Susan Acton	Present for items 1-6
Owen Baily	Present for items 1-6
Barbara Sahakian	Present for items 1-6
Gemma Buckland	Present for items 1-6
Liz Ritchie	Present for items 1-6

<b>In attendance:</b>		
Catrina Charlton	Guideline Commissioning Manager	Present for items 1-6
Hilary Eadon	Guideline Lead	Present for items 1-6
Josh South	Senior Project Manager	Present for items 1-6
Jennifer Francis	Senior Systematic Reviewer	Present for items 1-6
Anja Fricke	Systematic Reviewer	Present for items 1-6
Alice Navein	Systematic Reviewer	Present for items 1-6
Ifigeneia Mavranzouli	Senior Health Economist	Present for items 1-6
Timothy Reeves	Information Scientist	Present for items 1-6
Zoe Clark	DHSC (observer)	Present for items 4-6

**Apologies:**

Steve Pilling	NICE Clinical Advisor
Henrietta Bowden-Jones	GC Member
Anna Hargrave	GC Member

**1. Welcome, housekeeping, apologies**

The Chair welcomed the Committee members and attendees to the 3<sup>rd</sup> meeting on Harmful gambling: identification, assessment and gambling. 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.

**2. 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 the identification, assessment and management of harmful gambling.

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

Name	Job title, organisation	Declarations of Interest, date declared	Type of interest	Decision taken
Peter Hoskin	Chair	Trip to Copenhagen to attend ESTRO meeting.  Expenses for travel and overnight accommodation provided by ESTRO	Direct  Financial	Declare and participate.  Rationale: Not specific to guideline
Peter Hoskin	Chair	Trip to Dublin to attend external examiners' meeting.  Expenses for travel and overnight accommodation provided by Trinity College, Dublin	Direct  Financial	Declare and participate.  Rationale: Not specific to guideline

Barbara Sahakian	Committee member	Provides consultancy services to Cambridge Cognition and as part of this role is the Co-Inventor of the Cambridge Neuropsychological Test Automated Battery (CANTAB).	Direct  Financial	Declare and requires withdrawal from specific discussions.  Rationale: Will need to withdraw from discussions around recommending CANTAB tool (if this were to arise as part of evidence reviewed)
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### 3. 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.

### 4. Presentations and discussions

The Chair introduced Jen Francis, Senior Systematic Reviewer, and Alice Navein, Systematic Reviewer, who gave presentations on:

**RQ 6.1 protocol** - What is the effectiveness of interventions and approaches (for example, building recovery capital, mutual aid, peer support and mentoring programmes) for preventing relapse and promote sustainable recovery in people who have previously participated in harmful gambling?

**RQ 1.2 protocol** - What is the accuracy of tools for identifying and assessing harmful gambling?

**RQ 3.1 protocol** - What is the effectiveness of different models of care and delivery of services for people who participate in harmful gambling (including those with comorbid conditions)?

The committee discussed these protocols and agreed edits.

Jen Francis, Senior Systematic Reviewer led a discussion on the **RQ 4.1 protocol interventions** - What is the effectiveness of interventions (including psychological, psychosocial and pharmacological) for people who participate in harmful gambling (including those with comorbid conditions)?

The committee agreed on the grouping of interventions for this review.

The **draft health economic plan** was presented by Ifigeneia Mavranouzouli, Senior

Health Economist. The committee agreed with the prioritisation of reviews for health economic modelling.

**5. Any other business**

There was no further business.

**The Chair closed the meeting at 17:00**