

## Membership of Bipolar working group

The Working group will operate as an advisory group to NICE's Board, updating recommendations on the use of sodium valproate in Bipolar disorder: assessment and management (CG185) to align with updated regulations

The Committee has 7 members

## **Membership list**

Agreed Constituency	Name	Job Title, Organisation
Chair	Elizabeth Kay	Emeritus Professor, University of Plymouth, Faculty of Medicine and Dentistry
		Editor of Evidence Based Dentistry
		Non Executive Director of Plymouth Universities Hospital Trust
Psychiatrist (adults)	Priya Natarajan	Consultant Psychiatrist, South
		London and Maudsley NHS Trust
Psychiatrist (children and young people)	Aditya Sharma	Clinical Senior Lecturer and Honorary Consultant in Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, Newcastle University
Lay member	Zoe Pease	Lay member
Lay member	Ivan Kennes	Lay member
Pharmacist	Nigel Barnes	Director of Pharmacy and Medicines Management, Birmingham and Solihull Mental Health NHS Foundation Trust
Mental health nurse	Claire Coppens	Nurse Consultant, Rotherham, Doncaster and South Humber NHS Foundation Trust

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