

National Collaborating Centre for Women's and Children's Health

**2nd Gastro-oesophageal reflux disease: recognition, diagnosis and management in children
and young people Guideline Development Group meeting
Wednesday 12 June 2013 10am – 4.00pm at RCOG**

Present:

Ieuan Davis (ID)	GDG Chair
Mike Thomson (MTn)	Consultant gastroenterologist
Dianne Jones (DJ)	Health visitor
Mark Tighe (MTe)	Paediatric Consultant
John Martin (JM)	GP
Tom McAnea (TM)	GP
Eleanor Jeans (EJ)	Lay member
Rebecca Harmston (RH)	Lay member
Bruce Jaffray (BJ)	Surgeon
Russell Peek (RP)	Consultant Paediatrician with an interest in neonatal Medicine
Karen Bythe (KB)	Nurse
Sarah Currell (SC)	Dietician
Charlie Fairhurst (CF)	Consultant in Paediatric Neurodisability

NCC staff:

Jiri Chard (JC)	Senior research fellow and team leader
Stephen Murphy (SM)	Clinical co-director
Rosalind Lai (RL)	Information scientist
Nitara Prasannan (NP)	Research associate

In attendance:

Sarah Dundson (SD)	Guidelines Commissioning Manager, NICE
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Apologies

David Bevan (DB)	Project manager
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1. Welcome, housekeeping, introductions and apologies

ID welcomed the group to the second meeting of this guideline development group (GDG) and introduced himself as the Chair. ID asked each GDG member to introduce themselves.

2. Declarations of interest

No new declarations of interest were declared.

3. Presentation of natural history of gastro-oesophageal reflux in children and young people

JM provided an overview of gastro-oesophageal reflux in children. NP presented the evidence review for natural history of gastro-oesophageal reflux

4. Natural history of gastro-oesophageal reflux review and discussion of the evidence

The GDG discussed natural history of gastro-oesophageal reflux evidence review

Break

5. Natural history of gastro-oesophageal reflux review and discussion of the evidence (cont'd)

The GDG discussed natural history of gastro-oesophageal reflux and drafted their recommendations

Lunch

6. Signs and symptoms (abdominal pain) associated with GOR

JC presented the evidence review association between GOR and abdominal or chest pain (including heartburn), the GDG discussed the evidence and suggested amendments

7. Signs and symptoms (feeding difficulties) associated with GOR

JC presented the evidence review association between GOR and feeding difficulties, the GDG discussed the evidence and suggested amendments

8. Signs and symptoms (failure to thrive) associated with GOR

JC presented the evidence review association between GOR and faltering growth, the GDG discussed the evidence and suggested amendments

Break

9. Feeding changes

JC presented the draft review protocol for the clinical question on feeding changes. The group then discussed the protocol and finalised the content.

10. Positional management

JC presented the draft review protocol for the clinical question for positional management. The group then discussed the protocol and finalised the content.

11. Any other business

There was no other business. ID thanked the participants for attending and closed the meeting.

Signed:..... **Date:**.....
Ieuan Davies, GDG Chair

Signed:..... **Date:**.....
Stephen Murphy, Clinical Co-Director (Children's Health)