

Post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD) (update) Committee meeting 4

Date: 09/03/2017

Location: RCOG, London

Minutes: Final

Committee members present:	
Steve Hajioff, Chair (SH)	(Present for notes 1 – 6)
Philip Bell (PB)	(Present for notes 1 – 5)
Gita Bhutani (GB)	(Present for notes 1 – 6)
Sharif El-Leithy (SEL)	(Present for notes 1 – 6)
Neil Greenberg (NGb)	(Present for notes 1 – 5)
Nick Grey (NGy)	(Present for notes 1 – 6)
Cornelius Katona (CK)	(Present for notes 1 – 6)
Jonathan Leach (JL) (until 15.30)	(Present for notes 1 – 6)
Richard Meiser-Stedman (RMS)	(Present for notes 1 – 6)
Rebecca Regler (RR)	(Present for notes 1 – 6)
Victoria Touzel (VT)	(Present for notes 1 – 6)
David Trickey (DT)	(Present for notes 1 – 6)

In attendance:		
Clifford Middleton	NICE Guidelines Commissioning Manager	(Present for notes 1 – 4)
Lyn Knott (LK) (until 13.00)	NICE Senior Medical Editor	(Present for notes 1 – 5)
Anne Carty (AC)	NGA Project Manager	(Present for notes 1 – 6)
Odette Megnin-Viggars (OMV)	NGA Senior Systematic Reviewer	(Present for notes 1 – 6)
Moira Mugglestone (MM)	NGA Director and Guideline Lead	(Present for notes 1 – 6)
Steve Pilling (SP)	NGA Clinical Advisor	(Present for notes 1 – 5)
Emma Seymour (ES)	NGA Assistant Systematic Reviewer	(Present for notes 1 – 6)
Hilary Eadon (until 11.30)	NGA Guideline Lead	(Present for notes 1 – 4)

Apologies:	
Andy Pike (AP)	Committee member
Sadia Janjua (SJ)	NGA Systematic Reviewer
Ifigeneia Mavranouzouli (IM)	NGA Senior Health Economist

1. Welcome and objectives for the meeting
<p>The Chair welcomed the Committee members and attendees to the fourth meeting for the post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD) guideline update.</p> <p>The Chair informed the Committee that apologies had been received as noted above.</p> <p>The Chair outlined the objectives of the meeting, which included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Completing presentation of evidence on pharmacological treatment of PTSD in adults • Drafting recommendations on pharmacological treatment of PTSD in adults

- Discussion of potential further work with children and young people with PTSD and their families and carers

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 PTSD.

The Chair asked everyone to verbally declare any interests.

Name	Job title, organisation	Declarations of Interest, date declared	Type of interest	Decision taken
Phillip Bell	Lay member	A paid patient peer reviewer for articles submitted to the British Medical Journal and the National Institute of Health Research which could include articles on PTSD. This has not yet included any articles related to PTSD	Personal, financial, non-specific	Declare and participate
Rebecca Regler	Lay member	A paid patient peer reviewer for articles submitted to the British Medical Journal and the National Institute of Health Research which could include articles on PTSD. This has not yet included any articles related to PTSD	Personal, financial, non-specific	Declare and participate

The Chair and a senior member of the Developer's team noted that the interests declared did not prevent the attendees from fully participating in the meeting.

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

The Chair introduced LKn who gave a presentation on the role of the editorial lead. LKn took questions from the group.

The Chair introduced OMV to the committee who gave a presentation on the remaining evidence found for pharmacological treatment of PTSD in adults. OMV took questions from the group.

5. Questions and discussion

The Committee discussed the evidence on pharmacological intervention on prevention and treatment for adults with PTSD.

6. Any other business

The Chair reminded the committee that the meeting scheduled for April had been postponed and instead there would be a 2-day meeting on 6th June and 7th June.

Date of next meeting: 6/6/2017 & 7/6/2017

Location of next meeting: RCOG, London