

Kidney Suite Guideline Update - Committee Meeting

Date: 23/09/20

Location: Virtual

Minutes: Final

Committee members present:	
Anthony Wierzbicki (AW)	Present for notes 1 – 6
Tara Bashford (TB)	Present for notes 1 – 6
Ivan Benett (IB)	Present for notes 1 – 6
Roy Connell (RC)	Present for notes 1 – 6
Grainne Connolly (GC)	Present for notes 1 – 6
Jan Dudley (JD)	Present for notes 1 – 6
Arif Khwaja (AK)	Present for notes 1 – 6
Andrew Lewington (AL)	Present for notes 1 – 6
Fiona Loud (FL)	Present for notes 1 – 6
Catherine Pogson (CP)	Present for notes 1 – 6
Nicola Thomas (NT)	Present for notes 1 – 6

In attendance:		
Victoria Axe (VA)	Commissioning Manager	Present for notes 1 – 6
Steph Armstrong (SA)	Technical Analyst Health Economics	Present for notes 1 – 6
Lucy Beggs (LB)	Technical Adviser – Health Economics	Present for notes 1 – 6
Chris Carmona (CC)	Senior Technical Analyst	Present for notes 1 – 6

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Jackie Durkin (JD)	Administrator	Present for notes 1
Thomas Jarratt (TJ)	Technical Analyst	Present for notes 1 – 6
Yolanda Martinez (YM)	Technical Analyst	Present for notes 1 – 6
Vonda Murray (VM)	Project Manager	Present for notes 1 – 6
Joshua Pink (JP)	Technical Adviser – Health Economics	Present for notes 1 – 6
Susan Spiers (SP)	Associate Director	Present for notes 1 – 6

Apologies:

Clare Allinson	Committee member
Virginia Aylett	Committee member
Deepa Kariyawasam	Committee member
Rajib Pal	Committee member

1. Welcome and objectives for the meeting

The Chair welcomed the committee members and attendees to the 13th committee meeting on Kidney Injury & Disease. The Chair welcomed to the meeting; committee members, and NICE attendees.

The Chair introduced VM Project Manager, who provided a recap on zoom functions. The Chair thanked VM for her presentation.

The Chair informed the Committee that apologies had been received. These are noted above.

The Chair outlined the objectives of the meeting, which included:

- Discussion of the review questions on children and young people with CKD, what is the accuracy of reagent strips for detecting protein and blood in urine.
- Health economics and recommendation discussion on what is the best combination of measures of kidney function and markers of kidney damage to identify increased risk of progression in adults, children and young people with CKD
- Evidence review and recommendation discussion on what is the accuracy of cystatin C-based equations to estimate GFR as a measurement of kidney function in adults, children and young people?

The Chair asked all committee members to verbally declare any interests that have arisen since the last meeting. The Chair and senior members of the Developer team

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noted that the interests previously declared, did not prevent the attendees from fully participating in the meeting. No new interests declared.

2. RQ1.3 In children and young people with CKD, what is the accuracy of reagent strips for detecting protein and blood in urine?

- **Review**

The Chair introduced YM Technical Analyst, who facilitated a discussion on the recommendations for reagent strips for detecting protein and blood in urine in children and young people with CKD. The Chair thanked YM for facilitating the discussion.

3. RQ2.1 What is the best combination of measures of kidney function and markers of kidney damage to identify increased risk of progression in adults, children and young people with CKD?

- **Health economics**

The Chair introduced JP Technical Adviser, who gave a presentation on the health economics for the best combination of measures of kidney function and markers of kidney damage to identify increased risk of progression in adults, children and young people with CKD. The Chair thanked JP for his presentation.

4. RQ2.1 What is the best combination of measures of kidney function and markers of kidney damage to identify increased risk of progression in adults, children and young people with CKD?

- **Health economics**
- **Recommendations**

The Chair facilitated a discussion on the evidence for what is the best combination of measures of kidney function and markers of kidney damage to identify increased risk of progression in adults, children and young people with CKD

5. RQ1.1 What is the accuracy of cystatin C-based equations to estimate GFR as a measurement of kidney function in adults, children and young people?

- **Evidence review**
- **Recommendation review**

The Chair introduced TJ Technical Analyst, who gave a presentation what is the accuracy of cystatin C-based equations to estimate GFR as a measurement of kidney function in adults, children and young people The Chair thanked TJ for his presentation.

6. AOB

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None

7. Summary and next steps

The Chair thanked the committee for their time and contribution to the meeting and reminded the committee of the date and time of the next committee meeting
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Date of next meeting: 2/11/20 – 12:45 to 15:30

Location of next meeting: Virtual