

**Menopause: diagnosis and management (update) Guideline  
Committee Meeting 7**

**Date:** Friday 13th January 2023

**Location** NICE London office

**Minutes:** **Final**

<b>Committee members present:</b>		
Gillian Baird		Present for notes 1-7
Martha Hickey		Present for notes 1-7
Haitham Hamoda		Present for notes 1-7
Gillian Reeves		Present for notes 1-7
Hayley Berry		Present for notes 1-7
Sarah Hillman		Present for notes 1-7
Karina Bowkett		Present for notes 1-7

<b>In attendance:</b>		
Katharina Dworzynski	Guideline Lead	Present for notes 1-7
Agnesa Mehmeti	Systematic Reviewer	Present for notes 1-7
Katriona O'Donoghue	Systematic Reviewer	Present for notes 1-7

<b>Remote attendees:</b>		
Melissa Bolessa	NICE Project Manager	Present for notes 1-7
Nathan Bromham	NICE Senior Systematic Reviewer	Present for notes 1-3, 5-7
Shalmali Deshpande	NICE Systematic Reviewer	Present for notes 1-7
Stephen Murphy	NICE Clinical Advisor	Present for notes 1-7
Olivia Waring	NICE Senior Medical editor	Present for notes 1-2
Rebecca Boucher	NICE Senior Medical editor	Present for notes 1-6
Kathy Abernethy	GC member	Present for notes 5-7
Louise Massey	GC member	Present for notes 1-7
Anita Sharma	GC member	Present for notes 1-7
Eef Hogervorst	Co-opted GC member	Present for notes 3
Sadaf Gaem-Maghani	Co-opted GC member	Present for notes 1-7

Lorraine Griffiths	Lay member	Present for notes 1-7
Nina Kuypers	Lay member	Present for notes 1-7
Joel Emmons (Observing)	NICE Senior Medical editor	Present for notes 1-7

<b>Apologies:</b>	
Anne Armstrong	Co-opted GC member
Nick O'Callaghan Staples	NICE Guideline Commissioning Manager

<b>1. Welcome, housekeeping, aims of the day and apologies</b>
<p>The Chair welcomed the Committee members and attendees to day 2 of the 7<sup>th</sup> guideline committee meeting on Menopause: diagnosis and management (update).</p> <p>The Chair asked the committee to review the minutes and the minutes were confirmed as accurate.</p> <p>The Chair requested for any new declarations of interest to be shared with the group. New interests were declared, and any interest declared previously did not impact on the participation of committee members on matters under discussion for this meeting.</p>
<b>2. NICE style related to inclusive language</b>
<p>Olivia Waring, Senior Medical Editor presented NICE style related to inclusive language.</p> <p>Olivia Waring took questions from the committee.</p>
<b>3. Evidence review question 2.4</b>
<p>Agnesa Mehmeti, Systematic Reviewer presented evidence review question 2.4 - What are the effects of hormone replacement therapy for menopausal symptoms on developing ovarian cancer?</p> <p>The committee discussed the clinical evidence, topic group recommendations, equality considerations and rationale for recommendations.</p>
<b>4. Evidence review question 2.4</b>
<p>The committee members held a forum where discussions were made on key points from review question 2.4. They discussed the clinical evidence, topic group recommendations, equality considerations and rationale for recommendations.</p>
<b>5. Lay member forum</b>

The Lay members held a forum where discussions were made on key points from review question 2.4

**6. Tables and figures for long term outcomes**

Agnesa Mehmeti, Systematic Reviewer presented the tables and figures for long term outcomes.

Agnesa Mehmeti took questions from the committee.

**7. Summary of actions & any other business**

Gillian Baird, Committee Chair summarised the actions. The next meeting will be on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> February 2023.

**Location of next meeting:** Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> February 2023, virtual meeting.