

Appendix B: Declarations of interests by Guideline Committee members

With a range of practical experience relevant to learning disabilities in the GC, members were appointed because of their understanding and expertise in healthcare for mental health problems in people with learning disabilities and support for their families/carers, including: scientific issues; health research; the delivery and receipt of healthcare, along with the work of the healthcare industry; and the role of professional organisations and organisations for people with mental health problems and learning disabilities and their families/carers.

To minimise and manage any potential conflicts of interest, and to avoid any public concern that commercial or other financial interests have affected the work of the GC and influenced guidance, members of the GC must declare as a matter of public record any interests held by themselves or their families which fall under specified categories (see below). These categories include any relationships they have with the healthcare industries, professional organisations and organisations for people with learning disabilities and their families/carers.

Individuals invited to join the GC were asked to declare their interests before being appointed. To allow the management of any potential conflicts of interest that might arise during the development of the guideline, GC members were also asked to declare their interests at each GC meeting throughout the guideline development process. The interests of all the members of the GC are listed below, including interests declared prior to appointment and during the guideline development process.

B.1 Categories of interest

- Paid employment
- Personal pecuniary interest: financial payments or other benefits from either the manufacturer or the owner of the product or service under consideration in this guideline, or the industry or sector from which the product or service comes. This includes holding a directorship or other paid position; carrying out consultancy or fee paid work; having shareholdings or other beneficial interests; receiving expenses and hospitality over and above what would be reasonably expected to attend meetings and conferences.
- Personal family interest: financial payments or other benefits from the healthcare industry that were received by a member of your family.
- Non-personal pecuniary interest: financial payments or other benefits received by the GC member's organisation or department, but where the GC member has not personally received payment, including fellowships and other support provided by the healthcare industry. This includes a grant or fellowship or other payment to sponsor a post, or contribute to the running costs of the department; commissioning of research or other work; contracts with, or grants from, NICE.
- Personal non-pecuniary interest: these include, but are not limited to, clear opinions or public statements you have made about individuals with mental health problems and learning disabilities, holding office in a professional organisation or advocacy group with a direct interest in mental health problems and learning disabilities, other reputational risks relevant to mental health problems and learning disabilities.

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GC member name Professor Sally-Ann Cooper	
Employment	Professor of Learning Disabilities and Honorary Consultant Psychiatrist, University of Glasgow

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Personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal family interest	None
Non-personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal non-pecuniary interest	None
Non-personal non-pecuniary interest	None
Action taken	None
Professor Steve Pilling	
Employment	Director, National Collaborating Centre for Mental Health/Director, Centre for Outcomes Research and Effectiveness, University College London
Personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal family interest	None
Non-personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal non-pecuniary interest	None
Non-personal non-pecuniary interest	None
Action taken	None
Dr Regi Alexander	
Employment	Consultant Psychiatrist, St John's House/Honorary Senior Lecturer, University of East Anglia
Personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal family interest	None
Non-personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal non-pecuniary interest	None
Action taken	None
Ms Stella Ayetey	
Employment	Care Representative
Personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal family interest	None
Non-personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal non-pecuniary interest	None
Action taken	None
Professor Sabyasachi Bhaumik	
Employment	Consultant Psychiatrist and Senior Medical Advisor, Leicestershire Partnership NHS Trust
Personal pecuniary interest	None I am a Director of a private company RAPID Healthcare (UK) Ltd. which provides advice and training to NHS and non-NHS services providing Mental Health and LD services from time to time. I am a medical member of First Tier Mental Health Review Tribunal of Judiciary Dept.
Personal family interest	None
Non-personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal non-pecuniary interest	The third edition of the Frith Prescribing Guidelines for

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	Adults with Intellectual Disability for which I am one of the Editors will be published in the near future (Publisher—Wiley). The Royalty income will be paid directly to Leicestershire Partnership NHS Trust.
	I am a member of HS&DR researcher led panel of NIHR
Action taken	None
Mrs Alison Baker	
Employment	Carer Representative
Personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal family interest	None
Non-personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal non-pecuniary interest	None
Action taken	None
Ms Liz Whitaker	
Employment	Lead Physiotherapist/Snr Lecturer, Bradford District Care Trust/ University of Huddersfield
Personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal family interest	None
Non-personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal non-pecuniary interest	None
Action taken	None
Ms Lesley Gegan	
Employment	Speech and Language Therapist, Greater Manchester West Mental Health & Substance Misuse NHS Trust
Personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal family interest	None
Non-personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal non-pecuniary interest	None
Action taken	None
Professor Angela Hassiotis	
Employment	Professor in the Psychiatry of Intellectual Disability, UCL Division of Psychiatry
Personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal family interest	None
Non-personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal non-pecuniary interest	None
Action taken	None
Professor Richard Hastings	
Employment	Professor of Education and Psychology Centre for Educational Development Appraisal and Research, University of Warwick
Personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal family interest	My wife is a cognitive behaviour therapist in a CAMHS service and she is employed by the NHS in Wales.

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Non-personal pecuniary interest	My University has is receiving funds under a research grant from NIHR (HTA) to evaluate a psychological therapeutic intervention for adults with learning disability and depression, and from NISCHR (Wales) to evaluate mindfulness based intervention for adults with LD with anger problems.
Personal non-pecuniary interest	I am currently a trustee of the Royal Mencap Society
Action taken	None
Professor Chris Hatton	
Employment	Co-Director, Public Health England Learning Disabilities Observatory/ Professor of Psychology Health & Social Care, Lancaster University
Personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal family interest	None
Non-personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal non-pecuniary interest	None
Action taken	None
Ms Sharon Jeffreys	
Employment	Head of Commissioning; Learning Disabilities and Autism, South West Lincolnshire Clinical Commissioning Group
Personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal family interest	None
Non-personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal non-pecuniary interest	None
Action taken	None
Action Taken	None
Dr Anne Livesey	
Employment	Consultant Community Paediatrician, Brighton and Sussex Community Trust
Personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal family interest	None
Non-personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal non-pecuniary interest	None
Action taken	None
Dr Julie O’Sullivan	
Employment	Head Teacher, Nightingale School
Personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal family interest	None
Non-personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal non-pecuniary interest	None
Action taken	None
Mr Ian Rogers	
Employment	Carer Representative

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Personal family interest	None
Non-personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal non-pecuniary interest	None
Action taken	None
Ms Zandrea Stewart	
Employment	National ADASS Lead Autism/National Principal Adviser Winterbourne, Joint Improvement Programme
Personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal family interest	None
Non-personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal non-pecuniary interest	None
Action taken	None
Professor John L Taylor	
Employment	Professor of Clinical Psychology and Consultant Clinical Psychologist, Northumbria University and Northumberland, Tyne & Wear NHS Foundation Trust
Personal pecuniary interest	
Personal family interest	None
Non-personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal non-pecuniary interest	<p>I am a past President and Board member of the British Association for Behavioural and Cognitive Psychotherapies (BABCP), a charitable organisation that promotes the theory and practice of cognitive and behavioural psychotherapies. I currently sit on the BABCP's Scientific Committee.</p> <p>I am also an active researcher in the field of cognitive behavioural therapy and its applications to people with learning disabilities who experience mental health and emotional difficulties</p>
Action taken	None
Dr Umesh Chauhan	
Employment	GP
Personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal family interest	None
Non-personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal non-pecuniary interest	None
Ms Clare Taylor	
Employment	Senior Editor
Personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal family interest	None
Non-personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal non-pecuniary interest	None
Action Taken	None

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Ms Nuala Ernest	
Employment	Assistant Editor
Personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal family interest	None
Non-personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal non-pecuniary interest	None
Action Taken	None
Ms Ifigeneia Mavranzouli	
Employment	Senior Health Economist
Personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal family interest	None
Non-personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal non-pecuniary interest	None
Action Taken	None
Ms Heather Stegenga	
Employment	Systematic Reviewer
Personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal family interest	None
Non-personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal non-pecuniary interest	None
Action Taken	None
Ms Emma Seymour	
Employment	Research Assistant
Personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal family interest	None
Non-personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal non-pecuniary interest	None
Action Taken	None
Ms Jo Wolfreys	
Employment	Project Manager
Personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal family interest	None
Non-personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal non-pecuniary interest	None
Action Taken	None
Ms Katherine Andreas	
Employment	Project Manager

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Personal family interest	None
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Personal non-pecuniary interest	None
Action Taken	None
Ms Eva Gautam Aitken	
Employment	Project Manager
Personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal Family interest	None
Non-personal pecuniary interest	None
Personal non-pecuniary interest	None
Action Taken	None

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Appendix C: Special advisors to the Guideline Committee

Those who acted as advisors on specialist topics or have contributed to the process by meeting the Guideline Development Group:

Professor Andrew Jahoda

Dr Jacqui Rodgers

Dr Vicki Grahame