

**NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR HEALTH AND CLINICAL EXCELLENCE**

**Single Technology Appraisal (STA)**

**Denosumab for the prevention of osteoporotic fractures in postmenopausal women**

**Response to consultee and commentator comments on the provisional matrix of consultees and commentators (pre-referral)**

<b>Version of matrix of consultees and commentators reviewed:</b>					
Provisional matrix of consultees and commentators sent for consultation					
<b>Summary of comments, action taken, and justification of action:</b>					
	<i>Proposal:</i>	<i>Proposal made by:</i>		<i>Action taken:</i> Removed/Added/Not included/Noted	<i>Justification:</i>
1.	<i>Arthritis Research Campaign</i>	<i>Amgen</i>		<i>Not included</i>	<i>The Arthritis Research Campaign does not meet the inclusion criteria and have therefore not been added to the matrix.</i>
2.	<i>BackCare</i>	<i>Amgen</i>		<i>Noted</i>	<i>Backcare were included as a provisional consultee during the Scoping Consultation. They will remain listed within the Patient/Carer groups on the Matrix</i>

3.	<i>National Pensioners Convention</i>	<i>Amgen</i>		<i>Added</i>	<i>The National Pensioners Convention meets the inclusion criteria and has therefore been added to the matrix.as a patient group</i>
4.	<i>Well being of Women</i>	<i>Amgen</i>		<i>Added</i>	<i>Well being of Women meets the inclusion criteria and has therefore been added to the matrix.as a patient group</i>
5.	<i>The Patients Association</i>	<i>Amgen</i>		<i>Not included</i>	<i>The Patients Association do not meet the inclusion criteria and therefore are not included in the matrix.</i>
6.	<i>British Society for Rheumatology</i>	<i>Amgen</i>		<i>Added</i>	<i>British Society for Rheumatology meets the inclusion criteria and has therefore been added to the matrix as a professional group.</i>
7.	<i>Primary Care Rheumatology Society</i>	<i>Amgen</i>		<i>Added</i>	<i>Primary Care Rheumatology Society meets the inclusion criteria and has therefore been added to the matrix as a professional group</i>

8.	<i>Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists</i>	<i>Amgen</i>		<i>Added</i>	<i>Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists meets the inclusion criteria and has therefore been added to the matrix as a professional group</i>
9.	<i>National Osteoporosis Guideline Group</i>	<i>Amgen</i>		<i>Noted</i>	<i>Awaiting information</i>
10.	<i>The British Pain Society is not involved with the primary prevention of osteoporosis</i>	<i>British Pain Society</i>		<i>Noted</i>	<i>The British Pain Society were included during the scoping consultation on the primary prevention of osteoporosis.</i>
11.	<i>United Kingdom Clinical Research Network</i>	<i>NICE Secretariat</i>		<i>Removed</i>	<i>The United Kingdom Clinical Research Network is a part of the National Institute for Health Research As per inclusion criteria an organization is listed only once therefore they have been removed from the matrix</i>

12.	<i>British Ethnic Health Awareness Foundation</i>	<i>NICE Secretariat</i>	<i>Removed</i>	<i>British Ethnic Health Awareness Foundation (BEHAF) have been removed from the Charity Commission records and therefore doesn't meet the inclusion criteria</i>
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13.	<i>Remove Age Concern from all Technology Appraisal matrices</i>	<i>Age Concern</i>		<i>Removed</i>	<i>Completed as per the specific organisations request</i>
14.	<i>Remove Help the Aged from all Technology Appraisal matrices</i>	<i>Help the Aged</i>		<i>Removed</i>	<i>Completed as per the specific organisations request</i>
15.	<i>National Collaborating Centre for Nursing &amp; Supportive Care</i>	<i>NICE Secretariat</i>		<i>Noted/Amended</i>	<i>The National Collaborating Centre for Nursing and Supportive Care has been replaced by the National Clinical Guideline Centre. Therefore the National Clinical Guideline Centre will be listed on the matrix instead of the National Collaborating Centre for Nursing and Supportive Care.</i>

16.	<i>British Pain Society</i>	<i>NICE Secretariat</i>	<i>Removed</i>	<i>The British Pain Society does not meet the inclusion criteria and have therefore been removed from the matrix.</i>
17.	<i>Women's Nutritional Advisory Service</i>	<i>NICE Secretariat</i>	<i>Removed</i>	<i>The Women's Nutritional Advisory Service does not meet the inclusion criteria and have therefore been removed from the matrix.</i>
18.	<i>Long term Medical Conditions Alliance</i>	<i>NICE Secretariat</i>	<i>Removed</i>	<i>Long term Medical Conditions Alliance have requested to be removed from all matrices.</i>