

## **Response to Healthcare Improvement Scotland**

Thank you for your positive comments about the Assessment Report. We'd like to respond to a couple of points you have raised:

- 1) *There is one glaring error on page 14 in the description of systemic symptoms where I think there has been a transposition it should read A absence and B presence of systemic symptoms rather than as described.*

Thank you for pointing out the error on p.14 with regard to the transposition of systemic symptoms, this has been corrected in the report.

- 2) *I have attached our recent Scottish Haematologist Guidelines for Follicular Lymphoma in which we have tried to address the approach to the unknown areas as outlined, in case the Review Group wish to compare our approach to the algorithms in the economic model*

Thank you for sharing your algorithm with us. It is reassuring to see that our model broadly reflects a similar treatment pathway to your algorithm. Whilst we acknowledge there are some small differences, it is not possible to alter the model due to time constraints.