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Dear Meindert

Single Technology Appraisal
Ustekinumab for treating active psoriatic arthritis
(Rapid Review of TA313) [ID819] appraisal consultation document

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the above appraisal consultation document.

We are pleased to see that the company has reconsidered the cost of ustekinumab, so it can be made available to the NHS, therefore providing a further option of care for people with psoriatic arthritis.

We also welcome the opportunity for those who weigh more than 100kg to have equal access to the drug.

As an organisation, we are aware that cost-effectiveness is an important issue in these decisions and are glad to see that this revised decision, will not be to the detriment of other users of the health service.

Yours sincerely

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