

NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR HEALTH AND CARE EXCELLENCE

Single Technology Appraisal

Peginterferon beta-1a for treating relapsing–remitting multiple sclerosis ID1521

Final matrix of consultees and commentators

Consultees	Commentators (no right to submit or appeal)
<p><u>Company</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biogen Idec (peginterferon beta-1a) <p><u>Patient/carer groups</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Brain and Spine Foundation • The Brain Charity • Disability Rights UK • Leonard Cheshire Disability • MS-UK • Multiple Sclerosis National Therapy Centres • Multiple Sclerosis Society • Multiple Sclerosis Trust • Muslim Council of Britain • Neurological Alliance • Shift.ms • South Asian Health Foundation • Specialised Healthcare Alliance • Sue Ryder <p><u>Professional groups</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Association of British Neurologists • British Association of Neuroscience Nurses • British Geriatrics Society • British Neuropathological Society • British Society of Rehabilitation Medicine • Chartered Society of Physiotherapy • Institute of Neurology • Primary Care Neurology Society • Royal College of General Practitioners • Royal College of Nursing 	<p><u>General</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All Wales Therapeutic and Toxicology Centre • Allied Health Professionals Federation • Board of Community Health Councils in Wales • British National Formulary • Care Quality Commission • Department of Health, Social Services and Public Safety for Northern Ireland • Healthcare Improvement Scotland • Medicines and Healthcare Products Regulatory Agency • Multiple Sclerosis Society Wales • National Association of Primary Care • National Pharmacy Association • Neurological Alliance of Scotland • NHS Alliance • NHS Confederation • Scottish Medicines Consortium • Wales Neurological Alliance • Welsh Health Specialised Services Committee <p><u>Possible comparator companies</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biogen Idec (dimethyl fumarate, interferon beta-1a, natalizumab) • Genzyme (alemtuzumab, teriflunomide) • Merck (interferon beta-1a, cladribine) • Mylan (glatiramer acetate) • Novartis (interferon beta-1b, fingolimod) • Roche (ocrelizumab) • Teva UK (glatiramer acetate)

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Royal College of Occupational Therapists • Royal College of Pathologists • Royal College of Physicians • Royal Pharmaceutical Society • Royal Society of Medicine • Therapists in MS • UK Clinical Pharmacy Association • UK Health Forum • UK Multiple Sclerosis Specialist Nurse Association <p><u>Others</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Department of Health and Social Care • NHS England • NHS Leeds CCG • NHS Portsmouth CCG • Welsh Government 	<p><u>Relevant research groups</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Brain Research Trust • British Neurological Research Trust • Cochrane Multiple Sclerosis and Rare Diseases of the Central Nervous System Group • MRC Clinical Trials Unit • National Hospital for Neurology and Neurosurgery • National Institute for Health Research <p><u>Associated Public Health groups</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Public Health England • Public Health Wales

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Definitions:

Consultees

Organisations that accept an invitation to participate in the appraisal; the company that markets the technology; national professional organisations; national patient organisations; the Department of Health and Social Care and the Welsh Government and relevant NHS organisations in England.

The company that markets the technology is invited to make an evidence submission, respond to consultations, nominate clinical experts and has the right to appeal against the Final Appraisal Document (FAD).

All non-company consultees are invited to submit a statement¹, respond to consultations, nominate clinical or patient experts and have the right to appeal against the Final Appraisal Document (FAD).

Commentators

Organisations that engage in the appraisal process but that are not asked to prepare an evidence submission or statement, are able to respond to consultations and they receive the FAD for information only, without right of appeal. These organisations are: companies that market comparator technologies; Healthcare Improvement Scotland; related research groups where appropriate (for example, the Medical Research Council [MRC], National Cancer Research Institute); other groups (for example, the NHS Confederation, NHS Alliance, and the British National Formulary).

All non-company commentators are invited to nominate clinical or patient experts.

¹ Non company consultees are invited to submit statements relevant to the group they are representing.