

**NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR HEALTH AND CLINICAL EXCELLENCE**

**Health Technology Appraisal**

**Review Proposal of NICE Technology Appraisal no. 81; on the frequency of application of topical corticosteroids for eczema**

**Provisional matrix of consultees and commentators**

<b>Consultees</b>	<b>Commentators (no right to submit or appeal)</b>
<p><u>Manufacturers/sponsors</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Actavis (hydrocortisone)</li> <li>• Astellas (hydrocortisone, hydrocortisone butyrate)</li> <li>• BCM Specials (hydrocortisone)</li> <li>• Bell Sons &amp; Co. (hydrocortisone)</li> <li>• Biorex Laboratories (hydrocortisone)</li> <li>• Celltech (betamethasone valerate)</li> <li>• Co-Pharma (hydrocortisone)</li> <li>• Derma UK (fluocinolone acetonide, fluocinonide)</li> <li>• Dermal (hydrocortisone, betamethasone valerate)</li> <li>• Diomed Developments Ltd (hydrocortisone)</li> <li>• Dowelhurst Ltd (betamethasone valerate)</li> <li>• Galpharm Healthcare (hydrocortisone)</li> <li>• GlaxoSmithKline (hydrocortisone, betamethasone valerate, clobetasone butyrate, fluticasone propionate, clobetasol propionate)</li> <li>• Meadow Laboratories (fluocortolone, diflucortolone valerate)</li> <li>• Novartis Pharmaceuticals Ltd (hydrocortisone)</li> <li>• Pliva Pharma (alclometasone dipropionate)</li> <li>• Reckitt Benckiser Healthcare UK</li> </ul>	<p><u>General</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Age Concern Cymru</li> <li>• Board of Community Health Councils in Wales</li> <li>• British National Formulary</li> <li>• Department of Health, Social Services and Public Safety for Northern Ireland</li> <li>• Medicines and Healthcare products Regulatory Agency (MHRA)</li> <li>• National Public Health Service for Wales</li> <li>• NHS Confederation</li> <li>• NHS Purchasing and Supply Agency</li> <li>• NHS Quality Improvement Scotland</li> <li>• Scottish Medicines Consortium</li> </ul> <p><u>Comparator manufacturers</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• (As per manufacturers/sponsors)</li> </ul> <p><u>Relevant research groups</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cochrane Skin Group, Centre of Evidence-based Dermatology, University of Nottingham</li> <li>• Policy Research Institute on Ageing and Ethnicity</li> <li>• Skin Research Centre</li> <li>• Skin Treatment &amp; Research Trust</li> <li>• The British Epidermo-Epidemiology Society (BEES)</li> </ul>

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<p>(hydrocortisone)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Roussel Laboratories (hydrocortisone)</li> <li>• Sandoz Ltd (hydrocortisone)</li> <li>• Schering Plough (betamethasone dipropionate, mometasone furoate)</li> <li>• Teva Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd (hydrocortisone)</li> <li>• Thornton &amp; Ross (hydrocortisone)</li> <li>• Typharm (fludroxycortide)</li> <li>• UCB Pharma (betamethasone valerate)</li> <li>• Waymade (hydrocortisone)</li> <li>• Wockhardt UK Ltd (hydrocortisone generic)</li> </ul> <p><u>Patient/carers groups</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Action Against Allergy</li> <li>• Action for Sick Children</li> <li>• Age Concern England</li> <li>• Allergy UK</li> <li>• Black Health Agency</li> <li>• Changing Faces</li> <li>• Chinese National Healthy Living Centre</li> <li>• Confederation of Indian Organisations</li> <li>• Counsel and Care</li> <li>• Equalities National Council</li> <li>• Help the Aged</li> <li>• Muslim Council of Great Britain</li> <li>• Muslim Health Network</li> <li>• National Eczema Society</li> <li>• Skin Care Campaign</li> <li>• South Asian Health Foundation</li> <li>• Specialised Healthcare Alliance</li> <li>• WellChild</li> </ul> <p><u>Professional groups</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• British Association for Services to the Elderly</li> <li>• British Association of Dermatologists</li> </ul>	<p><u>Assessment team</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Assessment group tbc</li> <li>• National Coordinating Centre for Health Technology Assessment</li> </ul> <p><u>Associated Guideline Groups</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• National Collaborating Centre for Women and Children</li> </ul> <p><u>Associated Public Health Groups</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• (none)</li> </ul>

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• British Dermatological Nursing Group</li> <li>• British Skin Foundation</li> <li>• Community Practitioners and Health Visitors Association</li> <li>• National Association of Primary Care</li> <li>• Primary Care Dermatology Society</li> <li>• Royal College of General Practitioners</li> <li>• Royal College of Nursing</li> <li>• Royal College of Paediatrics and Child Health</li> <li>• Royal College of Physicians</li> <li>• Royal Pharmaceutical Society</li> <li>• Royal Society of Medicine – Intellectual Disabilities Forum</li> <li>• United Kingdom Clinical Pharmacy Association</li> </ul> <p><u>Others</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Department of Health</li> <li>• West Hertfordshire PCT</li> <li>• Wrexham LHB</li> <li>• Welsh Assembly Government</li> </ul>	

NICE is committed to promoting equality and eliminating unlawful discrimination. Please let us know if we have missed any important organisations from the lists contained within the matrix and which organisations we should include who have a particular focus on relevant equality issues.

***PTO FOR DEFINITIONS OF CONSULTEES AND COMMENTATORS***

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### Definitions:

#### Consultees

Organisations that accept an invitation to participate in the appraisal; the manufacturer(s) or sponsor(s) of the technology; national professional organisations; national patient organisations; the Department of Health and the Welsh Assembly Government and relevant NHS organisations in England.

Consultees can participate in the consultation on the draft scope, the Assessment Report and the Appraisal Consultation Document, they are invited to prepare a submission dossier and all non-manufacturers/sponsors consultee organisations can nominate clinical specialists and patient experts to present their personal views to the Appraisal Committee. All consultees are given the opportunity to appeal against the Final Appraisal Determination (FAD).

#### Commentators

Organisations that engage in the appraisal process but that are not asked to prepare a submission dossier, and that receive the FAD for information only, without right of appeal. These organisations are: manufacturers of comparator technologies; NHS Quality Improvement Scotland; the relevant National Collaborating Centre (a group commissioned by the Institute to develop clinical guidelines); other related research groups where appropriate (for example, the Medical Research Council [MRC], National Cancer Research Institute); other groups (for example, the NHS Confederation, NHS Information Authority and NHS Purchasing and Supplies Agency, and the *British National Formulary*).

All non-manufacturers/sponsors commentator organisations can nominate clinical specialists and patient experts to present their personal views to the Appraisal Committee.

#### Assessment team

An independent academic group (commissioned by the NHS Research and Development Health Technology Assessment Programme [HTA Programme] to assist in the appraisal) prepares an Assessment Report on the health technology (a review of the clinical and cost effectiveness of the technology(ies) based on a systematic review of the literature and a review of manufacturer and sponsor submission to the Institute).

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## Manufacturer table

The matrix lists the manufacturers who have been invited to participate in a technology appraisal. As an appraisal progresses the matrix may not necessarily list all the relevant products relating to it (as manufacturers may decide that they do not wish to be involved). This table has been produced to capture all the related products for easy identification of interests for anyone involved in the topic.

<b>Consultees</b>	
<b>Manufacturer</b>	<b>Generic Name</b>
Actavis	hydrocortisone
Astellas	hydrocortisone, hydrocortisone butyrate
BCM Specials	hydrocortisone
Bell Sons & Co.	hydrocortisone
Biorex Laboratories	hydrocortisone
Celltech	betamethasone valerate
Co-Pharma	hydrocortisone
Derma UK	fluocinolone acetonide, fluocinonide

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## Appendix A

Dermal	hydrocortisone, betamethasone valerate
Diomed Developments Ltd	hydrocortisone
Dowelhurst Ltd	betamethasone valerate
Galpharm Healthcare	hydrocortisone
GlaxoSmithKline	hydrocortisone, betamethasone valerate, clobetasone butyrate, fluticasone propionate, clobetasol propionate
Meadow Laboratories	fluocortolone, diflucortolone valerate
Novartis Pharmaceuticals Ltd	hydrocortisone
Pliva Pharma	alclometasone dipropionate
Reckitt Benckiser Healthcare UK	hydrocortisone
Roussel Laboratories	hydrocortisone
Sandoz Ltd	hydrocortisone
Schering Plough	betamethasone dipropionate, mometasone furoate
Teva Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd	hydrocortisone
Thornton & Ross	hydrocortisone
Typharm	fludroxycortide
UCB Pharma	betamethasone valerate

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Waymade	hydrocortisone
Wockhardt UK Ltd	Hydrocortisone generic
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<b>Manufacturer</b>	<b>Generic Name</b>
(as per consultees)	(as per consultees)