

Interests Register

Venous thromboembolic diseases: diagnosis, management and thrombophilia testing (Update) committee Publication Date: 23rd March 2020

Name	Role with NICE	Type of interest	Description of interest	Relevant dates			Comments
				Interest arose	Interest declared	Interest ceased	
Susan Bewley	Committee Chair	N/A	None declared	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Frances Akor	Committee member Pharmacist	Direct, financial	Consultancy fee received by Sanofi for participating in meeting on development of non-product specific anticoagulation medical education	Jul 2017	Mar 2018	Jul 2017	Declare and participate - the topic of the session was about education in general rather than specifically related to a particular product or class of products
Frances Akor	Committee member Pharmacist	Direct, financial	Consultancy fee offered by Sanofi on participation in meeting on development of non-product specific anticoagulation medical education	Mar 2018	Mar 2018	Mar 2018	Declare and participate - the topic of the session was about education in general rather than specifically related to a particular product or class of products

Frances Akor	Committee member Pharmacist	Direct, financial	Authored clinical vignette on safe transfer of care and communication regarding anticoagulation and failure to manage/review duration of anticoagulation. This was used in a slide set by Sanofi. Honorarium received.	Jun 2018	Jun 2018	N/A	Declare and participate - did not attend meeting where duration of anticoagulation was discussed, and recommendations drafted.
Frances Akor	Committee member Pharmacist	Direct, financial	Reviewer for the National Confidential Enquiry into Patient Outcome and Death.	Jun 2018	Jul 2018	N/A	Declare and participate -Travel and subsistence only
Frances Akor	Committee member Pharmacist	Direct, financial	Daichii-Sankyo (manufacturers of edoxaban) to sponsor travel, accommodation and attendance costs to European Society of Cardiology Congress taking place in Munich, Germany	Aug 2018	Jul 2018	N/A	Declare and participate - the company only provided attendance costs to enable attendance to a conference, travel and subsistence only
Frances Akor	Committee member Pharmacist	Direct, financial	Consultancy fee received from Sanofi for educational talk to field force on anticoagulation, thrombolysis and ivc filters. Also spoke about follow up and handover/ transfer of care.	Sep 2018	Sep 2018	N/A	Partial exclusion – RQ3.1, 3.2, 1.3, 2.4 (Committee meetings 5- 8 for pharmacological treatment sections only)

Frances Akor	Committee member Pharmacist	Direct, non-financial professional and personal	Participation in meeting, organised by the BMS-Pfizer Alliance, working in partnership with Anticoagulation UK on consensus and standard development in secondary prevention in VTE.	Oct 2019	Sept 2019	Oct 2019	Declare and participate
Frances Akor	Committee member Pharmacist	Direct, non-financial professional and personal	Working with Anticoagulation UK contributing to a best practice anticoagulation service specification	Jan 2020	Feb 2020	March 2020	Declare and participate
Frances Akor	Committee member Pharmacist	Direct, financial	Delivering teaching session to primary care pharmacists on Atrial Fibrillation, Venous Thromboembolism and stroke	March 2020	Feb 2020	N/A	Declare and participate – broad topic area
Julia Anderson	Committee member Haematologist	Direct, financial	Paid consultancy role with Radox Health as member of the RIQAS external quality assessment advisory panel. Attends the Panel every 6 months and accepts a consultancy	2012	May 2018	N/A	Declare and participate - Dr Anderson's role is outside the scope of this update and therefore non-specific.

			fee for 4 hours work. Randox Health manufacture D-dimer kits but Dr Anderson is not involved with the manufacture/ development /promotion of D-dimer assays, kits or reagents.				
Julia Anderson	Committee member Haematologist	Direct, non-financial professional and personal	Attended a masterclass on Apixaban, May 2017: sponsored by Pfizer. No sponsorship, travel, expenses or accommodation received; lunch provided at the meeting	May 2017	May 2018	N/A	Declare and participate
Julia Anderson	Committee member Haematologist	Direct, non-financial professional and personal	Chair for Thrombosis UK meeting, Glasgow Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons, 10 May 2018; Thrombosis UK is a charity: no honorarium; paid own travel expenses; event sponsored by several pharmaceutical companies jointly	May 2018	May 2018	May 2018	Declare and participate

Julia Anderson	Committee member Haematologist	Direct, non-financial professional and personal	Chair for Thrombosis UK meeting, 13 th May 2019. Thrombosis UK is a charity: no honorarium; paid own travel expenses; event sponsored by several pharmaceutical companies jointly	May 2019	May 2019	May 2019	Declare and participate
Julia Anderson	Committee member Haematologist	Direct, non-financial professional and personal	Member of British Society for Haematology haemostasis and thrombosis task force (Royal College of Pathologists) Co-author of an addendum to BSH guidelines on antiphospholipid antibody syndrome and use of direct oral anticoagulants in people with APS	Mar 2017	Sep 2019	N/A	Declare and participate
Michelle Greene	Committee lay member	N/A	None declared	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Sam Hare	Committee member Radiologist	Direct, financial	Private practice - CT pulmonary angiography (CTPA) scans [approximately 5-7 VTE scans per year privately,		Mar 2018		Declare and participate - Dr Hare's private practice activity is outside the scope of this guideline and

			compared with 400-500 per year in NHS (DVT ultrasound plus CTPA)]. Private practice is identical to NHS practice and is fee for service				represents only 1% of Dr Hare's overall practice.
Carol Hooper	Committee member General Practitioner	N/A	None declared	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Daniel Horner	Committee member Physician with a special interest in vascular disease	Direct, financial	Received honoraria from the local organising committee for acting as training faculty and speaking on venous thromboembolic disease at VTE conference, Dublin, 2017	Sep 2017	Dec 2017	Sep 2017	Declare and participate – non-commercial funding linked to educational activity
Daniel Horner	Committee member Physician with a special interest in vascular disease	Direct, financial	Appointed to the role of Royal College of Emergency Medicine professor in October 2018. This comes with support costs of £5000/year for use to support academic work and progression of	Oct 2018	May 2018	N/A	Declare and participate – Dr Horner's role constitutes a broad interest in the area but not specific enough to this update to cause concern

			academia in Emergency Medicine.				
Daniel Horner	Committee member Physician with a special interest in vascular disease	Direct, non-financial professional and personal	Panel member on the British Thoracic Society guideline development committee for the outpatient management of acute pulmonary embolism, formed in 2014.	2014	11/12/2017		Declare and participate
Daniel Horner	Committee member Physician with a special interest in vascular disease	Direct, financial	Speaker at Thrombosis UK VTE conference day. Subject matter was research interests only.	May 2019	May 2019	May 2019	Declare and participate - Expenses only. Not specific to any topic covered in the scope of the guideline.
Daniel Horner	Committee member Physician with a special interest in vascular disease	Indirect financial	HTA funded research project on the use of risk assessment tools to guide thromboprophylaxis in hospitalised inpatients. There is no funding attached other than that awarded by the HTA.	Jul 2019	May 2019	N/A	Declare and participate - Not specific to any topic covered in the scope of the guideline.
Nigel Langford	Committee member General Physician	N/A	None declared	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Terry McCormack	Committee member General Practitioner	Direct, financial	Visiting lecturer, University of Warwick. Fees received cover expenses. Topic of lecture Atrial Fibrillation	Nov 2018	Nov 2018	N/A	Declare and participate - Expenses only. Not specific to any topic covered in the scope of the guideline.
Terry McCormack	Committee member General Practitioner	Direct, non-financial professional and personal	Presented a hypertension case study, at a conference at University of Nottingham. No fee/expenses paid	Nov 2018	Nov 2018	N/A	Declare and participate - Not specific to any topic covered in the scope of the guideline.
Terry McCormack	Committee member General Practitioner	Direct, non-financial professional and personal	Hypertension Case History Presentation at Primary Care Cardiovascular Society Meeting	May 2019	May 2019	May 2019	Declare and participate - Not specific to any topic covered in the scope of the guideline.
Terry McCormack	Committee member General Practitioner	Indirect - financial	Principal investigator for CLEAR Outcomes, a Bempedoic acid outcome study. Sponsored by Esperion with funding going to Whitby Group Practice research fund.	Mar 2019	May 2019	N/A	Declare and participate - Not specific to any topic covered in the scope of the guideline.

Terry McCormack	Committee member General Practitioner	Direct - financial	Consultancy fee received from AMGEN for an advisory board on lipid treatments	June 2019	Sept 2019	June 2019	Declare and participate - Not specific to any topic covered in the scope of the guideline.
Terry McCormack	Committee member General Practitioner	Indirect - financial	Principal investigator for Vesalius, a PCSK9 inhibitor (lipid treatment) outcome study. Sponsored by AMGEN with funding going to Whitby Group Practice research fund	Aug 2019	Sept 2019	Ongoing	Declare and participate - Not specific to any topic covered in the scope of the guideline.
Terry McCormack	Committee member General Practitioner	Direct, non-financial professional and personal	Delivered lecture regarding VTE at the Issues and Answers Conference, Nottingham University Conference Centre. No fee involved	Nov 2019	Jan 2020	N/A	Declare and participate
Simon McPherson	Committee member Radiologist	Direct, Financial	Private practice – Medical Imaging for the diagnosis of thrombo-embolism [approximately 6 patients per year]. Insertion or removal of Inferior Vena Cava Filters	Mar 1998	Feb 2018	N/A	Declare and participate – Private practice in this area is a small proportion of the Dr McPherson’s overall practice and mirrors his NHS work. Based on the need for Dr McPherson’s expertise

			<p>[less than one patient per year].</p> <p>Private practice is identical to NHS practice and is fee for service</p>				and a view that the potential for gain is minimal, in this instance NICE has confirmed that Dr McPherson can continue to participate fully.
Karen Sheares	<p>Committee member</p> <p>Physician with a special interest in vascular disease</p>	Direct, Financial	<p>Educational support from Actelion (note: acquired by Janssen of Johnson and Johnson in June 2017) for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> . American Thoracic Society Annual Meeting in Washington May 2017 – registration fee, travel and accommodation . Registration fee to attend the International Chronic Thromboembolic Pulmonary Hypertension Conference June 2017 in Leuven, Belgium . Skills, Excellence and Leadership in Pulmonary 	May 2017	Sep 2017	N/A	Declare and participate - Registration fee, travel and subsistence only

			Hypertension Clinical Leadership Training Programme with the University of Cambridge Judge Business School from Nov 2017				
Karen Sheares	Committee member Physician with a special interest in vascular disease	Direct, non-financial professional and personal	Panel member on the British Thoracic Society guideline development committee for the outpatient management of acute pulmonary embolism, formed in 2014.	2014	Jun 2018	N/A	Declare and participate
Karen Sheares	Committee member Physician with a special interest in vascular disease	Direct, financial	Pulmonary embolism reviewer for the National Confidential Enquiry into Patient Outcome and Death	Jun 2018	Jul 2018	N/A	Declare and participate - Travel and subsistence only
Karen Sheares	Committee member Physician with a special interest in vascular disease	Direct, financial	Presented an update on Pulmonary Hypertension at Peterborough General Hospital	Nov 2018	Nov 2018	N/A	Declare and participate - Travel only

Karen Sheares	Committee member Physician with a special interest in vascular disease	Direct, financial	Lecture at the British Thoracic Society meeting on "Who and how to follow patients after an acute PE".	Jun 2019	Jun 2019	Jun 2019	Declare and participate - Travel only. Not specific to any topic covered in the scope of the guideline.
Karen Sheares	Committee member Physician with a special interest in vascular disease	Indirect financial	Collaborator in an application to the NIHR for a trial "Stopping anticoagulation for isolated or incidental sub-segmental pulmonary embolism". This is being considered at present.	2019	May 2019	N/A	Declare and participate - Not specific to any topic covered in the scope of the guideline.
Karen Sheares	Committee member Physician with a special interest in vascular disease	Direct, non-financial professional and personal	Poster presentation 'A single centre experience of low dose DOAC after unprovoked venous thromboembolism', at the European Respiratory Society congress Sept 2019.	Sep 2019	Sep 2019	Sep 2019	Declare and participate
Karen Sheares	Committee member Physician with a special interest in vascular disease	Direct, non-financial professional and personal	Letter published entitled: Real world experience at a single centre using low dose direct oral anticoagulants after unprovoked venous thromboembolism in Br J	Sep 2019	Sep 2019	N/A	Declare and participate

			Haematol. 2019 Aug;186(3): e39-e41. Thomas W, Symington E, Besser M and Sheares K.				
Karen Sheares	Committee member Physician with a special interest in vascular disease	Direct, financial	Educational support from Actelion (part of Johnson & Johnson) to attend the annual European Respiratory Society congress	Sep 2019	Sep 2019	Oct 2019	Declare and participate -Registration, travel and accommodation. Not specific to any topic covered in the scope of the guideline.
Karen Sheares	Committee member	Direct, non-financial professional and personal	Committee member for Actelion on 'Unmet need in chronic thromboembolic pulmonary hypertension'	Oct 2019	Oct 2019	N/A	Declare and participate - Not specific to any topic covered in the scope of the guideline.
Karen Sheares	Committee member	Direct, financial	Scientific advisory board on "Chronic thromboembolic pulmonary hypertension unmet need" Payment from Actelion (part of Johnson & Johnson)	Oct 2019	Jan 2020	N/A	Declare and participate - Not specific to any topic covered in the scope of the guideline.
Karen Sheares	Committee member	Direct, financial	Speaker's fee for lecture/workshop entitled "Your patient's PE hasn't completely gone away but they don't have pulmonary hypertension. What to do next and when". Speaker's fee	Nov 2019	Jan 2020	N/A	Declare and participate - Not specific to any topic covered in the scope of the guideline

			form Actelion (part of Johnson & Johnson). CONNECT meeting: joining the dots from acute PE to chronic thromboembolic pulmonary vascular disease				
Hazel Trender	Committee member Specialist Nurse	Direct, financial	Registration fee for Venous Forum meeting paid by Urgo (wound company)	Jun 2018	May 2018	N/A	Declare and participate (Registration fee only)
Astrid Ullrich-Boereboom	Committee member Lay member	Direct, non-financial professional and personal	Ambassador for Anticoagulation UK	N/A	Feb 2018	N/A	Declare and participate
Astrid Ullrich-Boereboom	Committee member Lay member	Direct, non-financial professional and personal	Presented a patient story during a training day for junior doctors. Arranged by the charity thrombosis UK. No expenses/fees	Oct 2018	Nov 2018	N/A	Declare and participate