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Provisional Single Technology Appraisal (STA)

Bendamustine for the treatment of non-Hodgkin's lymphoma

Provisional matrix of consultees and commentators

Consultees	Commentators (no right to submit or appeal)
Manufacturers/sponsors	General
 Napp Pharmaceuticals 	Board of Community Health Councils in
(bendamustine)	Wales
(**************************************	British National Formulary
Patient/carer groups	Commissioning Support Appraisals
Afiya Trust	Service
African Caribbean Leukaemia Trust	Department of Health, Social Services
 Anthony Nolan Bone Marrow Trust 	and Public Safety for Northern Ireland
Black Health Agency	Medicines and Healthcare products
CANCERactive	Regulatory Agency
Cancer Black Care	National Association of Primary Care
Cancer Equality	National Public Health Service for
Chinese National Healthy Living	Wales
Centre	NHS Alliance
Confederation of Indian Organisations	NHS Confederation
Counsel and Care	NHS Purchasing and Supply Agency
Equalities National Council	NHS Quality Improvement Scotland Constant
Helen Rollason Heal Cancer Charity	Scottish Medicines Consortium
Lymphoma Association	Possible comparator manufacturors
Leukaemia CARE Leukaemia CARE Leukaemia CARE	Possible comparator manufacturersActavis UK (fludarabine)
Leukaemia Society (UK) Magazillar Conner Support	Baxter Healthcare (mitoxantrone)
Macmillan Cancer Support Maggie's Centres	Bayer (fludarabine)
Maggie's CentresMarie Curie Cancer Care	Cephalon (doxorubicin)
 Marie Curie Cancer Care Muslim Council of Great Britain 	Eli Lilly and Company (vincristine)
Muslim Health Network	GlaxoSmithKline (chlorambucil)
National Cancer Alliance	Hameln Pharmaceuticals (doxorubicin)
National Council for Palliative Care	Hospira UK (dexamethasone,
 South Asian Health Foundation 	doxorubicin, mitoxantrone, vincristine)
Specialised Healthcare Alliance	Medac UK (doxorubicin)
Sue Ryder Care	Organon Laboratories (dexamethasone)
Tenovus	Pfizer (cyclophosphamide, doxorubicin)
1 3.13	Roche Products (rituximab)
Professional groups	Schering-Plough (doxorubicin)
Association of Cancer Physicians	Teva UK (doxorubicin, fludarabine,

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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.

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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.

The manufacturer/sponsor of the technology is invited to make an evidence submission, respond to consultations and has the right to appeal against the Final Appraisal Determination (FAD).

All non-manufacturer/sponsor consultees are invited to submit a statement¹, respond to consultations, nominate clinical specialists or patient experts and have the right to appeal against the Final Appraisal Determination (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: 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 commentators are invited to nominate clinical specialists or patient experts.

Evidence Review Group (ERG)

An independent academic group commissioned by the National Institute for Health Research (NIHR) Health Technology Assessment Programme (HTA Programme) to assist the Appraisal Committee in reviewing the manufacturer/sponsor evidence submission to the Institute.

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