Patient organisation submission

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| Thank you for agreeing to give us your organisation’s views on this technology and its possible use in the NHS.  You can provide a unique perspective on conditions and their treatment that is not typically available from other sources.  To help you give your views, please use this questionnaire with our guide for patient submissions.  You do not have to answer every question – they are prompts to guide you. The text boxes will expand as you type.  **Information on completing this submission**   * Please do not embed documents (such as a PDF) in a submission because this may lead to the information being mislaid or make the submission unreadable * We are committed to meeting the requirements of copyright legislation. If you intend to include **journal articles** in your submission you must have copyright clearance for these articles. We can accept journal articles in NICE Docs. * Your response should not be longer than 10 pages. |

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| **About you** | |
| 1.Your name |  |
| 2. Name of organisation |  |
| 3. Job title or position |  |
| 4a. Brief description of the organisation (including who funds it). How many members does it have? |  |
| 4b. Do you have any direct or indirect links with, or funding from, the tobacco industry? |  |
| 5. How did you gather information about the experiences of patients and carers to include in your submission? |  |
| Living with the condition | |
| 6. What is it like to live with the condition? What do carers experience when caring for someone with the condition? |  |
| Current treatment of the condition in the NHS | |
| 7. What do patients or carers think of current treatments and care available on the NHS? |  |
| 8. Is there an unmet need for patients with this condition? |  |
| Advantages of the technology | |
| 9. What do patients or carers think are the advantages of the technology? |  |
| Disadvantages of the technology | |
| 10. What do patients or carers think are the disadvantages of the technology? |  |
| **Patient population** | |
| 11. Are there any groups of patients who might benefit more or less from the technology than others? If so, please describe them and explain why. |  |
| Equality | |
| 12. Are there any potential [equality issues](https://www.nice.org.uk/about/who-we-are/policies-and-procedures/nice-equality-scheme) that should be taken into account when considering this condition and the technology? |  |
| Other issues | |
| 13. Are there any other issues that you would like the committee to consider? |  |
| Topic-specific questions | |
| 14. To be added by technical team at scope sign off. Note that topic-specific questions will be added only if the treatment pathway or likely use of the technology remains uncertain after scoping consultation, for example if there were differences in opinion; this is not expected to be required for every appraisal.]  **if there are none delete highlighted rows and renumber below** |  |
| Key messages | |
| 15. In up to 5 bullet points, please summarise the key messages of your submission: | |

Thank you for your time.

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