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Interventional Procedures Advisory Committee

Minutes of the Committee’s 145th meeting held at 10:30 on Thursday 11 February 2016 at Royal College of General Practitioners, 30 Euston Square, London, NW1 2FB

PRESENT:
Dr Tom Clutton-Brock (Chair)
Mr Barrie White (Vice Chair)
Mr Michael Aitchison
Dr Zahida Adam
Ms Sue Bennett
Dr Nicholas Chalmers
Dr Andrew Cook
Mr Chris Cunningham
Ms Sohier El-Neil
Dr Anthony Emerson
Miss Rosemary Harris
Mr Stephen Holmberg
Mr Colin Howie
Mr Tim Jackson
Dr Janet McComb
Ms Karen McCutcheon
Dr Neil McGuire
Dr James Tysome
Professor Keith Wheatley

In Attendance
NICE Staff:
Mrs Bijal Joshi, Project Manager, TA
Ms Hawra Abu Gulal - Coordinator, IPP
Mrs Helen Gallo-Analyst, IPP
Mr Hanif Ali – IP Apprentice
Dr Ignacio Malagon
Professor Kevin Harris - Consultant Clinical Advisor, IPP
Ms Lakshmi Mandava - Analyst, IPP
Mrs Mirella Marlow - Programme Director, IPP
Professor John Powell, Consultant Clinical Advisor, IPP
Mrs Vassilia Verdiel - Analyst IPP

Observers: None

Apologies: Peter Murphy
Chris Carroll
Kieran Murphy
David Sissling
Confirmed

Note: The order in which the Committee took items of business at the meeting might differ from the agenda

**Introduction to the meeting**

The Chairman welcomed the Committee Members and observers.

There are no public attendees present at this meeting for all procedures, therefore part 2 was not declared.

1. **Any Other Business**

   The Chairman informed the Committee regarding:
   
   - Publication of new programme manual on 1 February 2016 – upcoming company involvement
   - **IP1340 Single-anastomosis duodeno-ileal bypass with sleeve gastrectomy (SADI-S) for treating severe obesity** - a revised questionnaire received from the Specialist Adviser James Byrne was tabled
   - **IP1301 Balloon Pulmonary Angioplasty for Chronic Thromboembolic Pulmonary Hypertension** - an updated version of the audit tool was tabled
   - **Academy of Medical Royal Colleges “Choosing Wisely” Initiative** – Dr Clutton-Brock had spoken recently at a Senate of Surgery event.

2. **Minutes of previous meeting**

   Members accepted these as a correct record.

3. **Matters arising**

   None

4. **Agenda changes**

   None

5. **NICE’s Advisory Body guide to declaring a conflict of interest**

   The Chairman drew the Committee’s attention to NICE’s advisory body quick guide for declaring conflicts of interest.

6. **Briefs for procedures for future assessment**

   None
7. **Newly Notified Procedures**

**IP892/2 Percutaneous endoscopic catheter laser balloon pulmonary vein isolation for atrial fibrillation**

No conflicts of interest were declared for this procedure.

The Committee was asked whether there were any equalities issues to consider in relation to this procedure.

Introduced by Colin Howie and Janet McComb

The Committee made its provisional recommendations on the safety and efficacy of the procedure.

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**IP408/3 Extracorporeal carbon dioxide removal for acute hypercapnic respiratory failure**

No conflicts of interest were declared for this procedure.

The Committee was asked whether there were any equalities issues to consider in relation to this procedure.

Introduced by Keith Wheatley and Tom Clutton-Brock

The Committee made its provisional recommendations on the safety and efficacy of the procedure.

**IP1340 Single-anastomosis duodeno-ileal bypass with sleeve gastrectomy (SADI-S) for treating severe obesity**

Andrew Cook declared a personal specific financial interest and left the meeting for this item.

The Committee was asked whether there were any equalities issues to consider in relation to this procedure.

Introduced by Karen McCutcheon and Chris Cunningham

The Committee made its provisional recommendations on the safety and efficacy of the procedure.

8. **Public Consultation comments**

**IP1301 Balloon Pulmonary Angioplasty for Chronic Thromboembolic Pulmonary Hypertension**

No conflicts of interest were declared for this procedure.
The Committee was asked whether there were any equalities issues to consider in relation to this procedure.

Introduced by Janet McComb

The Committee considered the consultation comments and made changes to section 1.3.

The Committee upheld its decision on the safety and efficacy of the procedure.

IP 1223 Percutaneous transforaminal endoscopic lumbar discectomy for sciatica

No conflicts of interest were declared for this procedure

The Committee was asked whether there were any equalities issues to consider in relation to this procedure.

Introduced by Barrie White

The Committee considered the consultation comments and made no changes.

The Committee upheld its decision on the safety and efficacy of the procedure.

IP1296 Percutaneous interlaminar endoscopic lumbar discectomy for sciatica

No conflicts of interest were declared for this procedure

The Committee was asked whether there were any equalities issues to consider in relation to this procedure.

Introduced by Barrie White

The Committee considered the consultation comments and made no changes.

The Committee upheld its decision on the safety and efficacy of the procedure.

IP 381/3 Microwave ablation for treating liver metastases

No conflicts of interest were declared for this procedure

The Committee was asked whether there were any equalities issues to consider in relation to this procedure.

Introduced by Nick Chalmers

The Committee considered the consultation comments and made changes to sections 1.3 and 2.2.

The Committee upheld its decision on the safety and efficacy of the procedure.
9. **Other meeting matters**

None

10. **Date of the next meeting**

The 146th meeting of the Interventional Procedures Advisory Committee will be held on **Friday 4 March 2016**, and will start promptly at 1030. The meeting will be held at **Prince of Wales Suite, 10 Spring Gardens, London, SW1A 2BU**

The meeting ended at **14:44**