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Interventional Procedures Advisory Committee

Minutes of the Committee’s 161st meeting held at 10:30 on Thursday 14 September 2017 at ETC Venues, Prospero House, 241 Borough High Street, London, SE1 1GA

PRESENT:
Dr Tom Clutton – Brock (Chair)
Dr Andrew Cook
Dr Anthony Emmerson
Mr Alistair Jenkins
Mr Chris Cunningham
Dr Dhiraj Tripathi
Dr James Tysome
Prof Keith Wheatley
Mr Kieran Murphy
Dr Neil McGuire
Mrs Rosemary Harris
Mrs Sally Brearley
Mr Tim Jackson
Dr Zahida Adam
Dr Julie Gregory

In Attendance
NICE Staff:
Ms Hawra Abu Gulal - Programme Manager, IPP
Mrs Helen Gallo- Analyst, IPP
Professor Kevin Harris - Programme Director Clinical Advisor, IPP
Dr Ignacio Malagon – Consultant Clinical Advisor, IPP
Mr Rui Martins – Analyst, IPP
Professor John Powell, Consultant Clinical Advisor, IPP
Mrs Vassilia Verdiel - Analyst IPP
Ms Helen Barnett - Senior Medical Editor
Miss Chloe Kastoryano - Public Involvement Adviser, PIP
Ms Deonee Stanislaus – Administrator (Temp), IPP

Observers:
Simran Chawla – Public Involvement Advisor (PIP team at NICE)
Rameez Rahman – Academic FY2 doing NICE Placement for a year with the Interventional Procedures Programme

Apologies:
Mrs Mirella Marlow
Dr Chris Carroll
Mr Colin Howie
Meeting Started at: 10:32

Introduction to the meeting

The Chairman welcomed the Committee Members and observers – Simran Chawla and Rameez Rahman - Observers

The Chairman also welcomed the members of the public and company representatives present at the meeting.

Code of conduct for members of the public and company representatives attending the meeting

The Chairman outlined the code of conduct for the members of the public attending the meeting.

1. Any Other Business

The Chairman informed the Committee of next IPAC Meeting and location

2. Minutes of previous meeting

The Chairman informed the Committee that the minutes from June/July 2017 IPAC meeting will be included in the DIG-IPAC for October 2017 so that IPAC members can review it.

3. Matters arising

None.

4. Agenda changes

The chairman informed the Committee order of IP changed due to Specialist Advisor joining on the phone for IP1544 Aortic valve reconstruction with processed bovine pericardium at 10.40 am.
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.

7. **Newly Notified Procedures**

**IP1544 Aortic valve reconstruction with processed bovine pericardium**

The discussion on **IP1544 Aortic valve reconstruction with processed bovine pericardium** started at 10.40 am

Cesare Castro joined via teleconference at time **10.40**

No conflicts of interest were declared for this procedure

Introduced by **Keith Wheatley** and **SA on the phone**

The Chairman declared a Part Two and specialist adviser on the phone **Cesare Castro**, members of the public left the meeting at **11:17**

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

The discussion on **IP1544 Aortic valve reconstruction with processed bovine pericardium** ended at **11:42**

The members of the public returned at **11:43**.

**IP1531 Ab interno supra-ciliary micro stent insertion for primary open-angle glaucoma**

The discussion on **IP1531 Ab interno supra-ciliary micro stent insertion for primary open-angle glaucoma** started at **11:43**

Conflicts of interest declared for this procedure-

**Dhiraj Tripathi** declared a non-specific (not directly related to the matter under discussion) and non-personal financial interest and stayed for the discussion

**Tim Jackson** declared a non-specific (not directly related to the matter under discussion) and personal financial interest and stayed for the discussion

No other conflicts of interest were declared

Introduced by **Andrew Cook** and **Tim Jackson**

The Chairman declared a Part Two and members of the public left the meeting at **12:06**.
The Committee made its provisional recommendations on the safety and efficacy of the procedure.

The discussion on **IP1531 Ab interno supra-ciliary micro stent insertion for primary open-angle glaucoma** ended at 12:18.

The members of the public returned at 12:24.

8. **Public Consultation comment**

**IP1523 Micro-invasive subconjunctival insertion of a transcleral gelatin stent for primary open-angle glaucoma**

The discussion on **IP1523 Micro-invasive subconjunctival insertion of a transcleral gelatin stent for primary open-angle glaucoma** started at 12:19.

Tim Jackson declared a non-specific (not directly related to the matter under discussion) and personal financial interest and stayed for the discussion.

No other conflicts of interest were declared.

Introduced by **Tim Jackson**

*A considerable amount of new published evidence was noted.*

The Chairman declared a Part Two and members of the public left the meeting at 12:21.

The Committee decided that this procedure should be taken back to the Committee in November 2017 as a Newly Notified Procedure.

The discussion on **IP1523 Micro-invasive subconjunctival insertion of a transcleral gelatin stent for primary open-angle glaucoma** ended at 12:35.

The members of the public returned to the meeting at 13:21.

9. **Newly Notified Procedures**

**IP1536 MRI-guided focused ultrasound thalamotomy for moderate-to-severe tremor in Parkinson’s disease or treatment-resistant essential tremor**

The discussion on **IP1536 MRI-guided focused ultrasound thalamotomy for moderate-to-severe tremor in Parkinson’s disease or treatment-resistant essential tremor** started at 13:24.

No conflicts of interest were declared for this procedure.

Introduced by **Alistair Jenkins** (as Michael Aitchison sent his apologies)

The Chairman declared a Part Two members of the public left the meeting at 14:02.
The Committee made its provisional recommendations on the safety and efficacy of the procedure.

The discussion on IP1536 MRI-guided focused ultrasound thalamotomy for moderate-to-severe tremor in Parkinson’s disease or treatment-resistant essential tremor ended at 14:33

The members of the public returned at 14:34.

10. Public Consultation comments

IP1470 Hypoglossal nerve stimulation for moderate to severe obstructive sleep apnoea

The discussion on IP1470 Hypoglossal nerve stimulation for moderate to severe obstructive sleep apnoea started at 14:34

Conflicts of interest declared for this procedure-

Kieran Murphy declared a non-specific (not directly related to the matter under discussion) and non-personal financial interest and stayed for the discussion

No other conflicts of interest were declared

Introduced by James Tysome

The Committee considered the consultation comments

The following study, identified during consultation, will be added to the main table of the Overview:


The Chairman declared a Part Two and members of the public left the meeting at 15:00

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

The discussion on IP1470 Hypoglossal nerve stimulation for moderate to severe obstructive sleep apnoea ended at 15:07.

The members of the public returned to the meeting at 15:11
IP1524 Processed nerve allograft to repair peripheral nerve discontinuities

The discussion on \textit{IP1524 Processed nerve allograft to repair peripheral nerve discontinuities} started at 15:12

No conflicts of interest were declared for this.

Introduced by \textbf{Tom Clutton-Brock}

The Committee considered the consultation comments

The Chairman declared a Part Two and members of the public left the meeting at 15:30. The Committee then made \textit{changes to section 6.2}. The Committee upheld its decision on the safety and efficacy of the procedure.

The discussion on \textit{IP1524 Processed nerve allograft to repair peripheral nerve discontinuities} ended at 15:35.

IP1528 Total distal radio-ulnar joint replacement for symptomatic joint instability or arthritis

The discussion on \textit{IP1528 Total distal radio-ulnar joint replacement for symptomatic joint instability or arthritis} started at 15:40

No conflicts of interest were declared for this procedure

Introduced by \textbf{Tom Clutton-Brock}

The Committee considered the consultation comments

The Chairman did not declare a Part Two as there were no members of the public or company representatives present.

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

The discussion on \textit{IP1528 Total distal radio-ulnar joint replacement for symptomatic joint instability or arthritis} ended at 15:44

11. \textbf{Briefs of procedures for future assessment}

IP810/2 Low intensity pulsed ultrasound to promote fracture healing

The discussion on \textit{IP810/2 Low intensity pulsed ultrasound to promote fracture healing} started at 15:44

The chair reminded the committee that the equalities and diversity section is in the brief and should be reviewed and commented on as necessary by all the committee
No conflicts of interest were declared for this procedure

Introduced by Tom Clutton-Brock

The title of this procedure did not change.

The Committee advised on the content of the brief for evaluation of this procedure. The discussion on IP810/2 Low intensity pulsed ultrasound to promote fracture healing started at 15:49.

IP1031/2 Endoscopic bipolar radiofrequency ablation for treating biliary obstruction caused by cholangiocarcinoma or pancreatic adenocarcinoma

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The chair reminded the committee that the equalities and diversity section is in the brief and should be reviewed and commented on as necessary by all the committee.

No conflicts of interest were declared for this procedure

Introduced by Tom Clutton-Brock

The title of this procedure did not change

The Committee advised on the content of the brief for evaluation of this procedure

The discussion on IP1031/2 Endoscopic bipolar radiofrequency ablation for treating biliary obstruction caused by cholangiocarcinoma or pancreatic adenocarcinoma started at 15:54

12. Other meeting matters

None.

13. Date of the next meeting

The 162nd meeting of the Interventional Procedures Advisory Committee will be held on Friday 13 October 2017, and will start promptly at 10:30. The meeting will be held at Prince Philip House, 3 Carlton House Terrace, St. James's, London, SW1Y 5DG

The meeting ended at 16:04.