# NATIONAL COLLABORATING CENTRE FOR CANCER (NCC-C)

## Metastatic Malignant Disease of Unknown Primary Origin

# Twelfth Guideline Development Group (GDG) meeting

on Monday 8th and Tuesday 9th September, Board Room, NCC-C Cardiff

## ATTENDEES:

In Attendance	
GDG Members	
Dr Andy Fowell (Chair) (AF)	Dr Richard Osborne (Lead Clinician) (RO)
Dr Kathie Binysh (KB)	Dr Phil Barber (PB)
Dr David Farrugia (DF)	Dr John Symons (JS)
Dr David Brooks (DB)	Dr Ben Taylor (BT)
Prof Archie Malcolm (AM)	Nicola James (NJ) (day 1 only)
Dr Orest Mulka (OM)	Dr Cathie Sturgeon (CS)
Dr Mike Williams (MW)	
NCC-C and Affiliated Staff	
Dr Andrew Champion (AC)	Helen Pearson (HP)
Dr Nathan Bromham (NB)	Bernadette Li (BL) (day 1 only)
Eugenia Priedane (EP)	Dr Paul Shaw (PS) (day 1 only)
Dr John Graham (JG) (day 2 only)	Claire Turner (CT)
Nicole Elliott (NE)	Ann Greenwood (AG)(day 2 only)
Expert Advisors	
Peter Clark (PC)(day 1 only)	Ernie Marshall (EM) (day 1 only)
Apologies received	
Dr Gareth Rees (GR)	Janie Thomas (JT)
Angela Bennett (AB)	Stephanie Arnold (SA)

## **REPORT OF DISCUSSIONS AT THE MEETING**

#### A Welcome and apologies

Apologies were received from Gareth Rees, Janie Thomas, Angela Bennett and Stephanie Arnold. AF welcomed expert advisors for topic 10 EM and PC to the meeting.

## **B** Declarations of interest

No new interests were declared.

#### C Minutes of the last GDG meeting on 21 July 2009

The minutes of the last GDG meeting were agreed as a true and accurate record of the meeting.

#### D Discussion

EM and PC gave presentations on topic 10. The GDG then discussed the issues raised by these presentations and agreed draft recommendations.

JS presented the discussion paper on topic 6. The GDG then discussed this.

EP presented the revised results of the health economic analysis for topic 27 and the GDG discussed these.

# Minutes of 12<sup>th</sup> Metastatic Malignant Disease of Unknown Primary Origin GDG meeting on 8<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> September

The clinical evidence for topics 1, 1A, 24, 27 and 29 were presented to the GDG along with draft recommendations. EP also presented the revised results of the health economic analysis for topic 27. The GDG discussed the evidence and agreed changes to the draft recommendations.

The GDG reviewed the recommendations for all topics and made changes accordingly.

### E Close of meeting

AF thanked members for their input to the meeting, reminded them that the next meeting would be on **Monday 5<sup>th</sup> - Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> October 2009**, starting at 10.45am in the Board Room, NCC-C, Cardiff and closed the meeting.