On 29th October 2009 the Department of Health formally requested the National Institute for Health and Clinical Excellence to prepare a clinical guideline as described in the box below.

**Remit:**

To produce a clinical guideline on the diagnosis and management of lower limb peripheral arterial disease in adults

**Suggested working titles for NICE:**

**Long title:** Lower limb peripheral arterial disease: Diagnosis and management of lower limb peripheral arterial disease in adults

**Short title:** Lower limb peripheral arterial disease