

Date and Time: Tuesday 6th September 2011, from 1000 until 1630

Minutes: Confirmed

Guideline Development Group Meeting 7: Management of psoriasis

Place: National Clinical Guideline Centre, 180 Great Portland Street, London W1W

5QZ

Present: Catherine Smith (Consultant Dermatologist and Senior Lecturer, Chair)

Paul Hepple (General Practitioner) Natasha Smeaton (General Practitioner) Jillian Peters (Dermatology Nurse Practitioner)

Karina Jackson (Nurse Consultant, Dermatology) (via telephone for item

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Richard Warren (Senior Clinical Lecturer and Honorary Consultant

Dermatologist)

Roderick Tucker (Community Pharmacist)

David Chandler (Patient member) Claire Strudwicke (Patient member)

James Ferguson (Expert adviser, Phototherapy) (for item 4 only)

Jill Parnham (Guideline Operations Director, NCGC)

Bernard Higgins (Clinical Director, NCGC)
Laura Sawyer (Senior Health Economist, NCGC)
Ellie Samarasekera (Research Fellow, NCGC)
Nancy Pursey (Senior Project Manager, NCGC)
Katrina Sparrow (Senior Research Fellow, NCGC)

Apologies:

Ruth Murphy (Adult and Paediatric Dermatology Consultant)

Jill Cobb (Information Scientist, NCGC)

Julie Neilson (Senior Research Fellow, NCGC)

In attendance:

NICE Staff:		
NICE attendee 1	Sarah Dunsdon (Guideline Commissioning Manager, NICE)	

Observers

Observer 1	
Observer 2	

Notes

1. Welcome and declarations of interest

The chair welcomed the guideline development group (GDG) to the seventh psoriasis guideline development group meeting. Apologies were received from Ruth Murphy, Jill Cobb and Julie Neilson. The chair requested updates to the declarations of interest and no new interests were declared. The chair reviewed the declarations of interest register and deemed that none were in conflict with the topics under discussion.

2. Draft guideline and recommendations

The GDG were asked to provide feedback on the draft guideline and draft recommendations to date.

3. First review question for GDG6

The GDG reviewed the evidence for comorbidities in people with psoriasis.

4. Second review question for GDG7

The GDG reviewed the evidence for psoriasis treatments and risk of skin cancer.

5. Health economic analysis

The GDG discussed progress with health economic analysis.

6. Protocols for remaining questions

The GDG finalised protocols for two of the remaining questions.

7. Review GDG6 meeting minutes

The GDG agreed the minutes that the minutes of GDG6 were a true and accurate record of the meeting.

8. Any other business

None.

Date, time and venue of the next meeting

GDG8 & 9, 10th & 11th September 2011, from 1000 until 1630, Boardroom, National Clinical Guideline Centre, 5th Floor, 180 Great Portland Street, London W1W 5QZ.