

Date and Time: *Wednesday 26th February 2014, 10:00 – 16:00*

Minutes: Confirmed

Guideline Development Group Meeting

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Place: Boardroom, NCGC, 180 Great Portland Street, London W1W 5QZ

Present: Abdallah Al-Mohammad, Consultant Cardiologist & Honorary Senior Clinical Lecturer
 Peter Bolton, Patient member
 Jane Butler, Heart Failure Consultant Nurse
 Saskia Cheyne, Project Manager, NCGC
 Katharina Dworzynski, Senior Research Fellow, NCGC
 Ahmet Fuat, General Practitioner (Co-optee)
 Edward Griffin, Health Economist, NCGC
 Suzanna Hardman, Consultant Cardiologist
 Nicholas Ioannou, Consultant in Critical Care & Anaesthesia
 Jason Kendall, Consultant in Emergency Medicine
 Andrew Ludman, Specialist Trainee Adviser
 Jonathan Mant, GDG Chair, Professor of Primary Care Research
 John McMurray, Professor of Medical Cardiology
 Su Park, Research Fellow, NCGC
 Tanzeem Raza, Consultant Physician in Acute Medicine
 Gill Ritchie, Operations Director, NCGC
 Dave Wonderling, Head of Health Economics, NCGC
 Pamela Young, Scientific Adviser, NIHR [Item 5 only]

In attendance:

NICE Staff:		
NICE attendee 1	Caroline Keir	Guidelines Commissioning Manager
NICE attendee 2	Annette Mead	Senior Medical Editor

Notes

- Welcome and declarations of interest**
 The Chair welcomed the group to the fourteenth meeting of this GDG. The Chair welcomed Ahmed Fuat to the meeting, a General Practitioner co-opted expert adviser. The Chair asked all GDG members to declare any relevant conflicts of interest.
- Agree GDG12&13 minutes.**

Notes

The minutes of the last meeting of this group were agreed as a true and accurate account of the meeting.

3. **Review linking evidence to recommendations.**

The GDG reviewed the draft linking evidence to recommendations tables.

4. **Recommendations**

The GDG reviewed the draft recommendations for the guideline.

5. **Research recommendations**

The GDG reviewed the draft research recommendations for the guideline.

6. **Any other business:** None.

Date, time and venue of the next meeting

GDG 15: July 1st 2014, 10:00 – 16:00, Boardroom, NCGC, 180 Great Portland Street, London W1W 5QZ