

***National Collaborating Centre for  
Women's and Children's Health***

**11<sup>th</sup> Diarrhoea and Vomiting in Children Guideline Development Group Meeting  
Minutes  
Wednesday, 14<sup>th</sup> May 2008; 10 – 4pm at NICE**

**Present:**

M Stephen Murphy (MSM)	Consultant Paediatric Gastroenterologist, Senior Lecturer in Paediatrics & Child Health and GDG Chair
Alastair Hay (AH)	General Practitioner/Consultant Senior Lecturer in Primary Health Care
Dianne Cook (DCo)	GP Practice Nurse/Community Nurse
Ed Abrahamson (EA)	Paediatric A & E Specialist
Jenny Taylor (JT)	Paediatric Nurse Practitioner
Narynder Johal (NJ)	Parent/Carer Representative
Robert Moy (RM)	Community Paediatrician and Senior Lecturer in Child Health
Simon Minford (SM)	Advanced Paediatric Nurse Practitioner (APNP) and Lecturer
John Crimmins (JC)	General Practitioner
Julie Marriott (JM)	Parent/Carer Representative
Dick Churchill (DCh)	General Practitioner
Enid Povey (EP)	NHS Representative/Remote Assessment Nurse
Nigel Meadows (NM)	Gastroenterologist
Saul Faust (SF)	Consultant in Paediatric Infectious Disease and Senior Lecturer

**NCC staff:**

Rajesh Khanna (RK)	Senior Research Fellow
Shona Burman-Roy (SBR)	Research Fellow
Alyson Huntley (AHu)	Freelance Researcher
Ana Palanca (AP)	Research Fellow
Paul Jacklin (PJ)	Senior Health Economist
Itrat Iqbal (II)	Trainee Health Economist
Rosie Crossley (RC)	Work Programme Co-ordinator
Monica Lakhanpaul (ML)	Co-Director (Children's Health)

**In attendance:**

Caroline Keir (CK)	Commissioning Manager, NICE
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**Apologies:**

Gyan Sinha (GS)

General Paediatrician

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**1. Welcome and apologies**

MSM welcomed the group to the meeting. Apologies were received from GS.

**Declarations of interest**

No new conflicts of interest were declared. Declarations of interest are kept on file at the NCC-WCH and will be published in the full guideline.

**Minutes of meetings 9 & 10**

Several changes were suggested to the minutes of meeting 9 & 10.

AHu arrives

**Introduction to new team**

ML introduced the new members of the technical team.

**2. Clinical question 13a on effectiveness of other agents**

JCr arrives

The evidence for question 13a was presented and discussed amongst the group. Recommendations and research recommendations were drafted live. Further work on the recommendations will be undertaken and represented to the GDG.

**3. Clinical questions 4a + 4b on investigations during assessment of child with GE**

The evidence for questions 4a and 4b was presented and discussed. Given the lack of evidence, the guidance would have to be derived from a GDG consensus. This topic generally would need to be dealt with taking into account the considerations and decisions regarding question 1 on Diagnosis and Assessment. The group would need to return to it when clinical diagnosis was dealt with.

**4. Presentation of clinical question 14 on information and advice**

Presentations were given relating to the parent/carer perspective.

The group discussed possible formats for giving information and advice to parents and carers.

5. Health economics presentation

This section was deferred.

6. Presentation of clinical question 15 on information and advice on prevention of primary spread

A presentation was given on evidence regarding the prevention of primary spread.

It was agreed that in this area the guideline could signpost other NICE and DoH guidance.

A nominated GDG member would put together a draft section for this question.

7. AOB

MSM thanked the participants for attending and closed the meeting.

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**12<sup>th</sup> Diarrhoea and Vomiting in Children Guideline Development Group Meeting  
Minutes**

**Thursday, 15<sup>th</sup> May 2008; 10 – 4pm at Birkbeck**

**Present:**

M Stephen Murphy (MSM)	Consultant Paediatric Gastroenterologist, Senior Lecturer in Paediatrics & Child Health and GDG Chair
Alastair Hay (AH)	General Practitioner/Consultant Senior Lecturer in Primary Health Care
Ed Abrahamson (EA)	Paediatric A & E Specialist
Jenny Taylor (JT)	Paediatric Nurse Practitioner
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John Crimmins (JC)	General Practitioner
Julie Marriott (JM)	Parent/Carer Representative
Dick Churchill (DCh)	General Practitioner
Enid Povey (EP)	NHS Representative/Remote Assessment Nurse
Nigel Meadows (NM)	Gastroenterologist

**NCC staff:**

**Confirmed  
V1.1**

**30.06.08**

**Amended by RC**

Robert Shaw (RS)	Chairman of the NCC-WCH Board
Rajesh Khanna (RK)	Senior Research Fellow
Shona Burman-Roy (SBR)	Research Fellow
Alyson Huntley (AHu)	Freelance Researcher
Ana Palanca (AP)	Research Fellow
Paul Jacklin (PJ)	Senior Health Economist
Itrat Iqbal (II)	Trainee Health Economist
Rosie Crossley (RC)	Work Programme Co-ordinator
Monica Lakhanpaul (ML)	Co-Director (Children's Health)
Andrew Welsh (AW)	Scientific and medical copy-editing, project management and typesetting, NCC-WCH

**In attendance:**

Caroline Keir (CK)	Commissioning Manager, NICE
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**Apologies:**

Gyan Sinha (GS)	General Paediatrician
Saul Faust (SF)	Consultant in Paediatric Infectious Disease and Senior Lecturer
Dianne Cook (DCo)	GP Practice Nurse/Community Nurse

**1. Welcome and apologies**

MSM welcomed the group and introduced RS, the Chairman of the NCC-WCH Board. Apologies were received from SF, DCo and GS.

Much of the day's work was to be spent re-visiting several areas of the guideline.

**2. Evidence for clinical question 12 on nutrition and other therapies**

The evidence for nutrition and other therapies was presented. The GDG was due to return back to this question later in the day's agenda.

**3. Drafting final chapters**

RK gave a presentation on good practice with regard to recommendations. He used the guideline on Otitis Media with Effusion as a model.

The GDG then divided up into three working groups to review recommendations and translations.

RS left the meeting and EA arrived

**4. Revisit clinical questions 3 + 5 on diagnosis and assessment**

**Confirmed**

**V1.1**

**30.06.08**

**Amended by RC**

The translations and recommendations were presented and reviewed by the GDG collectively.

EP left the meeting and CK arrived

The translation was amended but not completed. The Topic Group would do some further work, and the GDG will have an opportunity to comment when the draft guideline was circulated.

**5. Revisit clinical questions 11 + 12 on nutritional management**

Recommendations and translations were again presented to the group and discussed.

The Topic Group would do further work on this section and would send to RK.

**6. AOB**

The group agreed that for the next few meetings they were prepared to work until 5pm.

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Signed:..... Date:.....  
Monica Lakhanpaul, Clinical Co-Director (Children's Health)

Signed:..... Date:.....  
Stephen Murphy, D&V GDG Chairman