

National Institute for Health and Clinical Excellence

Clinical guideline: Childhood Constipation

PRE-PUBLICATION CHECK ERROR TABLE

Organisation	Order number	Section number in FULL guideline	Page number	ERROR REPORT	Response
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	1	GDG Members	1	<i>Prof David Candy's affiliations are Western Sussex Hospitals NHS Trust and the Royal Alexandra Children's Hospital, Brighton, East Sussex</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	2	GDG Members	2	childrenand	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	3	Table 4	6	<i>Macrogol 3350 (polyethylene glycol 3350): 13.125 g, sodium bicarbonate 178.5 mg, sodium chloride 350.7 mg, potassium chloride 46.6 mg/sachet (unflavoured is used for children over 12 years. There is a line in the proofs which separates this preparation from recommendations for 12-18 years and brackets it with 5-12 years in whom MPP is used. See also Table 4 page 14, page 88.</i>	Thank you, this line has been removed
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	4	Table 2	10	<i>Remove space in: (within 48 hours</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	5		11	<i>perianal streptococcus = perianal streptococcal infection or perianal cellulitis. See also 3.1 page 39.</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	6	2.3	24	<i>ALPASC = ALSPAC. FAP mentioned twice. See also page 45, 46. Check alphabetical order EMA-FNRFI.</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	7		25	<i>ACE can also be placed in the sigmoid colon</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS	8		26	<i>Functional heartburn not in Rome III</i>	Thank you for your comment. Functional heartburn is

Trust					included in the Rome III criteria
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	9	3.1	35	<i>small pellets would not be palpable in the abdomen Pediatrics 2009; 123:(3)841-8.</i>	Thank you for your comment. We agree, but this is how the information was presented in the paper and so we have left this sentence as it stands
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	10	3.1 Table 1	36	<i>Stool patterns: the Bristol Stool Form Scale identifies the consistency of the stool not the frequency</i>	Thank you, the table has been amended to make it clearer by specifically referring to the types of stools
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	11	3.2	42	<i>'Hirschsprung's disease.For a digital' insert space before For.</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	12	3.2	45	<i>'immunofluorescence' = immunofluoresence</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	13	4.3	46	<i>The odds ratios quoted in paragraph 1 all favour more GI symptoms in IgA-EMA positive children. By separating constipation ('Aside from constipation) the text implies that only constipation (OR 1.48) and multiple GI symptoms (OR 2.45) were significantly commoner in IgA-EMA children. Suggest changing 'Aside from' to 'As well as'. This is clarified in the Evidence Statement on page 47.</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	14	4.3	46	<i>aphtae = aphthae</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	15	4.4	49	<i>'15 of whom had HD' – presumably 5.</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	16	4.6	58	<i>'defection' presumably defaecation.</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	17	4.6	62	<i>'andthat'</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	18	4.6	63	<i>'gastro-intestine' = gastrointestinal tract</i>	Thank you, this has been amended

Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	19	4.7	70 Line 40	<i>Children with slow transit constipation have a faster transit time (11.2±1.9 (7.5 to 16.3) than controls (15.7±3.3 (7.3 to 40 19.1),</i>	Thank you for your comment. We recognise that this section is unclear. The mean figure relates to the geometric centre which is a measure of radioactivity. A higher number indicates a faster transit time. Further clarification has been added to the text
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	20	Table 4.5	72	'Paeditraic'.	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	21	Table 4.5	74	<i>Vattimo, 1994 column width needs adjusting.</i>	Thank you, we recognise that the column width for this table is not ideal as words are split onto two lines. However, in order to fit the table into the document, it is not possible to stretch the tables further.
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	22	4.8	76	<i>'faecal constipation' ? meaning</i>	Thank you, we have deleted the word "faecal" for clarity
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	23	5.1	82	<i>'%children' – two occasions</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	24	5.2	90	<i>'Theyare'</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	25	5.2	99	<i>'case' = casei</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	26	5.2	100	<i>'108' = 10⁸ see also page 127</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	27	5.2	100	<i>'5days' = 5 days</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS	28	5.2	100	<i>'Children taking placebo ... either 18 MgO or placebo' = Children taking placebo ... either 18</i>	Thank you, this has been amended

Trust				<i>MgO or probiotic</i>	
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	29	5.2	104	<i>'electrolytesused'</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	30	5.2	104	<i>'electrolyte's' = electrolytes</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	31	5.3	107	<i>MiraLax® is used throughout guideline but not other trade names such as Forlax (widely used in France), Idrolax etc. Presumably PEG 4000 without electrolytes is Forlax. The ® symbol is only required after first mention.</i>	Thank you for your comment, we have now removed brand names throughout the guideline where possible
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	32	5.3	108	<i>'asses'</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	33	5.3	108	<i>'polyethylene glycol (PEG)' = PEG</i>	Thank you for your comment. We felt that it was appropriate to spell out this abbreviation
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	34	5.3	109	<i>'USA⁸²' = USA⁸²</i>	Thank you for your comment. The spacing of all of the reference numbers will be checked and amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	35	5.3	109	<i>'an American study and they generally use Miralax®' suggest: a study from USA where Miralax is generally used.</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	36	5.3	111	<i>'not treatment' = no treatment</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	37	5.3	112	<i>Unclear how 20 children randomised to lactulose could have 'anal oil leakage'. See also p113, p115.</i>	Thank you for your comment. We have reported this information as it was presented in the paper
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	38	5.3	112	<i>'as did the children' = than did the children</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	39	5.3	119	<i>'bysacodil' = bisacodyl</i>	Thank you, this has been amended

Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	40	5.4	120	<i>The paragraph on goat milk seems out of place. And should be with the section on cow milk free diet.</i>	Thank you for your comment. We have included this paragraph in the introduction to set out the current policy in this area
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	41	5.4	121	<i>(GOS and lcfOS) should be defined in Abbreviations</i>	Thank you, we have now included these terms in the list of abbreviations
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	42	5.4	127	<i>Lactobacillus case = Lactobacillus casei. See also p134 and p135</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	43	5.4	128	<i>'lactobacillus' = Lactobacillus. See also p135</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	44	5.4	128	<i>'109' = 10⁹</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	45	5.4	129	<i>'probiotics' = probiotic</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	46	5.4	130	<i>prorated?</i>	Thank you, this is the term used in the paper. We recognise that it is unclear but did not want to misinterpret the authors' meaning by using a different word
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	47	5.4	130	<i>'elimination' used twice in the same paragraph with different meaning</i>	Thank you for your comment, we have used the word as it was reported in the original paper
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	48	5.4	132	<i>'031' = 0.31?</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	49	5.4	137	<i>See 'on extensively hydrolysed proteins needs' spacing needs adjusting</i>	Thank you for your comment. The spacing is due to the formatting in word and cannot be amended
Royal West Sussex NHS	50	5.4	138	<i>'Osmotic laxatives are not effective 12 without sufficient fluid intake' Osmotic laxatives will still</i>	Thank you for your comment. We have amended this

Trust				<i>work if fluid intake insufficient by drawing fluid out of the body. Sentence needs full stop.</i>	sentence to make it clear that the use of osmotic laxatives with insufficient fluid intake can lead to dehydration which is itself a contributing factor to constipation
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	51	5.5	141	<i>'chronic constipation and encopresis' surely soiling? See also p144, p165, p168.</i>	Thank you for your comment. We have reported this information as it was reported in the paper
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	53	5.5	145	<i>'lactulosis' = lactulose</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	54	Appendix A	178	<i>Bullet point required before 'surgical'</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	55	Appendix B	181	<i>'baby' = Baby</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	56	Appendix B	181	<i>'paid to BSPGHAN' = paid by BSPGHAN</i>	Thank you for your comment, the original fee was paid to BSPGHAN
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	57	Appendix B	181	<i>'department of' = departmental</i>	Thank you for your comment, this is how the interest was declared
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	58	Appendix B	183	<i>'medicines for children' European research network = Medicines for Children Research Network</i>	Thank you for your comment, this is how the interest was declared
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	59	Appendix C	187	<i>Royal West Sussex NHS Trust</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	60	Appendix E	206	<i>Figure E.5 'movicol' = Movicol</i>	Thank you for your comment, it is not possible to amend this figure as it is an image file
Royal West Sussex NHS Trust	61	Appendix F	219	<i>'red' = ?real</i>	Thank you, this has been amended
Royal College of Paediatrics and	1	1.1 Table 4 1.2 Table 4	7 14	The term sodium picosulphate should be changed to sodium picosulfate. This spelling was changed	Thank you for your comment, we have corrected the spelling

Child Health		1.4 5.1 Table 4 5.3 6 Table E.1 Table E.2 Appendix E Table E.5 Table E.6 Table E.7 Table E.8 Table E.9 Text / Table E.10 Table E.12 / Text Table E.13	19 88 119 163 195 196 199 200 202 205 206 206 208 209 210	about two years ago.	throughout the document to say "picosulfate"
Norgine	1	1.4	19	<i>Line 45, Spelling of bisacodyl</i>	Thank you, this has been amended