

## Diagnostics Advisory Committee Interests Register

**Topic: HTG10865 Software with artificial intelligence (AI)-derived algorithms to help interpret electroencephalograms (EEGs) for suspected epilepsy: early-use assessment**

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Name	Role with NICE	Type of interest	Description of interest	Interest arose	Interest declared	Interest ceased	Comments
Tom Clutton-Brock	Standing Committee Member (Chair)	Financial Interests	None	n/a	4 Nov 2025	n/a	No further action
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	None	n/a	4 Nov 2025	n/a	No further action
		Indirect interests	None	n/a	4 Nov 2025	n/a	No further action
Sam Creavin	Standing Committee Member	Financial Interests	None	n/a	4 Nov 2025	n/a	No further action
		Financial Interests	I am working with the FASTBALL study to diagnose dementia using EEG. I am a co applicant on the study. I am being paid.	1 Apr 2023	20 Feb 2026	30 Jun 2027	Declare and participate
		Non-financial professional	None	n/a	4 Nov 2025	n/a	No further action

		nal and personal interests					
		Indirect interests	None	n/a	4 Nov 2025	n/a	No further action
Matt Stevenson	Standing Committee Member	Financial Interests	None	n/a	4 Nov 2025	n/a	No further action
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	None	n/a	4 Nov 2025	n/a	No further action
		Indirect interests	None	n/a	4 Nov 2025	n/a	No further action
André Nunes	Standing Committee Member	Financial Interests	None	n/a	4 Nov 2025	n/a	No further action
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	None	n/a	4 Nov 2025	n/a	No further action
		Indirect interests	None	n/a	4 Nov 2025	n/a	No further action
Brian Shine	Standing Committee Member	Financial Interests	None	n/a	3 Dec 2025	n/a	No further action
		Non-financial professional	None	n/a	3 Dec 2025	n/a	No further action

		nal and personal interests					
		Indirect interests	None	n/a	3 Dec 2025	n/a	No further action
Ruth Ajayi	Standing Committee Member	Financial Interests	None	n/a	3 Dec 2025	n/a	No further action
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	None	n/a	3 Dec 2025	n/a	No further action
		Indirect interests	None	n/a	3 Dec 2025	n/a	No further action
John Cairns	Standing Committee Member	Financial Interests	Advising Johnson & Johnson Innovative on multiple myeloma submission	May 2025	2 Dec 2025	May 2025	Declare and participate
			Advice to BeiGene on economic modelling of a treatment for small cell lung cancer	October 2024	2 Dec 2025	September 2025	Declare and participate
			Advice to Johnson & Johnson Innovative on a treatment for generalized myasthenia gravis	October 2025	2 Dec 2025	October 2025	Declare and participate
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	None	n/a	2 Dec 2025	n/a	No further action
		Indirect interests	None	n/a	2 Dec 2025	n/a	No further action

Joy Allen	Standing Committee Member	Financial Interests	Employee of Roche Diagnostics	Aug 2021	2 Dec 2025	Present	Declare and participate
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	None	n/a	2 Dec 2025	n/a	No further action
		Indirect interests	None	n/a	2 Dec 2025	n/a	No further action
Neil Hawkins	Standing Committee Member	Financial Interests	I am a director a company that provides consultancy regarding health technology assessment to pharmaceutical and biotech companies. No services have been provided to any of the potential stakeholders that I have been made aware of or in respect to the technologies being assessed	2019	2 Dec 2025	Ongoing	Declare and participate
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	None	n/a	2 Dec 2025	n/a	No further action
		Indirect interests	None	n/a	2 Dec 2025	n/a	No further action
Michael Morton	Standing Committee Member	Financial Interests	None	n/a	2 Dec 2025	n/a	No further action
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	None	n/a	2 Dec 2025	n/a	No further action

		Indirect interests	None	n/a	2 Dec 2025	n/a	No further action
Amit Parekh	Standing Committee Member	Financial Interests	None	n/a	4 Dec 2025	n/a	No further action
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	None	n/a	4 Dec 2025	n/a	No further action
		Indirect interests	None	n/a	4 Dec 2025	n/a	No further action
Alex Novak	Standing Committee Member	Financial Interests	None	n/a	2 Dec 2025	n/a	No further action
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	None	n/a	2 Dec 2025	n/a	No further action
		Indirect interests	None	n/a	2 Dec 2025	n/a	No further action
Andrew Renehan	Standing Committee Member	Financial Interests	None	n/a	3 Dec 2025	n/a	No further action
		Non-financial professional and	None	n/a	3 Dec 2025	n/a	No further action

		personal interests					
		Indirect interests	None	n/a	3 Dec 2025	n/a	No further action
Farai Goromonzi	Standing Committee Member	Financial Interests	None	n/a	23 January 2026	n/a	No further action
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	None	n/a	23 January 2026	n/a	No further action
		Indirect interests	None	n/a	23 January 2026	n/a	No further action
Jonathan Weir-McCall	Standing Committee Member	Financial Interests	Private practice: Royal Papworth Private Radiology Group	01-AUG-2018	8 Dec 2025	30-Jun-2025	Declare and participate
			Private practice: Royal Brompton Hospital	01-JUL-2025	8 Dec 2025		Declare and participate
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	President Elect and Charity Trustee, British Society of Cardiovascular Imaging (this also functions as the Specialist Interest Group of the Royal College of Radiologists).	01-SEP-2022	8 Dec 2025		Declare and participate
			Charity Trustee, British Society of Cardiovascular Magnetic Resonance	01-SEP-2023	8 Dec 2025		Declare and participate
			Guideline committee member, Society of Cardiovascular Computed Tomography	01-AUG-2021	8 Dec 2025		Declare and participate

		Indirect interests	Board of Directors, Society of Cardiovascular Computed Tomography	01-JUL-2023	8 Dec 2025		Declare and participate
Kate Xu	Standing Committee Member	Financial Interests	None	n/a	27 January 2026	n/a	No further action
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	None	n/a	27 January 2026	n/a	No further action
		Indirect interests	None	n/a	27 January 2026	n/a	No further action
Keith Abrams	Standing Committee Member	Financial Interests	Partner & Director, Visible Analytics Limited – HTA Consultancy company (not involved in any diagnostics projects VA are undertaking or projects related to eating disorders)	01.05.2019	20 April 2026		Declare and participate
			Consultant to Bayer – surrogacy in prostate cancer	01.09.2024	20 April 2026		Declare and participate
			Consultant to Roche – Bayesian dynamic borrowing	01.10.2024	20 April 2026		Declare and participate
			Consultant to NICE – Surrogacy in AML	01.10.2024	20 April 2026	30.01.2025	Declare and participate
			Advisory Boards – Johnson & Johnson - Relapsed Lenalidomide-Refractory Multiple Myeloma	01.02.2026	20 April 2026		Declare and participate
			Advisory Board - Novartis - Secondary Progressive Multiple Sclerosis (SPMS)	16.12.2025	20 April 2026	16.12.2025	Declare and participate
			Advisory Boards – UCB/Paraxel - antibody-positive generalised myasthenia gravis	01.12.2025	20 April 2026		Declare and participate

		Advisory Boards – Abbvie - acute migraine	28.10.2025	20 April 2026		Declare and participate
		Advisory Board - Teva/Sanofi - Inflammatory Bowel Disease (IBD) inclusive of Ulcerative Colitis (UC) and Crohn's Disease (CD)	13.11.2025	20 April 2026	13.11.2025	Declare and participate
		Advisory Board – Deciphre/ReMap – Methods advice	12.11.2025	20 April 2026	12.11.2025	Declare and participate
		Advisory Board – Daiichi-Sankyo/SourceHE – Gastric Cancer	16.04.2026	20 April 2026	16.04.2026	Declare and participate
	Non-financial professional and personal interests	Oct 2022 - date: NIHR i4i Cytecom Limited (a diagnostics company) via University of Warwick, value £1.3M	01.20.2022	20 April 2026		Declare and participate
		July 2024 – date: NIHR i4i OLS Real World Evidence Programme DDM Health Limited, digital company providing digital pathway Gro Health W8Buddy (in obesity) via University of Warwick £1.6M	01.07.2024	20 April 2026		Declare and participate
		Member, NICE DTSU	01.10.2005	20 April 2026		Declare and participate
		Member, West Midlands (formerly Warwick Evidence) EAG Strategic Advisory Committee	01.01.2023	20 April 2026		Declare and participate
		£6.1M EU Horizon 2023 (4 years) Interests form (advisory committees) October 2022 4 of 5 Mader J, Choudhary P, Kjær J, Haardt J, Valabhji J, Adler A, TorpPedersen C, Müllenborn M, Rogers G, Abrams K, Vettoretti M, Lind M, de Galan B, Holl R: Real-world Evidence for Decisions in Diabetes (REDDIE)	01.01.2023	20 April 2026		Declare and participate
		£450K MRC/NIHR Better Methods, Better Research 2024 (3 years) Kimani P, Stallard N, Abrams KR, Metcalfe A, Chataway J: Efficient and unbiased estimation in adaptive platform trials.	01.10.2023	20 April 2026		Declare and participate

		Indirect interests	None	n/a	20 April 2026	n/a	No further action
Patrick McGinley	Standing Committee Member	Financial Interests	I provide paid ad hoc financial advice on payment and costing systems in NHS to MTech Access. This does not include either any company involved using AI software for electroencephalogram (EEG) interpretation in epilepsy.	January 2020	20 Jan 2026	Ongoing	Declare and participate
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	None	n/a	20 Jan 2026	n/a	No further action
		Indirect interests	Hon Treasurer of Association for the Study of Obesity (ASO)	October 2020	20 Jan 2026	Ongoing	Declare and Participate
Rashmi Kumar	Standing Committee Member	Financial Interests	None	n/a	21 January 2026	n/a	No further action
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	None	n/a	21 January 2026	n/a	No further action
		Indirect interests	None	n/a	21 January 2026	n/a	No further action
		Financial Interests	None	n/a	19 May 2026	n/a	No further action

Hayley Sharrod-Cole	Standing Committee Member	Non-financial professional and personal interests	None	n/a	19 May 2026	n/a	No further action
		Indirect interests	None	n/a	19 May 2026	n/a	No further action
Beena Jhoree	Standing Committee Member	Financial Interests	None	n/a	20 May 2026	n/a	No further action
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	None	n/a	20 May 2026	n/a	No further action
		Indirect interests	None	n/a	20 May 2026	n/a	No further action
Amita Kanjee	Standing Committee Member	Financial Interests	None	n/a	19 May 2026	n/a	No further action
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	None	n/a	19 May 2026	n/a	No further action
		Indirect interests	None	n/a	19 May 2026	n/a	No further action

Michael Mackenzie	Standing Committee Member	Financial Interests	None	n/a	May 2026 (declared before DAC1)	n/a	No further action
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	Committee member, International Executive Committee, Royal College of Physicians Edinburgh  Committee member, Rural and Remote Medicine, Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh		May 2026 (declared before DAC1)		Declare and participate
		Indirect interests	None	n/a	May 2026 (declared before DAC1)	n/a	No further action
Darren Kell	Standing Committee Member (MTAC)	Financial Interests	Currently employed by ScubaTx a medical device startup company developing a device for donor heart preservation		April 2024		Declare and observe
David Holder	Professional Expert	Financial Interests	Nil	n/a	06/11/2025	n/a	No further action
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	Nil relevant. I am a clinical academic with a chair in Biophysics and Clinical Neurophysiology. I undertake research into the development of new methods for investigating and imaging brain and nerve function. Therefore this topic is of direct interest to me, as I am also a practitioner in Clinical Neurophysiology undertaking EEG reporting. However, my interest in the topic – AI in EEG reporting – is entirely objective as I have no vested interest other than objective evaluation.	Consultant since 1997, Chair 2007	06/11/2025	Still active in full employment	Declare and participate
		Non-financial professional and	Spinout Cyqiq Ltd. In 2020, I started a spinout based in my research laboratory in Medical Physics at UCL. The purpose of this is to assist in development of new methods for imaging nervous system function, relating to work in my research group on the new technique of EIT (electrical impedance tomography). The aim of the spinout is to make prototype systems available for use by interested collaborators, and	2020	06/11/2025	active	Declare and participate

		personal interests	raise funds for research in the academic group. It is known to and supported by the Head of Department and the UCL tech transfer arm (UCLb).  However, it has no activity in EEG or the use of AI and so no conflict of interest arises.				
		Indirect interests	Nil	n/a	06/11/2025	n/a	No further action
Richard Grunewald	Professional Expert	Financial Interests	Nil	n/a	07/11/2025	n/a	No further action
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	Nil	n/a	07/11/2025	n/a	No further action
		Indirect interests	Nil	n/a	07/11/2025	n/a	No further action
Phil Tittensor	Professional Expert	Financial Interests	Advisory board for pharmaceutical product, Alturix Pharma	16/12/2025	01/12/2025	16/12/2025	Declare and participate
		Financial Interests	European seizure freedom advisory board – Angelini Pharma	23/07/2024	01/12/2025	01/07/2025	Declare and participate
		Financial Interests	Nurse education advisory board – Jazz Pharma	01/10/2025	01/12/2025	14/03/2026	Declare and participate
		Financial Interests	Author honoraria – Karger Publishing	01/03/2023	01/12/2025	Ongoing	Declare and participate
		Financial Interests	Speaker honoraria - Jazz Pharma	20/03/2025	01/12/2025	21/03/2025	Declare and participate

		Non-financial professional and personal interests	Researcher and clinical lead – ATMOSPHERE project re: seizure forecasting technology	Mar-23	01/12/2025	Ongoing	Declare and participate
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	UK PI REACH – European post marketing study of cenobamate – Angelini Pharma	28/02/2025	01/12/2025	Ongoing	Declare and participate
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	CI PRISTINE trial, PI ECLIPSE trial, CI real world clinical evaluation, of BioEP algorithm to analyse non-contributory EEG - Neuronostics - PROVIDED MORE DETAILS, EMAIL SAVED IN HIS FOLDER	Jun-23	01/12/2025	Ongoing	Declare and participate
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	CI and senior clinician X-SEPT, AI algorithm to use music as treatment for epilepsy – X-Systems	Sep-23	01/12/2025	Ongoing	Declare and participate
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	CI LEG-RTC trial of implantable EEG to enable rapid treatment changes - UNEEG	Jan-25	01/12/2025	Ongoing	Declare and participate
		Indirect interests	Chairperson - Epilepsy Nurses Association – ESNA. UK and Ireland based professional organisation for the development of guidelines,	Jun-15	01/12/2025	Ongoing	Declare and participate

			standards, competencies and education, primarily for nurses with interest in epilepsy				
		Indirect interests	Researcher Cornwall Intellectual Disabilities Equitable Research group - CIDER	Jun-25	01/12/2025	Ongoing	Declare and participate
		Indirect interests	Member – N-Code. Multi-disciplinary research group involved with using AI & ML to solve neurological challenges	Mar-23	01/12/2025	Ongoing	Declare and participate
		Indirect interests	Member – International League Against Epilepsy British Branch (ILAE). Premier global professional multi-disciplinary organisation for epilepsy, involved in setting, standards, guidelines and terminology as well as providing world leading educational resources.	1998	01/12/2025	Ongoing	Declare and participate
Krishna Das	Professional Expert	Financial Interests	Nil	n/a	05/11/2025	n/a	No further action
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	Nil	n/a	05/11/2025	n/a	No further action
		Indirect interests	Nil	n/a	05/11/2025	n/a	No further action
Sarah Eglese	Professional Expert	Financial Interests	Nil	n/a	10/12/2025	n/a	No further action
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	Nil	n/a	10/12/2025	n/a	No further action

		Indirect interests	Nil	n/a	10/12/2025	n/a	No further action
Helen Cross	Professional Expert	Financial Interests	Nil	n/a	21/11/2025	n/a	No further action
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	Immediate Past President (elected) International League Against Epilepsy	2025	21/11/2025	n/a	Declare and participate
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	Chair Medical Board Matthews Friends (ketogenic diet charity)	2011	21/11/2025	n/a	Declare and participate
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	Chair Medical Board Dravet Syndrome UK	2015	21/11/2025	n/a	Declare and participate
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	Clinical Advisor to Childrens Epilepsy Surgery Service	2012	21/11/2025	n/a	Declare and participate
		Indirect interests	Clinical investigator on clinical trial of treatments, payment to institution, for the following Encoded Stoke Therapeutics	2024 2023	21/11/2025	n/a	Declare and participate

			Ultragenyx Epigenyx UCB	2023 2024 2023			
Peter Walsh	Professional Expert	Financial Interests	Consultant Clinical Scientist Grey Walter Department of Clinical Neurophysiology Southmead Hospital Noeth Bristol NHS Trust	March 1994	03/12/2025	Ongoing	Declare and participate
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	Association of Neurophysiological Scientists Council Member	Sept 2000	03/12/2025	Ongoing	Declare and participate
			British Society of Clinical Neurophysiology Member	Sept 2008	03/12/2025	Ongoing	Declare and participate
		Indirect interests	Nil	n/a	03/12/2025	n/a	No further action
Joel Winston	Professional Expert	Financial Interests	I am the co-founder of a neurotech company ("NeuralPulse") that uses some AI methodology to predict epileptic seizures	June 2025	21/11/2025	N/A	Declare and participate
		Financial Interests	I supervise a part-time clinical fellow who is funded by Jazz Pharmaceuticals	September 2024	21/11/2025	N/A	Declare and participate
		Indirect interests	I have a manuscript in preparation with colleagues from Birmingham University on differentiating patients with epilepsy from patients with non-epileptic attacks using quantitative EEG measures (and AI). One of the co-authors is Wessel Woldman who is also affiliated with Neuronostics who are active commercially in the AI/EEG space. I don't have any affiliation to or other connection with Neuronostics, but this	July 2024	09/01/2026	to be published over the next year	Declare and participate

			<p>seemed worth mentioning. None of the work we are doing together is directly related to Neuronostics' commercial product.)</p> <p>No financial arrangement; it's a research collaboration (I guess you can say that is part of my paid employment as an academic at KCL). My first involvement was in July 2024 and we are currently writing the manuscript, hopefully to be published over the next year. I don't actually know the extent to which this has anything to do with Neuronostics as the direct collaboration is between academics at KCL and Birmingham. One of these academics is Wessel Woldman who is involved with Neuronostics and will list this as one of his affiliations on the paper.</p>				
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	<p>I am involved in research projects that use AI in epilepsy and EEG but none that currently overlap significantly with the technology under review here. Funding sources include Canadian Institutes for Health Research, Epilepsy Research Institute/Angelini Pharma, and the King's College Hospital Charity." (The background here is that Angelini Pharma co-sponsored a grant that was awarded and administered by the Epilepsy Research Institute.)</p>	September 2021	21/11/2025 updated on 8 May 2026	-	Declare and participate
		Indirect interests	Nil	n/a	21/11/2025	n/a	No further action
Brython Hywel	Professional Expert	Financial Interests	<p>I am a consultant neurologist and clinical neurophysiologist working in the NHS, reporting EEGs. I use Persyst and Autoscore in this capacity.</p>	2019	27/11/2025	Ongoing	Declare and participate
		Financial Interests	<p>I undertake private neurology and nerve conduction and electromyography. I do not currently undertake private EEG.</p>	2023	27/11/2025	Ongoing	Declare and participate
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	<p>Education Chair, British Society for Clinical Neurophysiology</p>	2023	27/11/2025	Ongoing	Declare and participate
		Non-financial	<p>ABN Services committee member.</p>	2023	27/11/2025	Ongoing	Declare and participate

		professional and personal interests					
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	Chief Clinical Information Officer, The Walton Centre NHS Foundation Trust	2024	27/11/2025	Ongoing	Declare and participate
		Indirect interests	Michael Wright, from Natus, a supplier of Autoscore, nominated me for this position.	November 2025	27/11/2025		Declare and participate
Emma Campbell	Patient Expert	Financial Interests	Paid employment in the School of Medicine at the University of Nottingham (current role is Senior Research Fellow on an NIHR-funded programme grant called Rapid Eczema Trials).	Feb-13	11/12/2025	ongoing	Declare and participate
		Financial Interests	Occasional voucher or payment from epilepsy charities for PPI work.	Aug-22	11/12/2025	ongoing	Declare and participate
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	Nil	n/a	11/12/2025	n/a	No further action
		Indirect interests	My 17 year-old daughter has epilepsy	Aug-22	11/12/2025	ongoing	No further action
William Welbank		Financial Interests	Holder of shares in GSK	2021	10/12/2025	to date	Declare and participate

	Patient Expert	Financial Interests	Holder of shares in AstraZeneca	2021	10/12/2025	to date	Declare and participate
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	Volunteer Befriender with the Charity 'Epilepsy Action' to give Peer Support for people with Epilepsy.	Oct-24	10/12/2025	to date	Declare and participate
		Indirect interests	Nil	n/a	10/12/2025	n/a	No further action
Rebecca Longley	Patient Expert	Financial Interests	Nil	n/a	10/12/2025	n/a	No further action
		Non-financial professional and personal interests	Nil	n/a	10/12/2025	n/a	No further action
		Indirect interests	Nil	n/a	10/12/2025	n/a	No further action