

Economic plan

This plan identifies the areas prioritised for economic modelling. The final analysis may differ from those described below. The rationale for any differences will be explained in the guideline.

1 Guideline

Termination of pregnancy

2 List of modelling questions

Review questions by scope area	2.8 What is the effectiveness, safety and acceptability of surgical compared to medical termination between 13+0 and 24+0 weeks gestation?
Population	Women undergoing a termination of pregnancy between 13+0 and 24+0 weeks gestation
Interventions and comparators considered for inclusion	<i>Intervention:</i> Medical termination of pregnancy <i>Comparator:</i> Surgical termination of pregnancy
Perspective	UK NHS + PSS
Outcomes	QALYs
Type of analysis	Cost-utility analysis
Issues to note	
Review questions by scope area	2.12 For women who are having medical termination of pregnancy and plan to use a progestogen-only contraceptive implant or depot injection, does administration of the contraception at the same time as mifepristone influence the efficacy of the termination? AND 3.2 For women who have had medical termination of pregnancy, how soon afterwards is it safe to insert an intrauterine contraceptive device?
Population	Women who have undergone a medical termination of pregnancy
Interventions and comparators considered for inclusion	<i>Interventions:</i> Immediate contraception (at setting of termination) <i>Comparator:</i> Delayed contraception (at individual's GP)
Perspective	UK NHS + PSS
Outcomes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Incomplete terminations

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Unwanted pregnancies
Type of analysis	Cost-effectiveness analysis
Issues to note	
Review questions by scope area	4.2 What strategies improve the factors that help or hinder the accessibility and sustainability of a safe termination of pregnancy service?
Population	Women receiving a termination of pregnancy
Interventions and comparators considered for inclusion	<i>Intervention:</i> A reduction in time between initial presentation and termination of pregnancy <i>Comparator:</i> Current time between initial presentation and termination of pregnancy
Perspective	UK NHS + PSS
Outcomes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reduction in cost from earlier termination of pregnancy
Type of analysis	Cost-effectiveness analysis
Issues to note	This model estimates the potential cost savings from a reduction in time between initial presentation and termination of pregnancy. It does not consider any specific interventions or their related costs and effectiveness.