

Advocacy services for adults with health and social care needs Advisory Committee Interests Register

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Name	Role with NICE	Type of interest	Description of interest	Interest arose	Interest declared	Interest ceased	Comments
Phil Taverner	Chair	Non-financial, professional and personal	I have a fixed-term administrative role at the Open University	12/03/2018	04/05/2018	January 2021	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL March 2021 Rationale: Not specific to guideline
Phil Taverner	Chair	Non-financial, professional and personal	I am an occasional lay reviewer for Asthma UK research	2011	04/05/2018	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL March 2021 Rationale: Not specific to guideline
Phil Taverner	Chair	Indirect	My wife works as a community pharmacist	1983	04/05/2018	August 2019	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL March 2021 Rationale: Not specific to guideline

Phil Taverner	Chair	Non-financial, professional and personal	I am Chair of Carers in Bedfordshire	2020	02/09/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL September 2021 Rationale: Not specific to guideline
Phil Taverner	Chair	Non-financial, professional and personal	I chair the Public and Community Oversight Group for two NIHR Health Protection Research Units at Imperial College	2021	02/09/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL September 2021 Rationale: Not specific to guideline
Phil Taverner	Chair	Non-financial, professional and personal	I have been invited to become a director for Healthwatch Bedford Borough	2021	02/09/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL September 2021 Rationale: Not specific to guideline
Ali Sea	Committee member	Financial	Independent social worker – independent assessment work, instructed by solicitors firms, may be paid through people’s compensation pay outs or legal aid	22/12/2020	04/03/21	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL March 2021 Rationale: Independent assessment work not focussed on advocacy therefore not specific

							to guideline. Unlikely to gain financially from involvement with the guideline.
Ali Sea	Committee member	Financial	Agency worker, senior CHC case manager with Newcastle Gateshead CCG. Not employed by them, through a recruitment agency, Randstand Care.	09/03/2021	04/03/21		Declare and participate Agreed by: GL and NICE GL March 2021 Rationale: Not specific to guideline.
Ali Sea	Committee member	Non-financial, professional and personal	BASW member	22/12/2021	04/03/21	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL March 2021 Rationale: BASW is a professional membership organisation for social work, the membership is broader than the context of the guideline, therefore interest not specific to guideline.
Claire Gilbert	Committee member	Financial	Employment at South West Advocacy Network	2016	17/03/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate

							Agreed by: GL March 2021 Rationale: Employment in public sector
Claire Gilbert	Committee member	Non-financial, professional and personal	Committee Member (advisory IMCA for complex care needs in social work guidelines) at NICE	2019	17/03/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL March 2021 Rationale: Not deemed a conflict of interest as related to another guideline on a different topic.
Claire Gilbert	Committee member	Non-financial, professional and personal	TAQA Assessor for South West Advocacy Network in partnership with private ILM accredited Training Centre – Crescent Training I am solely employed by South West Advocacy Network (SWAN) to provide TAQA assessment for all qualifying staff members of South West Advocacy Network who are undertaking their City & Guilds Certificate/Diploma/Level	2018	24/01/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL March 2021 Rationale: Not specific to guideline as acting as an assessor of SWAN staff against City & Guilds criteria.

			<p>4 in independent Advocacy. I only provide in-house City & Guilds independent advocacy assessment for SWAN staff.</p> <p>I work in partnership with Crescent Training who provide Training Centre oversight for SWAN for this particular qualification, Crescent Training provide the Internal Quality Assessor and registration management for all SWAN candidates.</p>				
Catherine Ruane	Lay member	Financial	<p>I am a lay member of the NICE Depression in Adults Guideline Committee. I receive a daily allowance of £150 per day for attending meetings.</p>	11/05/2015	04/03/21	Ongoing	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by: GL March 2021</p> <p>Rationale: Not deemed a conflict of interest as related to another guideline on a different topic. Daily allowances are standard NICE procedure for lay members..</p>

Catherine Ruane	Lay member	Non-financial, professional and personal	I was asked by a psychiatrist to co-author a paper on Depression in Older Adults along with him and a member of a research user group. The lead author was the psychiatrist and I added the perspective of a carer. Our paper was published in the British Medical Journal on 18 November 2018. The lead author and I are both members of the Depression in Adults Guideline Committee and declared this interest through that Committee at the relevant time.	28/11/2018	04/03/21	18/11/2018	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL March 2021 Rationale: Not specific to guideline
Jonathan Senker	Committee member	Non-financial, professional and personal	Chief Executive of VoiceAbility – a charity delivering advocacy services	April 2010	04/03/21	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL and NICE GL March 2021 Rationale: VoiceAbility is a key charity delivering advocacy services. Interest is specific to guideline but there is a need for the member's expertise and their membership on the

							committee is balanced by a broad constituency that mitigates any undue influence. Therefore benefit of expertise likely to outweigh risks.
Jonathan Senker	Committee member	Non-financial, professional and personal	Member NHS England Quality Improvement Steering group – on services to autistic people and people with learning disabilities	September 2020	04/03/21	May 2021	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL and NICE GL March 2021 Rationale: Not specific to guideline.
Jonathan Senker	Committee member	Non-financial, professional and personal	Member NHS England Quality Improvement oversight group	December 2021	03/12/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL Dec 2021 Rationale: Not specific to guideline NHS England Quality Improvement Steering group replaced by NHS England Quality

							Improvement oversight group.
Jonathan Senker	Committee member	Non-financial, professional and personal	I have and continue to write and speak widely on issues relating to health, social care and advocacy	April 2010	04/03/2021	Ongoing	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by: GL and NICE GL March 2021</p> <p>Rationale: Specific to guideline, but benefit of expertise likely to outweigh risks. As CEO of charity organisation, VoiceAbility, in the sector it should be expected that the committee member would write and speak on this topic. If there is a direct impact on development of recommendations, member may be asked to withdraw from discussions.</p>
Jonathan Senker	Committee member	Indirect	My sister uses learning disability and other health and care services and she might potentially be affected by recommendations on	1985	04/03/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate

			eligibility or delivery of advocacy to adults, although she does not currently receive advocacy support				Agreed by: GL and NICE GL March 2021 Rationale: Not specific to guideline.
Jonathan Senker	Committee member	Non-financial, professional and personal	NICE Guideline Chair: Learning disabilities and behaviour that challenges: service design and delivery (NG93)	March 2015	18/05/2021	28/03/2018	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL and May 2021 Rationale: Specific to guideline, but not considered a conflict as the work was on another NICE guideline which may be cross-referenced in the Advocacy guideline.
Jonathan Senker	Committee member	Non-financial, professional and personal	NICE Quality Standards Committee member: Learning disability and behaviour that challenges (QS101)	May 2018	18/05/2021	24/07/2019	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL and May 2021 Rationale: Specific to guideline, but not considered a conflict as the work was on another NICE guideline which may be cross-referenced in

							the Advocacy guideline.
Jonathan Senker	Committee member	Non-financial, professional and personal	I helped to write the following report and VoiceAbility, the organisation of which I am the chief executive, was responsible for drafting the reports and contributed to the costs of the survey. National Development Team for Inclusion. (2020). Valuing Voices: Protecting rights through the pandemic and beyond: Report on survey findings	October 2020	26/5/2021		<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by: GL June 2021</p> <p>Rationale: Specific to guideline, but unlikely to impact on development of recommendations. The report was submitted as part of the call for evidence. If the report is used to generate statements as part of the formal consensus process, we would ask the member to participate in the meeting so we can ask questions about it to help inform development of the guideline. However, the member will be excluded from commenting or voting on any statements relating to the report.</p>

Jonathan Senker	Committee member	Non-financial, professional and personal	I helped to write the following report and VoiceAbility, the organisation of which I am the chief executive, was responsible for drafting the reports and contributed to the costs of the survey. National Development Team for Inclusion. (2020). Valuing Voices in Wales: Protecting Rights Through the Pandemic and Beyond: Report on survey findings	October 2020	26/5/2021		<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by: GL June 2021</p> <p>Rationale: Specific to guideline, but unlikely to impact on development of recommendations. The report was submitted as part of the call for evidence. If the report is used to generate statements as part of the formal consensus process, we would ask the member to participate in the meeting so we can ask questions about it to help inform development of the guideline. However, the member will be excluded from commenting or voting on any statements relating to the report.</p>
Jonathan Senker	Committee member	Non-financial, professional and personal	I convene and facilitate an informal network which is open to all people in all advocacy sector and	March 2020	08/09/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate

			related organisations – 'the leaders in advocacy network'				<p>Agreed by: GL in September 2021</p> <p>Rationale: As CEO of a charity organisation, VoiceAbility, it should be expected that the committee member would be involved in networking within the advocacy sector. The interest is specific to guideline, but there is a need for the member's expertise and their membership on the committee is balanced by a broad constituency that mitigates any undue influence. Therefore benefit of expertise likely to outweigh risks.</p>
Jonathan Senker	Committee member	Non-financial, professional and personal	Member HOPE(S) National Oversight Group. HOPE(S) is a national NHSE/I and Mersey Care NHS FT programme aiming to reduce long term segregation for autistic adults, people with a learning disability and	October 2021	08/11/2021	Ongoing	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by: GL in November 2021</p> <p>Rationale: The interest may be related to the guideline if the HOPE(S) programme</p>

			children and young people.				includes consideration for expanding advocacy services and thus may have some long term impact on commissioning of advocacy services. However, this is not the focus of the broad HOPE(S) programme and the member's expertise outweigh the potential risks. Role on oversight group does not conflict with the guideline.
Jonathan Senker	Committee member	Non-financial, professional and personal	VoiceAbility has been commissioned by the Social Care Institute for Excellence to review and comment to them on their guidance 'Commissioning independent advocacy under the Care Act.' I will input to this.	16/2/2022	18/2/2022	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL February 2022 Rationale: Specific to guideline, but unlikely to impact on development of recommendations. This work is part of a regular cyclical review process of current SCIE guidance. The current guidance was

							not submitted in the call for evidence or highlighted by committee members during the development phase.
Cherry Pedler	Committee member	Financial	I am employed by a small organization (Community Support Network South London) providing IMHA services.	2021	20/04/2021	Ongoing	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by: GL in September 2021</p> <p>Rationale: Specific to guideline, but benefit of expertise likely to outweigh risks. This is a public sector job, therefore there is no potential for financial benefit as a result of involvement with the guideline.</p>
Kate Mercer	Committee member	Financial	<p>I was paid to speak at a Conference hosted by National Advocacy Service for People with Disabilities in Ireland.</p> <p>This has led to the opportunity of further consultation to support Citizen Information Board (Ireland) as they develop Advocacy Standards. This</p>	01/12/2020	24/01/2021	01/12/2020	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by: GL and NICE GL March 2021</p> <p>Rationale: Being paid to speak at the conference before the guideline development started is not a conflict.</p>

			has not been agreed at time of writing but could lead to paid work.				Furthermore, the standards are in Ireland, so do not apply to this guideline which covers practice within the UK.
Kate Mercer	Committee member	Financial	<p>I am paid to deliver contracts with NDTi, NHS England, Inclusion London – I do not believe any of these fall within the scope of commercial sector.</p> <p>The contracts with NDTi, NHS England and Inclusion London have included scoping work around advocacy in health settings, and the production of training materials on hate crime.</p>		24/01/2021	Ongoing	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by: GL and NICE GL March 2021</p> <p>Rationale: May be specific to guideline but benefit of expertise likely to outweigh risks. Committee member fulfils role of training provider on committee. Due to employment as training provider, committee member has contracts with NDTi and NHS England and Inclusion London. Although relevant to guideline the scoping work and training materials would only be a conflict if they were used to generate</p>

							statements for formal consensus, in which case the member may be asked to withdraw from discussions.
Kate Mercer	Committee member	Financial	<p>I am a Director and partner in ADI (Advocacy Data Intelligence) which is a LTD company offering databases and CRM systems to advocacy services.</p> <p>In my role of Director I</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - deliver training to advocates - assess advocates for qualifications - have overall responsibility for the running of a City & Guilds centre <p>Training includes courses covering every type of statutory advocacy as well as courses on non-instructed, measuring advocacy outcomes and making advocacy accessible.</p>	2018	24/01/2021	Ongoing	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by: GL and NICE GL March 2021</p> <p>Rationale: Agreed no conflict for participating in general discussion of recommendations about training as benefit of expertise likely to outweigh risks. Role as Director does not conflict with the guideline.</p> <p>However, if making related to databases and CRM systems then member may be asked to withdraw from discussions.</p>

Kate Mercer	Committee member	Financial	I own and am managing director of Kate Mercer Training	2007	24.01.2021	Ongoing	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by: GL and NICE GL March 2021</p> <p>Rationale: May be specific to guideline but benefit of expertise likely to outweigh risks for participating in general discussion of recommendations about training.</p> <p>Role as Director does not conflict with the guideline. However, if making recommendations that the specific training or qualifications should be used then member may be asked to withdraw from discussions.</p>
Kate Mercer	Committee member	Financial	I own stocks in HIKMA pharmaceuticals	2019	24/01/2021	Ongoing	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by: GL and NICE GL March 2021</p> <p>Rationale: Not specific as guideline will not</p>

							be looking at the effectiveness of any drugs and will not be making any recommendations in this area. Therefore there is no potential for financial benefit as a result of involvement with the guideline.
Kate Mercer	Committee member	Non-financial, professional and personal	I am a member of a steering group overseeing the pilot of culturally appropriate advocacy. This has been put on hold due to Covid. This is not a paid role	April 2020	24/01/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL and NICE GL March 2021 Rationale: May be specific to guideline, but the member's experience and involvement in the steering group adds to the expertise and knowledge brought to the committee and guideline. However, as this is an unpaid role, it is not considered a conflict.
Kate Mercer	Committee member	Non-financial, professional and personal	Co-authored 2021 scoping exercise report: An overview of advocacy	2019	16/06/21	2021	Declare and participate

			<p>delivery in relation to personal health budgets and other health-funded support.</p> <p>We were commissioned by NHS England and Improvement to undertake a scoping exercise in relation to advocacy in continuing healthcare, PHBs and other health-funded processes.</p>				<p>Agreed by: GL June 2021</p> <p>Rationale: Specific to guideline, but unlikely to impact on development of recommendations. The report was submitted as part of the call for evidence. If the report is used to generate statements as part of the formal consensus process, we would ask the member to participate in the meeting so we can ask questions about it to help inform development of the guideline. However, the member will be excluded from commenting or voting on any statements relating to the report.</p>
Kate Mercer	Committee member	Financial	<p>Paid to work on a NHS England/Improvement funded project – led by NDTi - looking into advocacy in restricted settings with people with a learning disability and</p>	2021	19/08/2021	Ongoing	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by: GL August 2021</p> <p>Rationale: Specific to guideline, but unlikely</p>

			autistic people. The work is to review existing advocacy provision and develop resources to support advocates				to impact on development of recommendations as the population of people with learning disabilities that the guideline will cover is not limited to those in restricted settings or specialist hospitals.
Gabriel Ivbijaro	Committee member	Financial	GP Waltham Forest Community and Family Health Services	1997	05/03/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL March 2021 Rationale: Not specific to guideline
Gabriel Ivbijaro	Committee member	Non-financial, professional and personal	Secretary General World Federation for Mental Health WFMH is a global NGO founded in 1948 and focused on improving mental health care, promoting mental health, preventing mental disorders. WFMH founded World Mental Health Day in 1992 as an international public education program. WFMH is in official	01/06/2020	05/03/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL March 2021 Rationale: Not specific to guideline

			relationships with WHO and UN. Member confirmed that this is an unpaid role.				
Gabriel Ivbijaro	Committee member	Non-financial, professional and personal	President World Dignity Project The mission of the World Dignity Project is to fight for mental health and well-being for all with equality of treatment and dignity in patient experience as a basic human right.	2014	05/03/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL March 2021 Rationale: Not specific to guideline
Gabriel Ivbijaro	Committee member	Non-financial, professional and personal	Chair Waltham Forest Local Medical Committee (LMC) London	2018	05/03/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL March 2021 Rationale: Not specific to guideline
Gabriel Ivbijaro	Committee member	Non-financial, professional and personal	Ambassador BAME Health Collaborative The mission of the BAME Health Collaborative is to highlight the inequalities experienced by the BAME community and to articulate ways of improving health outcomes and social	2020	05/03/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL March 2021 Rationale: Whilst inequalities experienced by the BAME community may have relevance

			inclusions in BAME populations				to recommendations about providing independent advocacy, The focus of the BAME Health Collaborative is not advocacy and so this interest is not specific to the guideline
Simon Abbott	Committee member		Nothing to declare		01/04/2021		
Gail Petty	Committee member	Financial	I hold an employed role, with NDTi, which involves managing the Advocacy Quality Performance Mark (QPM). NDTi assess advocacy providers against the standards in the QPM, if standards met they are awarded the Quality Mark. NDTi commissioned by DHSC to provide this service.	July 2015	06/05/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL May 2021 Rationale: Role involving managing the QPM does not conflict with the guideline. This is a public sector job, therefore there is no potential for financial benefit as a result of involvement with the guideline. If making recommendations that the QPM should be used, we would ask the member to participate in the

							meeting so we can ask questions about it that would inform development of the guideline as benefit of expertise in participating in general discussion of recommendations is likely to outweigh risks.
Gail Petty	Committee member	Non-financial, professional and personal	NDTi are currently commissioned by NHSE improvement to develop and provide a training program for independent advocates in relation to continuing healthcare and other models of health funded support. I am co-developing this program with Kate Mercer from Kate Mercer Training.	2020	06/05/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL May 2021 Rationale: Role in training does not conflict with the guideline. Agreed no conflict for participating in general discussion of recommendations about training as benefit of expertise likely to outweigh risks. However, if making recommendations that this specific training should be used then member may be

							asked to withdraw from discussions.
Gail Petty	Committee member	Non-financial, professional and personal	<p>Co-authored 2021 scoping exercise report: An overview of advocacy delivery in relation to personal health budgets and other health-funded support.</p> <p>We were commissioned by NHS England and Improvement to undertake a scoping exercise in relation to advocacy in continuing healthcare, PHBs and other health-funded processes.</p>	2019	06/05/21	2021	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by: GL May 2021</p> <p>Rationale: Specific to guideline, but unlikely to impact on development of recommendations. The report was submitted as part of the call for evidence. If the report is used to generate statements as part of the formal consensus process, we would ask the member to participate in the meeting so we can ask questions about it to help inform development of the guideline. However, the member will be excluded from commenting or voting on any statements relating to the report.</p>

Gail Petty	Committee member	Non-financial, professional and personal	Co-authored 2020 report, Strengthening the Role of Advocacy in Making Safeguarding Personal. Commissioned by LGA and ADASS to produce report. Submitted as evidence as part of call for evidence	September 2020	06/05/2021	2020	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by: GL May 2021</p> <p>Rationale: Specific to guideline, but unlikely to impact on development of recommendations. The report was submitted as part of the call for evidence. If the report is used to generate statements as part of the formal consensus process, we would ask the member to participate in the meeting so we can ask questions about it to help inform development of the guideline. However, the member will be excluded from commenting or voting on any statements relating to the report.</p>
Gail Petty	Committee member	Non-financial, professional and personal	Co-authored NDTi 2016 report, Advocacy Outcomes Framework.	2016	06/05/2021	2016	Declare and participate

			Submitted as evidence as part of call for evidence				<p>Agreed by: GL May 2021</p> <p>Rationale: Specific to guideline, but unlikely to impact on development of recommendations. The report was submitted as part of the call for evidence. If the report is used to generate statements as part of the formal consensus process, we would ask the member to participate in the meeting so we can ask questions about it to help inform development of the guideline as benefit of expertise in participating in general discussion of recommendations is likely to outweigh risks. However, the member will be excluded from commenting or voting on any statements relating to the report.</p>
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Gail Petty	Committee member	Non-financial, professional and personal	NDTi has been commissioned by NHSE and NHS Improvement to undertake a review of inpatient advocacy for people with a learning disability and autistic people in mental health, learning disability or autism specialist hospitals. I'll be working on this review with Kate Mercer and others.	August 2021	23/08/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL August 2021 Rationale: Specific to guideline, but unlikely to impact on development of recommendations as the population of people with learning disabilities that the guideline will cover is not limited to those in restricted settings or specialist hospitals.
Ellie Thomas	Lay member	Financial	Movement for Social Approaches in Mental Health: Service User representative. I received some involvement payments and worked closely with social workers employed by the British Association of Social Workers, including their Chief Executive.	March 2018	30/03/2021	September 2020	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL March 2021 Rationale: Not specific to guideline
Ellie Thomas	Lay member	Financial	Think Ahead: Service User involvement activities in training, recruitment and	July 2014	30/03/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate

			on their service user panel. I receive involvement payments.				Agreed by: GL March 2021 Rationale: Not specific to guideline
Ellie Thomas	Lay member	Financial	British Association of Social Workers: Professional Development Committee Service User representative. I may claim involvement payments.	August 2019	30/03/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL March 2021 Rationale: Not specific to guideline
Ellie Thomas	Lay member	Financial	British Association of Social Workers: Mental Health Policy Committee Service User representative. I may claim involvement payments	July 2020	30/03/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL March 2021 Rationale: Not specific to guideline
Ellie Thomas	Lay member	Financial	SCENE Study: local implementation group, service user representative. This is a study researching social interventions within secondary mental health services. I previously received involvement payments and	August 2017	30/03/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL March 2021 Rationale: Not specific to guideline

			may claim them again in future				
Ellie Thomas	Lay member	Financial	NICE committee: Social Work Interventions for Adults with Complex Needs I receive involvement payments	January 2020	30/03/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL March 2021 Rationale: Not specific to guideline
Ellie Thomas	Lay member	Non-financial, professional and personal	Member of User-Led Collective, Recovery in the Bin I co-wrote and presented: Recovery in the Bin, Edwards, B. M., Burgess, R., and Thomas, E. (2019, September). Neorecovery: A survivor led conceptualisation and critique [Transcript]. Keynote presented at the 25th International Mental Health Nursing Research Conference, The Royal College of Nursing, London, UK.	2015	30/03/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL March 2021 Rationale: Not specific to guideline
Ellie Thomas	Lay member	Non-financial, professional and personal	Member of the UK Labour Party – my primary interest is in their welfare policies and I am a	2015	30/03/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate

			member so that I can vote for committee members and policies that support a comprehensive welfare state. My membership does not indicate agreement with all their policies.				Agreed by: GL March 2021 Rationale: Not specific to guideline
Ellie Thomas	Lay member	Non-financial, professional and personal	I was named as a co-author on a book chapter arising from the Connecting People Project. It was about co-production. Moran, N., Webber, M., Dosanjh Kaur, H., Morris, D., Ngamaba, K., Nunn, V., Thomas, E. and Thompson, K.J. (2020) Co-producing practice research: The Connecting People Implementation Study. In Joubert, L. and Webber, M. (eds.) The Routledge Handbook of Social Work Practice Research (1st edition). London: Routledge.	2020	30/03/2021	2020	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL March 2021 Rationale: May be specific to guideline, but benefit of expertise likely to outweigh risks.
Ellie Thomas	Lay member	Non-financial, professional and personal	Co-applicant/Service User lead on the Kings College London study: Stakeholder views on using Body Worn	2019	30/03/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate

			Cameras in Acute Adult Mental Health Wards: A qualitative interview study				Agreed by: GL March 2021 Rationale: Not specific to guideline
Ellie Thomas	Lay member	Non-financial, professional and personal	Personal Recordings Policy Development Group, Tees, Esk and Wear Valley NHS Foundation Trust Service User Member (developing a policy about service users recording their conversations/consultations about their, sometimes called covert recordings)	December 2020	30/03/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL March 2021 Rationale: Not specific to guideline
Ellie Thomas	Lay member	Non-financial, professional and personal	I was a member of the Service User and Carer Reference Group for the Mental Health Act Review in 2018. Recommendations arising from the review are relevant to advocacy services	2018	30/03/2021	December 2018	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL March 2021 Rationale: Not specific to guideline
Robert Cooper	Committee member		Nothing to declare		22/03/21		
Pamela Wrest	Committee member	Financial, direct interest	At the start of this project, I was employed as a	01/08/2022	16/08/2022	Ongoing	Declare and participate

			<p>multidisciplinary advocate with Rethink.</p> <p>I have been offered, accepted but not started a job with The Advocacy project/Health Watch Brent, leading a pilot project, commissioned by Central North West London, to improve the health outcomes for autistic people in Brent, working closely with the Brent community team and primary care.</p> <p>I do not have a starting date yet.</p> <p>I have given notice and my last day with Rethink will be 07/09/22</p>				<p>Agreed by: GL August 2022</p> <p>Rationale: Specific to guideline, but benefit of expertise likely to outweigh risks. This is a public sector job, therefore there is no potential for financial benefit as a result of involvement with the guideline.</p>

GUIDANCE NOTES FOR COMPLETION OF THE INTERESTS REGISTER

Relevant dates: Detail here the date the interest arose, the date it was first declared and when it ceased, if applicable. For example, if an individual has ceased to hold shares or undertake relevant private practice.