

Medical Technology Advisory Committee Interests Register

Topic: Digital platforms to support cardiac rehabilitation: early value assessment

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| Name | Role with NICE | Type of interest | Description of interest | Interest arose | Interest declared | Interest ceased | Comments |
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| Michael Kolovetsios | Standing Committee Member | Financial | Medtronic employee | 11.2019 | 02.04.2025 | Ongoing | <i>Conflicted, no papers, no Part 2, no decision making</i> |
| Jennie Walker | Standing Committee Member | Nil | N/A | N/A | 09.04.2025 | N/A | <i>No further action</i> |
| Katherine Boylan | Standing Committee Member | Non-Financial Professional | I have led on the negotiation of a research, development and innovation master agreement between my employing organisation (MFT) and Medtronic. It was signed off in March 2025, but no projects have been initiated as a result yet. Technologies for cardiac surgery including valves might be a topic which we explore for collaboration in the future, although the fact this is an LSA probably means this is less relevant. I will not have any personal financial | 01.03.2025 | 01.07.2025 | Ongoing | <i>No further action</i> |

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| | | | <p>benefit as a result, but the success of future collaboration could benefit my organisation, either through paid research contracts or joint adoption projects. This is ongoing.</p> <p>Additionally, at some point MFT will be going to market for their cath lab procurement, which Medtronic will likely bid for - however, this activity does not sit within my remit.</p> | | | | |
| Katherine Boylan | Standing Committee Member | Non-Financial Professional | <p>I have previously been paid by Medtronic for participating in an advisory panel around their remote monitoring technology (not related to this evaluation). I did not benefit financially personally - the money went back into my employing organisation. April 2023 - no related panels/ advisory work pending</p> | 01.04.2023 | 01.07.2025 | 2023 | <i>No further action</i> |
| PenTAG | External Academic Group | Indirect Interests | <p>Professor Rod Taylor, who is a company representative/stakeholder in this appraisal, used to be at the University of Exeter and a</p> | Date of Rod Taylor's appointment | 08.04.2025 | 2020 | <i>No further action</i> |

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| | | | member of PenTAG. The REACH-HF programme that Health & Care Innovations Ltd (HCI) have digitised was originally developed at the University of Exeter by Prof Taylor under an NIHR grant. PenTAG hasn't had any known collaborations with Prof Taylor since his departure in early 2020. Prof Taylor remains an Honorary Professor at the University. | nt– early 2000s | | | |
| Saul Stevens | EAG representative | Financial | Completed an evaluation of a podiatry training tool deployed in Torbay and South Devon NHS Foundation Trust as part of a research consultancy (Apollo Health Innovations, for Health & Care Innovations Ltd). | 10/01/2021 | 08.04.2025 | 20/05/2021 | <i>No further action</i> |
| Matthew Annals | EAG representative | Non-financial professional and personal interests | Yes, while I was not involved in the development of the "Activate Your Heart" programme, I do work at the trust (University Hospitals of Leicester NHS Trust) and in the service where it was used with patients. | 11.2021 | 12.05.2025 | Ongoing | <i>No further action</i> |

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| Devavrata Joshi | Standing Committee Member | Nil | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | <i>No further action</i> |
| Elizabeth-Ann Schroeder | Standing Committee Member | Nil | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | <i>No further action</i> |
| Tom Butler | Specialist Committee Member | Non-financial professional and personal interests | Chair of the British Dietetic Association Cardiovascular Specialist Group | 01/01/2025 | March 2025 | Ongoing | <i>No further action</i> |
| Tom Butler | Specialist Committee Member | Non-financial professional and personal interests | Member of Heart UK Medical, Scientific and Research Committee | 11/10/2024 | March 2025 | Ongoing | <i>No further action</i> |
| Heather Probert | Specialist Committee Member | Non-financial professional and personal interests | President of BACPR | 05/10/2023 | March 2025 | Ongoing | <i>No further action</i> |
| Alexander Harrison | Professional Expert | Nil | Lead Analyst – National Audit of Cardiac Rehabilitation (NHS England Digital) | N/A | N/A | Ongoing | <i>No further action</i> |

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| Nerina Onion | Professional Expert | NIL | Programme Manager, National Audit of Cardiac Rehabilitation (NHS England Digital) | N/A | 04.09.2025 | N/A | <i>No further action</i> |
| Corinna Petre | Professional Expert | NIL | Project Manager, National Audit of Cardiac Rehabilitation (NHS England Digital) | N/A | 04.09.2025 | N/A | <i>No further action</i> |