

Declaration of interests register

Medical Technologies Advisory Committee

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Topic: MTG41 Senza spinal cord stimulation system for delivering HF10 therapy to treat chronic neuropathic pain

Name	Role with NICE	Type of interest	Description of interest	Relevant dates			NICE comments
				Interest arose	Interest declared	Interest ceased	
<i>Ms Karen Sanderson</i>	Expert adviser	Direct – Non-financial professional	Has an honorary contract with the manufacturer of the product for educational lectures.	-	23/01/2018	Current	No action other than the process of open declaration – reviewed by Medical Technologies Evaluation Programme Manager
		Direct – Non-financial professional	Has applied for a research grant and is awaiting its approval. Nevro have also sponsored grants within the research department at Ms Sanderson's place of work.	-	23/01/2018	Current	No action other than the process of open declaration – reviewed by Medical Technologies Evaluation Programme Manager
<i>Mr Girish Vajramani</i>	Expert adviser	Direct – Non-financial professional	Has been on a Nevro Clinical Advisory Board involving occasional meetings	-	29/01/2018	April 2018	No action other than the process of open declaration – reviewed by Medical

			for which expenses were covered.				Technologies Evaluation Programme Manager
		Direct – Non-financial professional	Mr Vajramani's nursing post (the pain physiotherapy) at the University Hospital Southampton was funded by the Nevro and St Jude Medical (now Abbott). This post was funded by the NHS as of April 2018. The funding is paid directly to Mr Vajramni's employer.	-	29/01/2018	Current	No action other than the process of open declaration – reviewed by Medical Technologies Evaluation Programme Manager
<i>Dr Tim Johnson</i>	Expert adviser	Direct – Non-financial professional	Is an NHS pain clinic consultant that implants Senza SCS devices.	-	02/02/2017	-	No action other than the process of open declaration – reviewed by Medical Technologies Evaluation Programme Manager
<i>Mr Alistair Jenkins</i>	Expert adviser	Indirect	Mr Jenkins sits on the NICE interventional procedures advisory committee.	-	22/05/2017	Current	No action other than the process of open declaration – reviewed by Medical Technologies Evaluation Programme Manager

<i>Dr Cynthia Iglesias</i>	MTAC member	Direct – Financial	Dr Iglesias provided advice on a consultancy basis to Mainstay on their ReActive 8 product in 2015. Dr Iglesias received personal payment for her consultancy work.	2015	17/02/2017	2015	Complete exclusion – reviewed by MTAC Chair and Acting Programme Director (Devices & Diagnostics)
<i>Mr Steve Fearn</i>	MTAC member	Direct – Financial	Mr Steven Fearn is employed by Abbott who produce a competitor product to the technology being considered.	-	01/03/2016 (on appointment)	Current	Complete exclusion – reviewed by MTAC Chair and Acting Programme Director (Devices & Diagnostics)
<i>Prof Paul Eldridge</i>	Expert adviser	Direct – Financial	Consultant to all of the stimulator manufacturers – Medtronic, St Judes/Abbott, Boston, Nevro. Active implanter of all systems of all manufacturers; Accepted sponsorship for educational meetings from all of the above companies	1993	14/06/2018	Current	Partial exclusion – reviewed by MTAC Chair and Acting Programme Director (Devices & Diagnostics)

		Direct – Non-financial professional	Member adult neurosciences commissioning group;	-	14/06/2018	Current	No action other than the process of open declaration – reviewed by Medical Technologies Evaluation Programme Manager
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