

**Violence and Aggression Guideline Development Group
Meeting 6**

Date and Time: Friday 17 January 2014, 10.30am – 4pm

Minutes: Unconfirmed

Place: The Royal College of Psychiatrists
21 Prescott Street
London
E1 8BB

Present: **GDG members**
Peter Tyrer (PT) (chair)
Tim Kendall (TK) (facilitator) (NCCMH)
Richard Barnett (RB)
Len Bowers (LBo)
Joy Duxbury (JD)
Elena Garralda (EG)
Mike Hunter (MH)
Uday Katkar (UK)
Catherine King (CK)
Brian Littlechild (BL)
Noel McKenna (NM)
Tony O'Connell (TOC)
Peter Pratt (PP)
Belinda Salt (BS)
Faisal Sethi (FS)
Leroy Simpson (LS)
Peter Staves (PS)
Birgit Völlm (BV)

Experts

None

In attendance:

NCCMH Staff: Lucy Burt (LB)
Rebecca Gate (RG)
David Glynn (DG)
Sabrina Naqvi (SN)
Craig Whittington (CW)

NICE staff Clifford Middleton (CM)

Observers: Mary Udechuku (MU)
Steve Pilling (SP) (NCCMH)
Bronwyn Harrison (BH) (NCCMH)

Notes

1. PT opened the meeting and welcomed everyone. MU joined as an observer. RG was introduced as the new research assistant replacing LBU, who is leaving the NCCMH.
2. Apologies were received from MM.
3. No new declarations of interest were raised.
4. Minutes from GDG 5 on 29 November 2013 were confirmed as an accurate record.
5. DG presented the Health Economics of Rapid Tranquillisation: modelling options,
6. DG reviewed the sedation evidence.
7. The Public Health Guidance on Smoking cessation in secondary care – mental health services reviews evidence on smoking cessation. This guideline will therefore not be considering smoking and review questions related to smoking have been decommissioned.
8. CW led the GDG through the evidence presentation on restraint and seclusion.
9. CW presented the Mental Health Act 1983 Revised Code of Practice (2008).
10. CW led the GDG through a GRADE profile refresher.
11. The writing plan was discussed, including restructuring it to prediction/ pre-event/ immediately pre-event / during and post-event.
12. NICE have updated some of their policies, which the NCCMH will be adopting as well. These changes will be circulated once finalised
13. Service user and carer concerns were discussed, including the inclusion vignettes / personal accounts.
14. A glossary of terms was shared.
15. The next meeting is 26 February 2014.