

Cerebral Palsy in Adults, Guideline Committee meeting 7

Date: Monday 15th and Tuesday 16th January 2018

Location: Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists (RCOG)

Minutes: Final

Committee members present	
Paul Eunson	Present for items 1 – 14
Ruth Kent	Present for items 1 – 14
Jill Scarisbrick	Present for items 1 – 14
Val Stevenson	Present for items 1 – 14
Elspeth Dixon	Present for items 1, 2, 6 – 14
Duncan Walsh	Present for items 1 – 14
Susan Hourihan	Present for items 1 – 14
Lloyd Bradley	Present for items 1 – 14
Rosie Werner	Present for items 1 – 14
Umesh Shah	Present for items 1 – 14
Stephen Bianchi (Co-opted member)	Present for items 1 – 14
John Starr (Co- opted member)	Present for items 8 – 14
NGA staff	
Katharina Dworzynski	Present for items 1 – 14
Nathan Bromham (day 1: in person, Day 2 via VC)	Present for items 1 – 14
Victoria Rowlands	Present for items 1 – 14
Charlie Fairhurst	Present for items 8 – 14
Gemma Simmons (via VC)	Present for items 1 – 14
Anuja Pandey	Present for items 1 – 14
James Hawkins (via VC)	Present for items 4 – 6
Ferruccio Pelone	Present for items 1 – 14
NICE staff	
Nick Staples	Present for items 1 – 7
Apologies	
Richard Bunn	Committee member

1. Welcome, housekeeping, introductions, apologies

The Chair welcomed the Committee members and attendees to the 7th committee meeting for Cerebral Palsy in Adults Guideline committee.

All committee members and NGA staff introduced themselves. Minutes of the previous meeting were confirmed.

Apologies have been received from Richard Bunn and Charlie Fairhurst.

2. Declarations of Interest

No new interests were declared.

3. Cerebral Palsy in Adults from the perspective of the Respiratory physician

Stephen Bianchi presented on Cerebral Palsy from the Perspective of the Respiratory Physician and took questions from the Committee.

4. Review question C2: Does assisted ventilation improve quality of life in adults with cerebral palsy who have a chronic respiratory disorder (including respiratory failure)?Clinical evidence

Anuja Pandey presented on the evidence review for the above question. James Hawkins presented on the HE evidence for the above question. The Committee Discussed the Evidence and area and made draft recommendations on the topic.

- 5. Review Question C2: Continued Discussion and review of draft recommendations Agreeing the content of the LETR
- 6. Review question C1: What is the most effective protocol for monitoring for respiratory health in adults with cerebral palsy?

Nathan Bromham presented on the evidence for Question C1. The Committee discussed the evidence and made draft recommendations in this area. The Committee discussed the Rationale and Impact of the recommendations.

7. Review of NICE Recommendations to Edits

The Committee went through the NICE Edits made to recommendations and accepted changes/responded to comments.

Close

8. Welcome, housekeeping, introductions, apologies

The Chair welcomed the Committee members and attendees to second day of the 7th committee meeting for Cerebral Palsy in Adults.

The Chair introduced John Starr who was a co-opt member.

Apologies have been received from Richard Bunn.

9. Declarations of Interest

No new interests were declared.

10. Review of Recommendations D1

The Committee returned to the Recommendations for Question D1. Which interventions (for example, vocational and independent living skills training) promote participation in adults with cerebral palsy?

11. Review question: F2- What are the barriers to access to primary and secondary care for adults with cerebral palsy?

Ferruccio Pelone presented on the evidence review for the above question. The Committee Discussed the Evidence and made draft recommendations on the topic.

12. NICE Edits to Recommendations continued

The Committee went through edits from the NICE Editor on the areas for Identifying pain and Interventions that improve function.

13. LETR confirmations – A topics

The Committee reviewed and signed off the content for the LETR for the A topic questions in the guideline.

14.AOB & Close

The Chair closed the Meeting. The date of the next meeting will be the 8th March 2018, RCOG.