

## Intrapartum care for high risk women – medical stream Committee meeting 6

**Date:** 08/09/2016



**Location:** RCOG, London

**Minutes:** Confirmed

<b>Committee members present:</b>	
David Williams (Chair)	(Present for notes 1 – 7)
P.S. Arunakumari	(Present for notes 1 – 7)
Jane Hawdon	(Present for notes 4 – 7)
Abigail Holmes	(Present for notes 1 – 7)
Lucy Mackillop	(Present for notes 1 – 7)
Julie Orford	(Present for notes 1 – 7)
Felicity Laat	(Present for notes 1 – 7)
Emily Stow	(Present for notes 1 – 7)
Emma Vince	(Present for notes 1 – 7)
Rebecca Whybrow	(Present for notes 1 – 7)
Ruwan Wimalasundera	(Present for notes 1 – 7)

<b>In attendance:</b>		
Clifford Middleton	NICE Guideline Commissioning Manager	(Present for notes 1 – 7)
Alex Bates	NGA Guideline Lead & Senior Health Economist	(Present for notes 1 – 7)
Shona Burman-Roy	NGA Senior Systematic Reviewer	(Present for notes 1 – 7)
Rami Cosulich	NGA Assistant Systematic Reviewer	(Present for notes 1 – 7)
Melanie Davies	NGA Clinical Advisor	(Present for notes 1 – 7)
Sally Humphreys	NGA Project Manager	(Present for notes 1 – 7)
Paul Jacklin	NGA Senior Health Economist	(Present for notes 1 – 7)

May Oo Khin	NGA Systematic Reviewer	(Present for notes 1 – 7)
Tim Reeves	NGA Information Scientist	(Present for notes 1 – 7)

**Apologies:**

Rupert Gauntlett	Committee member
Melissa Whitworth	Committee member
Moira Mugglestone	NGA Director

**1. Welcome and objectives for the meeting**

The Chair welcomed the Committee members and attendees to the sixth meeting on intrapartum care for high risk women with medical conditions. The Committee members and attendees introduced themselves.

The Chair informed the Committee that apologies had been received. These are noted above.

Alex Bates, NGA Guideline Lead, outlined the objectives of the meeting which included: reviewing and amending protocols for review questions, and agreeing health economic priorities.

**2. Confirmation of matter under discussion, and declarations of interest**

The Chair confirmed that, for the purpose of managing conflicts of interest, the matter under discussion was intrapartum care for high risk women with medical conditions.

The Chair asked everyone to verbally declare any interests that have arisen since the last meeting.

Name	Job title, organisation	Declarations of Interest, date declared	Type of interest	Decision taken
Felicity Laat	Consultant Obstetric Anaesthetist, Queen Charlotte's Hospital, Imperial College Healthcare NHS	8.9.2016 Director, Baby Lifeline Training, travel expense paid	Personal non-financial non-specific	No action needed

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Felicity Laat	Consultant Obstetric Anaesthetist, Queen Charlotte's Hospital, Imperial College Healthcare NHS Trust	8.9.2016 Member of medical panel, Swinfen Telemedicine Trust. Nil financial.	Personal non-financial non-specific	No action needed
Felicity Laat	Consultant Obstetric Anaesthetist, Queen Charlotte's Hospital, Imperial College Healthcare NHS Trust	8.9.2016 Director, Obstetric Anaesthetists Association. Travel expenses paid.	Personal non-financial non-specific	No action needed
Ruwan Wimalasundera	Consultant Obstetrician and Meternal and Fetal Medicine Specialist - University College London Hospital	8.9.2016 Appointed as Chair of North Central London Maternity Network Board. Paid as IPA through NHS salary.	Personal financial, non-specific	No action needed
Lucy Mackillop	Consultant Obstetric Physician Oxford University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	8.9.2016 PI for new study (SAVE UK), Oxford University, commercial funding – no personal financial gain.	Non-personal financial non-specific	No action needed
Lucy Mackillop	Consultant Obstetric Physician Oxford University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	8.9.2016 Member of working party commissioned by CMO to explore physical activity in pregnancy	Non-personal financial non-specific	

		and funded by DH.		
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The Chair and a senior member of the Developer's team noted that the interests declared did not prevent the attendees from fully participating in the meeting.

### 3. Minutes of last meeting

The Chair asked the Committee if it wanted any changes made to the minutes of the last meeting. The Committee suggested the following changes:

- The declaration of interest attributed to LM should be allocated to Jane Hawdon. (This amendment was made to the minutes).

The Chair confirmed that all matters arising had been completed or were in hand.

### 4. Presentations

The Chair introduced Shona Burman-Roy, NGA Senior Systematic Reviewer, who gave a presentation on Protocol: Which women with a history of intracranial haemorrhage or a cerebrovascular malformation should avoid labour?

The Chair introduced Shona Burman-Roy, NGA Senior Systematic Reviewer, who gave a presentation on Protocol: Does antenatal planning for birth involving an expanded multidisciplinary team compared with routine antenatal care planning improve intrapartum outcomes for women with existing medical conditions?

The Chair introduced Shona Burman-Roy, NGA Senior Systematic Reviewer, who gave a presentation on Protocol: What are the main areas of information about labour and birth that are needed by pregnant women with existing medical conditions?

The Chair introduced Paul Jacklin, NGA Senior Health Economist, who gave a presentation on Health economic priorities.

The Chair introduced Alex Bates, NGA Guideline Lead, who gave a presentation on Protocol: What is the optimal position in the second stage of labour for women with obesity?

The Chair introduced Alex Bates, NGA Guideline Lead, who gave a presentation on Protocol: What additional equipment is needed to ensure optimal care of women with obesity in the peripartum period?

The Committee then discussed the issues presented in relation to this guideline.

The Committee thanked the speakers for their presentations and contribution to the

development of the guideline.

#### **5. Questions and discussion**

The Committee discussed the Protocols and Health economic priorities and were given the opportunity to ask questions and make amendments.

#### **6. Other issues**

The Committee considered the following equalities issues:

- Accessibility of information for non-English language speakers
- Potential limitations of birth position choice in obese women

#### **7. Any other business**

The committee were informed of the appointment of renal and cardiac expert co-opted members.

**Date of next meeting:** 02/11/2016

**Location of next meeting:** RCOG, London