

Twin and Triplet Pregnancy Committee meeting 7

Date: 11th September 2018

Location: Broadway House, London

Minutes: Confirmed

Committee members present:		
Tony Pearson(Chair)		(Present for notes 1 – 8)
Jane Denton		(Present for notes 1 – 8)
Mark Kilby (Topic adviser)		(Present for notes 1 – 8)
Richard Tubman		(Present for notes 1 – 8)
Helen Turier		(Present for notes 1 – 8)
Marguerite Usher-Somers		(Present for notes 1 – 8)
Sophie Windsor		(Present for notes 1 – 8)
Janice Gibson		(Present for notes 1 – 8)
Asma Khalil		(Present for notes 1 – 8)
Kenga Sivarajah		(Present for notes 1 – 8)
Joanna Fitzsimmons		(Present for notes 1 – 8)

In attendance:		
Katharina Dworzynski	NGA Guideline lead	(Present for notes 1 – 8)
Ayo Haruna	NGA Project Manager	(Present for notes 1 – 8)
Louise Geneen	NGA Systematic Reviewer	(Present for notes 1 – 8)
Paul Jacklin	NGA Senior Health Economist	(Present for notes 1 – 8)
Laura Kuznetsov	NGA Systematic Reviewer	(Present for notes 1 – 8)
Sarah Catchpole	NICE Editor	(Present for notes 1 – 8)

Observers:	
Louise Crathorne	(Present for notes 1 – 8)

Apologies: 11th September 2018	
Nick Staples	NICE Guidelines Commissioning Manager

1. Welcome and objectives for the meeting

The Chair welcomed the Committee members and attendees to day 2 of the seventh meeting on Twin and Triplet Pregnancy.

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

The Chair outlined the objectives of the meeting, which included: drafting recommendations, edited recommendations and rationale and impact in the short guideline.

Introductions

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 twin and triplet pregnancy.

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
Richard Tubman	[Consultant Neonatologist, Regional NICU, Royal Maternity Hospital, Belfast	Education Associate GMC [Declared 05.09.2018]	[Details ([e.g. Direct/Non-direct; financial/non-financial)	
Richard Tubman	Consultant Neonatologist, Regional NICU, Royal Maternity Hospital, Belfast	Enhanced Monitoring Associate, GMC [Declared 05.09.2018]	Non-financial Professional/Personal	
Richard Tubman	Consultant Neonatologist, Regional NICU, Royal Maternity Hospital, Belfast	Assessor, START assessments RCPCH [Declared 05.09.2018]	Non-financial Professional/Personal	
Richard Tubman	Consultant Neonatologist,	Honorary Treasurer and	Non-financial Professional/Personal	

	Regional NICU, Royal Maternity Hospital, Belfast	Trustee, Northern Ireland Perinatal Trust (NIC 101993, HMRC N1006020) [Declared 05.09.2018]		
Richard Tubman	Consultant Neonatologist, Regional NICU, Royal Maternity Hospital, Belfast	Consultant Volunteer, Newborns Vietnam (Registered Charity 1144562) [Declared 05.09.2018]	Non-financial Professional/Personal	
Richard Tubman	Consultant Neonatologist, Regional NICU, Royal Maternity Hospital, Belfast	I accept medicolegal work as an expert witness in neonatal medicine. [Declared 05.09.2018]	Financial	
Jane Denton	Director of Multiple Births Foundation (MBF) at the Multiple Births Foundation	British Fertility Society and Fertility Network UK on the costs of twin pregnancies from the National Guideline Alliance. This report was published on 4 th September 2018 and is available on the MBF website. [Declared 05.09.2018]	Direct, Non-Financial	
Mark Kilby	Professor of Obstetrics and	Global Time Group	Direct, Non-Financial	

	Fetal Medicine, University of Birmingham	[Declared 10.09.2018]		
Mark Kilby	Professor of Obstetrics and Fetal Medicine, University of Birmingham	WestMidlands Twins/ MBF- working with MBF to increase standards in west midlands .[Declared 10.09.2018]	Direct, Non-Financial	
Mark Kilby	Professor of Obstetrics and Fetal Medicine, University of Birmingham	TAMBA working group. [Declared 10.09.2018]	Direct, Non-Financial	
Janice Gibson	Consultant Obstetrician, The Queen Elizabeth University Hospital, Glasgow	MBRRACE UK – Perinatal mortality in twins, assessment of twin losses in 2017	Direct, Non-Financial	
Sophie Windsor	Consultant Midwife - Complex Care, Lewisham and Greenwich NHS Trust	MBRRACE Perinatal mortality	Direct, Non-Financial	
Sophie Windsor	Consultant Midwife - Complex Care, Lewisham and Greenwich NHS Trust	Global twins and multiples steering group	Direct, Non-Financial	
Sophie Windsor	Consultant Midwife - Complex Care, Lewisham and Greenwich NHS Trust	FGR study core outcomes steering group	Direct, Non-Financial	
Sophie Windsor	Consultant Midwife - Complex Care, Lewisham and Greenwich NHS Trust	Steering group TTTS core outcomes.	Direct, Non-Financial	

	NHS Trust			
<p>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.</p>				
3. Minutes of last meeting				
<p>The Chair asked the Committee if it wanted any changes made to the minutes of the last meeting. The Committee agreed that the minutes were a true and accurate account of the meeting.</p>				
4. Presentations				
<p>The Chair introduced Sarah Catchpole, NICE editor, who presented an update to the guideline committee.</p> <p>The Committee thanked Sarah Catchpole for their presentations and contribution to the development of the guideline.</p>				
5. Questions and discussion				
<p>The Committee discussed the previous recommendations. The committee also edited recommendations in the short guideline and the summary of the draft committee discussion sections for screening and prevention of preterm birth. And were given the opportunity to ask questions.</p>				
7. Other issues				
<p>The Chair updated the committee on the time and location for the next guideline committee meeting.</p>				

Date of next meeting: 10th December 2018

Location of next meeting: RCOG, 27 Sussex Pl, Marylebone, London
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