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## NICE guidelines

### Equality impact assessment

#### Diverticular disease

The impact on equality has been assessed during guidance development according to the principles of the NICE equality policy.

#### **4.0 Final guideline (to be completed by the Developer before GE consideration of final guideline)**

4.1 Have any additional potential equality issues been raised during the consultation, and, if so, how has the Committee addressed them?

No further issues identified

4.2 If the recommendations have changed after consultation, are there any recommendations that make it more difficult in practice for a specific group to access services compared with other groups? If so, what are the barriers to, or difficulties with, access for the specific group?

No changes made that would make it more difficult in practice for a specific group to access services compared with other groups

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No

4.4 If the recommendations have changed after consultation, are there any recommendations or explanations that the Committee could make to remove or alleviate barriers to, or difficulties with, access to services identified in questions 4.1, 4.2 and 4.3, or otherwise fulfil NICE's obligations to advance equality?

No

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4.5 Have the Committee's considerations of equality issues been described in the final guideline, and, if so, where?

These have been referred to in the committee's discussion of the evidence (reports signs and symptoms of diverticular disease, referral criteria for acute diverticulitis and management of diverticular disease)

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