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NICE guidelines

Equality impact assessment

Atrial Fibrillation: Management (update)

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

2.0 Checking for updates and scope: after consultation (to be completed by the Developer and submitted with the revised scope)

2.1 Have any potential equality issues been identified during consultation, and, if so, what are they?

People with atrial fibrillation from black and ethnic minority groups may be at more risk of developing a stroke.

2.2 Have any changes to the scope been made as a result of consultation to highlight potential equality issues?

Black and ethnic minority groups has to be added to the section 'equalities considerations'.

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2.3 Is the primary focus of the guideline a population with a specific disability-related communication need? No.

If so, do the key messages for the public need to be produced in an alternative version?

If so, which alternative version is recommended?

The alternative versions available are:

- large font or audio versions for a population with sight loss
- British Sign Language videos for a population deaf from birth
- 'Easy read' versions for people with learning disabilities or cognitive impairment.

Does an alternative version(s) of the consultation documents also need to be produced?

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