

Antenatal Care Guideline Committee

Date: 03 October 2019

Location: L5, RCOG

Minutes: Confirmed

Committee members present:	
Kate Harding (KH) (Chair)	Present 1-10
Abigail Holmes (AH) (Topic Advisor)	Present 1-10
Denise Lightfoot	Present 1-10
Ceri Phillips	Present 1-10
Sam Chenery-Morris	Present 1-10
Nisreen A Alwan	Present 1-10
Yana Richens	Present 1-10
Mairead Black	Present 1-10
Maria Clark	Present 1-10

In attendance:		
Maija Kallioinen	Guideline Lead	Present 1-10
Hadil Al-Etabi	Project Manager	Present 1-10
James Gilbert	Head of Evidence Reviews	Present 1-10
Shalmali Deshpande	Systematic Reviewer	Present 1-10
Stephen Murphy	Clinical Advisor	Present 4-10
Elise Hasler (via VC)	Information Scientist	Present 1-10
Benjamin Purchase	Health Economist	Present 1-10
Olakunle Kayode	Systematic Reviewer	Present 1-10
Caroline Keir	NICE Guideline Commissioning Manager	Present 5-10

Apologies:	
Melanie Barnes	GC member

Inass Osman	GC member
Caroline Star	GC member

1. Welcome and objectives for the meeting

The Chair welcomed the Committee members and attendees to the tenth meeting on Antenatal Care. The Committee members and attendees introduced themselves.

No members of the public asked to observe the meeting.

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 for review question 2.8, 2.9, reviewing protocols for RQs 2.7 and sharing NICE edits on R&I sections completed thus far.

2.Introductions

The Chair led round the table introductions for the group. Welcomed James Gilbert who will be replacing Linyun Fou as Senior Systematic Reviewer, the chair thanked Lin for his contribution to the guideline.

3. 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 Antenatal Care.

The Chair asked everyone to verbally declare any interests that have arisen since the last meeting. No new interests were declared.

The Chair and the Guideline Lead noted that the interests declared did not prevent the attendees from fully participating in the meeting.

4. Minutes of last meeting

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.

5. Evidence review 2.8

The Chair introduced the systematic reviewer Olakunle Kayode, who gave a presentation of a Review 2.8 What is the effectiveness of routine scanning after 36+0 weeks of pregnancy

<p>compared to standard care regarding breech presentation? Olakunle took questions from the group. Recommendations were drafted. The chair thanked Olakunle for his presentation.</p>
<p>6. Evidence review 2.9</p>
<p>The Chair introduced the NGA systematic reviewer, Shalmali Deshpande, who gave a presentation on RQ 2.9 What is the most effective way of managing a longitudinal lie fetal malpresentation?, Shalmali took questions from the group. Recommendations were drafted. The chair thanked Shalmali for his presentation.</p>
<p>7. Protocol for evidence review 2.7</p>
<p>The Chair introduced the NGA Head of Evidence reviews, James Gilbert, who gave a presentation on draft protocol for RQ 2.7 What is the most effective way of identifying hypertension in pregnancy? James took questions/suggestions from the group. Protocol was finalised. The chair thanked James.</p>
<p>8. Discussion around review questions</p>
<p>The Chair and Guideline Lead discussed with the committee the two review questions 2.2 What should the content of antenatal appointments be? and 3.1 When should ultrasound estimation of gestational age be carried out in pregnancy? The committee discussed the importance of considering equalities issues and how they might be covered in this guideline, to be discussed further with the NICE team.</p>
<p>9. Reviewing editor's edits to recommendations and rationale & impact sections</p>
<p>The Chair introduced the Guideline Lead Maija Kallioinen who presented edits to recommendations and rationale & impact sections on the following sections for the committee to review:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Involving partners (p5 for recs, p16 for rationale & impact section) • Peer support (p7 for recs, p20 for rationale & impact section) • Appointments (p7 for recs, p22 for rationale & impact section)
<p>10. Any other business</p>
<p>No other business, the chair closed the meeting.</p>

Date of next meeting: 16 January 2020

Location of next meeting: RCOG