

## Gout: Diagnosis and Management Committee meeting 10

**Date:** 05/08/2021

**Location:** Video-conference via Zoom

**Minutes:** Final

### Committee members present:

Aung Soe	(Present for notes 1 – 4)
Ed Roddy	(Present for notes 1 – 4)
Alastair Dickson	(Present for notes 1 – 4)
Jane Taylor	(Present for notes 1 – 4)
Kelsey Jordan	(Present for notes 1-3b)
Mohammed Rafiq	(Present for notes 1 – 4)
Sarah Ryan	(Present for notes 1 – 4)

### In attendance:

Amber Hernaman	Project Manager, NGC	(Present for notes 1 – 4)
Julie Neilson	Senior Reviewer, NGC	(Present for notes 1 – 4)
Gill Ritchie	Guideline Lead, NGC	(Present for notes 1 – 4)
Sophia Kemmis Betty	Senior Health Economist, NGC	(Present for notes 1 – 3b)
Alexandra Bonnon	Health Economist, NGC	(Present for notes 1 – 4)

### Apologies:

Hilton Hurst	Committee Member
Hugh Gallagher	Committee Member
Clifford Middleton	NICE Guideline Commissioning Manager

### 1. Welcome and objectives for the meeting

The Chair welcomed the Committee members and attendees to the tenth guideline committee meeting on gout.

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

noted above.

The Chair outlined the objectives of the meeting.

## 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

- Evidence review 6.1 Indications for referral to specialist services
- Health economic model results
- Review of draft recommendations
- Allocation of chapter introductions and review of research recommendations

Name	Job title, organisation	Declarations of Interest	Type of interest	Decision taken
Ed Roddy	Reader in Rheumatology and Honorary Consultant Rheumatologist	<p>Co-author of 4 papers included in the evidence review 1.1 information and support for people with gout and their families and carers.</p> <p>Chandratre P, Mallen CD, Roddy E, Liddle J, Richardson J. "You want to get on with the rest of your life": a qualitative study of health-related quality of life in gout. <i>Clinical Rheumatology</i>. 2016; 35(5):1197-1205</p> <p>Liddle J, Roddy E, Mallen CD, Hider SL, Prinjha S, Ziebland S et al. Mapping patients' experiences from initial symptoms to gout diagnosis: a</p>	Direct non-financial professional and personal	<p>The Chair decided ER may participate in the committee decision making as views are balanced across the committee and no commercially produced interventions under consideration. No action needed other than process of open declaration.</p>

		<p>qualitative exploration. BMJ Open. 2015; 5(9):e008323</p> <p>Richardson JC, Liddle J, Mallen CD, Roddy E, Hider S, Prinjha S et al. A joint effort over a period of time: factors affecting use of urate-lowering therapy for long-term treatment of gout. BMC Musculoskeletal Disorders. 2016; 17:249</p> <p>Richardson JC, Liddle J, Mallen CD, Roddy E, Prinjha S, Ziebland S et al. "Why me? I don't fit the mould ... I am a freak of nature": a qualitative study of women's experience of gout. BMC Women's Health. 2015; 15:122</p>		
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The Chair and a senior member of the Developer's team noted that the interests declared did not prevent the attendee from fully participating in the meeting.

**3. Presentations, questions and discussion**

- a) Julie Neilsen presented evidence review 6.1 on Indications for referral to specialist services and the committee discussed and drafted recommendations on the day.
- b) Alexandra Bonnon presented the health economic model results to the committee

c) Amber Hernaman made live edits to the review of draft recommendations.

d) The committee discussed and edited the research recommendations

**4. Any other business**

None.

**Date of next meeting:** 06/08/2021

**Location of next meeting:** Video-conference