

## Multiple Obstetric Guidelines Update Committee Meeting 21

**Date:** 31 August 2021

**Location:** Virtual via Microsoft Teams

**Minutes:** Confirmed

<b>Committee members present:</b>	
Sarah Fishburn (Chair)	Present for notes 1 – 7
Maggie Blott (Topic Advisor)	Present for notes 1 – 7
Alena Chong	Present for notes 1 – 7
Chimwemwe Kalumbi	Present for notes 1 – 7
Sophie McAllister	Present for notes 1 – 7
Lisa Relton	Present for notes 1 – 7
Aung Soe	Present for notes 1 – 7
Debbie Miller	Present for notes 1 – 4
Philip Barclay	Present for notes 1 – 7
Maria Clark	Present for notes 1 – 4
Munira Oza	Present for notes 5 – 7
Neelam Potdar	Present for notes 5 – 7
Rachel Small	Present for notes 5 – 7
Jennifer Davies	Present for notes 5 – 7

<b>In attendance:</b>		
Hilary Eadon	NGA Guideline Lead	Present for notes 1 – 7
Mike Maresh	NGA Clinical Advisor	Present for notes 1 – 7
Eva Gonzalez-Viana	NGA Senior Systematic Reviewer	Present for notes 1 – 7
Claire Maynard	NGA Systematic Reviewer	Present for notes 1 – 7
Agnesa Mehmeti	NGA Systematic Reviewer	Present for notes 1 – 7
Paul Jacklin	NGA Senior Health Economist	Present for notes 1 – 7
Offiong Ani	NGA Senior Project Manager	Present for notes 1 – 7
Tim Reeves	NGA Information Scientist	Present for notes 1 – 7
Rebecca Blackburn	NGA Assistant Systematic Reviewer	Present for note 4
Clifford Middleton	NICE Guideline Commissioning Manager	Present for notes 1 – 7
Gareth Haman	NICE Senior Medical Editor	Present for notes 1 – 7

<b>Apologies:</b>	
Edgar Masanga	NICE Business Analyst
Josie O’Heney	NGA Clinical Fellow
Sarah Beswick	Committee member
Samantha Russell	Committee member
Cornelia Wiesender	Committee member
Charlotte Huddy	Committee member
Ashifa Trivedi	Committee member

### 1. Welcome and objectives for the meeting

The Chair welcomed the committee members and attendees to the 21<sup>st</sup> meeting on multiple obstetric guidelines update.

The Chair informed the committee that apologies were received and noted above.

The Chair outlined the objectives of the meeting, which included reviewing guideline protocols, evidence, editorial changes to existing recommendations and stakeholder comments.

### 2. Confirmation of matter under discussion, and declarations of interest

The Chair confirmed that, for the purpose of managing conflicts of interest, the matters under discussion were multiple obstetric topics including Preterm labour and birth (PTLB), Intrapartum care (IPC) and Ectopic pregnancy and miscarriage (EPM) .

The Chair asked everyone to verbally declare any interests that have risen since the last meeting. New interests were declared and noted below.

Name	Role	Type of interest	Description of interest	Relevant dates			Comments
				Interest arose	Interest declared	Interest ceased	
Alena Chong	Committee member		Publication in GPLive magazine		31/08/2021		
Munira Oza	Lay member	Direct, personal and professional	Pregnancy & Baby Charities Network, Vice-chair	2021	31/08/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL Aug 2021 Rationale: Not specific to

							guideline.
<p>The Chair and Guideline Lead noted that the interests declared in the registry did not prevent the attendees from fully participating in the meeting.</p>							
<p><b>3. Minutes of last meeting</b></p>							
<p>These minutes had been previously approved by email by the attendees (due to a change in committee membership)</p>							
<p><b>4. Morning presentations</b></p>							
<p>The Chair introduced Eva Gonzalez-Viana, Senior Systematic Reviewer, who presented the review protocol for PTLB Q2: What is the effectiveness of repeat courses of maternal corticosteroids for fetal lung maturation in improving preterm neonatal outcomes?</p> <p>The Chair introduced Claire Maynard, NGA Systematic Reviewer, who presented the review protocol for IPC Q7.1: What is the most effective position for birth in women with an epidural in situ?</p> <p>Claire Maynard then presented the review protocol for IPC Q7.2: What is the most effective position for birth in women without an epidural in situ?</p>							
<p><b>5. Afternoon presentations</b></p>							
<p>The Chair introduced Paul Jacklin, Senior Health Economist, and Claire Maynard, who presented the evidence review for IPC Q3.2: What is the effectiveness of remifentanyl administered by intravenous patient-controlled analgesia (PCA) compared to other opioid intramuscular administration?</p> <p>The Chair introduced Hilary Eadon, Guideline Lead, who presented an overview of the EPM stakeholder consultation comments and key themes, and led the committee through discussions of guideline recommendations and consultation comments.</p> <p>Hilary Eadon also presented suggested editorial changes to certain sections of the existing IPC recommendations for committee discussion.</p>							
<p><b>6. Questions and discussions</b></p>							
<p>The committee revised and signed off the protocols for PTLB Q2, IPC Q7.1 and 7.2.</p> <p>The committee discussed the evidence for IPC Q3.2 and drafted recommendations.</p> <p>The committee discussed the EPM stakeholder consultation comments, reviewed and revised recommendations in the guideline.</p> <p>The committee discussed and reviewed the editorial changes made to the existing IPC recommendations, agreed to some and made revisions to others.</p>							

**7. Any other business**

Hilary Eadon informed the committee of the next steps and further actions required by the NGA team and the committee to resolve any remaining issues for the EPM guideline.

The Chair reminded the committee of the date for the next meeting and closed today's meeting.

**Date of next meeting:** 27<sup>th</sup> September 2021

**Location of next meeting:** Virtual via Microsoft Teams