

Metastatic Spinal Cord Compression Advisory Committee Interests Register

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Name	Role with NICE	Type of interest	Description of interest	Interest arose	Interest declared	Interest ceased	Comments
Rajeena Ackroyd (Jeena)	Committee member	<i>Direct, Financial interest</i>	Consultant in Palliative Medicine Consultant in Palliative Medicine Calderdale and Huddersfield NHS Trust	Interest arose more than 12 months before appointment	During recruitment	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by GL and Chair November 2022 Rationale: Salaried employment in the NHS. This interest is non-specific.
Rachel Clayton	Lay member		<i>Nothing to declare</i>				Declare and participate
Peter Gowans	Lay member		<i>Nothing to declare</i>				Declare and participate
Neil Greenberg	Committee Chair (until August 2021)	<i>Direct, Financial interest</i>	Director of March on Stress Limited. This is a small psychological health consultancy which provides training and clinical support to people who work in challenging occupations such as diplomats, emergency services and similar. www.marchonstress.com	2003	15/11/2020	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by NGA Director of Guidelines and NICE CA at recruitment Rationale: This interest is non-specific

							to the scope of the guideline
Neil Greenberg	Committee Chair (until August 2021)	<i>Direct, Financial interest</i>	Director of Psych Health Solutions Limited. This is the company that my wife and I put our private work through. I carry out expert witness work relating to traumatic stress, occupational mental health and criminal law cases.	2012	15/11/2020	Ongoing	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by NGA Director of Guidelines and NICE CA at recruitment</p> <p>Rationale: This interest is non-specific to the scope of the guideline</p>
Neil Greenberg	Committee Chair (until August 2021)	<i>Direct, Financial interest</i>	Contracted member of staff with King's College London. I carry out a range of research work for the King's Centre for Military Health Research and the Health Protection Research Unit (NIHR funded)	2002	15/11/2020	Ongoing	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by NGA Director of Guidelines and NICE CA at recruitment</p> <p>Rationale: This interest is non-specific to the scope of the guideline</p>
Neil Greenberg	Committee Chair (until August 2021)	<i>Direct, Non-financial professional and personal interest</i>	Presidential Lead on Trauma and the Military for the Royal College of Psychiatrists	July 2013	15/11/2020	Ongoing	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by NGA Director of Guidelines</p>

							and NICE CA at recruitment Rationale: This interest is non-specific to the scope of the guideline
Neil Greenberg	Committee Chair (until August 2021)	<i>Direct, Non-financial professional and personal interest</i>	Chair of the Royal College of Psychiatrists Special Interest Group in Occupational Psychiatry	October 2018	15/11/2020	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by NGA Director of Guidelines and NICE CA at recruitment Rationale: This interest is non-specific to the scope of the guideline
Neil Greenberg	Committee Chair (until August 2021)	<i>Direct, Non-financial professional and personal interest</i>	Trustee for Walking with the Wounded (military charity)	December 2014	15/11/2020	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by NGA Director of Guidelines and NICE CA at recruitment Rationale: This interest is non-specific to the scope of the guideline
Neil Greenberg	Committee Chair (until August 2021)	<i>Direct, Non-financial</i>	Trustee for the Forces in Mind Trust (military charity)	December 2014	15/11/2020	June 2020	Declare and participate Agreed by NGA Director of Guidelines

		<i>professional and personal interest</i>					and NICE CA at recruitment Rationale: This interest is non-specific to the scope of the guideline
Neil Greenberg	Committee Chair (until August 2021)	<i>Direct, Non-financial professional and personal interest</i>	Trustee for the Society for Occupational Medicine	June 2020	15/11/2020	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by NGA Director of Guidelines and NICE CA at recruitment Rationale: This interest is non-specific to the scope of the guideline
Ananya Choudhury	Committee member	<i>Direct, Financial interest</i>	Chair in Clinical Oncology, Co-Group Leader Translational Radiobiology, School of Medical Sciences, Faculty of Biology, Medicine and Health, University of Manchester	Interest arose more than 12 months before appointment	During recruitment	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by GL and Chair November 2022 Rationale: Salaried employment in a University. This interest is non-specific.
Ananya Choudhury	Committee member	<i>Indirect, Financial interest</i>	Grant income CRUK	01/2015	01/08/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by NGA Director of Guidelines

							and NICE CA at recruitment Rationale: The grant is not specifically related to MSCC.
Ananya Choudhury	Committee member	<i>Indirect, Financial interest</i>	Grant income NIHR	01/2015	01/08/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by NGA Director of Guidelines and NICE CA at recruitment Rationale: The grant is not specifically related to MSCC.
Ananya Choudhury	Committee member	<i>Indirect, Financial interest</i>	Grant income MRC	04/2019	01/08/2021	06/2021	Declare and participate Agreed by NGA Director of Guidelines and NICE CA at recruitment Rationale: The grant is not specifically related to MSCC.
Ananya Choudhury	Committee member	<i>Indirect, Financial interest</i>	Grant income PCUK	01/2015	01/08/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by NGA Director of Guidelines and NICE CA at recruitment

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Ananya Choudhury	Committee member	<i>Direct, Financial interest</i>	Honoraria from AZ, Roche, BMS, Janssen, Astellas, Elekta AB, ASCO, ASTRO	01/2016	01/08/2021	Ongoing	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by NGA Director of Guidelines and NICE CA at recruitment</p> <p>Rationale: Apart from Elekta (related to radiology technology) none of the companies produce medication related to the scope.</p>
Ananya Choudhury	Committee member	<i>Direct, Non-financial professional and personal interest</i>	Editor in Chief, Clinical Oncology	04/21	01/08/2021	Ongoing	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by NGA Director of Guidelines and NICE CA at recruitment</p> <p>Rationale: This interest is related to the scope of the guideline but editorial decisions are made based on consensus between editor and peer reviewers.</p>

Ananya Choudhury	GC member	<i>Direct, Non-financial professional and personal interests</i>	Senior Editor, IJROBP	09/17	01/08/2021	09/2020	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by NGA Director of Guidelines and NICE CA at recruitment</p> <p>Rationale: This interest is related to the scope of the guideline but editorial decisions are made based on consensus between editor and peer reviewers.</p>
Paul Eunson	Committee Chair	<i>Direct, Financial interest</i>	Consultant Paediatric Neurologist & Honorary Senior Lecturer	Interest arose more than 12 months before appointment	During recruitment	Ongoing	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by GL in line with NICE policy on declaring and managing interests November 2022</p> <p>Rationale: Salaried employment in the NHS and University. This interest is non-specific.</p>
Paul Eunson	Committee Chair (from	<i>Direct, Non-financial</i>	I am a trustee of Castang Foundation, a charity that supports research into prevention and	2010	04/05/2019	Ongoing	<p>Declare and participate</p>

	September 2021)	<i>professional and personal interest</i>	management of disability in children, including cerebral palsy. I do not receive any payment for this work.				Agreed by NGA Director of Guidelines and NICE CA at recruitment. Rationale: This interest is non-specific to the scope of the guideline
Paul Eunson	Committee Chair (from September 2021)	<i>Direct, Financial interest</i>	I do some medico-legal work preparing reports for the NHS and for claimants. The majority of this is related to cerebral palsy and early childhood infections such as meningitis. My reports would cover causation as well as prognosis. I have occasionally prepared a report on a child who has suffered a head injury –the most recent was in May 2018. I would not propose taking on any further head injury cases.	2000	04/05/2019	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by NGA Director of Guidelines and NICE CA at recruitment Rationale: This interest is non-specific to the scope of the guideline
Paul Eunson	Committee Chair (from September 2021)	<i>Direct, Non-financial professional and personal interest</i>	I would be responsible for the acute care of children who have suffered a head injury and then would pass over organisation and rehabilitation of the child to	1996	04/05/2019	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by NGA Director of Guidelines

			a colleague in neurodisability.				and NICE CA at recruitment Rationale: This interest is non-specific to the scope of the guideline
Paul Eunson	Committee Chair (from September 2021)	<i>Direct, Financial interest</i>	I have been appointed to a clinical post in palliative care in Children's Hospice Association across Scotland from July 2022. My clinical duties will not include care of adults with MSCC	July 2022	19.05.2022	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by GLL in June 2022 Rationale: Salaried employment in a not-for-profit Association. This interest is non-specific.
Kaushik Ghosh	Committee member	Direct, Financial interest	Consultant Neuro and Complex Spinal surgeon, Department of Neurosurgery, Royal Preston Hospital	Interest arose more than 12 months before appointment	During recruitment	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by GL and Chair November 2022 Rationale: Salaried employment in the NHS. This interest is non-specific.
Kaushik Ghosh	Committee member	<i>Direct, Financial interest</i>	Private practice	2017	19/07/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by NGA Director of Guidelines and NICE CA at recruitment

							Rationale: The private practice does not involve the management of people with MSCC
Clare Greenbaum	Committee member	<i>Direct, Financial interest</i>	Advanced nurse practitioner, Consultant in Palliative Medicine The Christie NHS Foundation Trust, Manchester	Interest arose more than 12 months before appointment	During recruitment	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by GL and Chair November 2022 Rationale: Salaried employment in the NHS. This interest is non-specific.
Nicholas Haden	Committee Topic advisor	<i>Direct, Financial interest</i>	Consultant Neurosurgeon, The Royal National Orthopaedic Hospital, London	Interest arose more than 12 months before appointment	During recruitment	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by GL and Chair November 2022 Rationale: Salaried employment in the NHS. This interest is non-specific.
Nicholas Haden	Committee Topic advisor	<i>Direct, Financial interest</i>	Ad hoc educational contract (surgeon training) – Johnson&Johnson (Depuy Synthes and Ethicon)	2010	17/02/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by GL and NICE CA at recruitment Rationale: This relates to training general surgical skills and

							does not promote one approach over another.
Nicholas Haden	Committee Topic advisor	<i>Direct, Financial interest</i>	Ad hoc educational contract (surgeon training) – Medtronic	2014	17/02/2021	Ongoing	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by GL and NICE CA at recruitment</p> <p>Rationale: This relates to training general surgical skills and does not promote one approach over another.</p>
Nicholas Haden	Committee Topic advisor	<i>Direct, Financial interest</i>	Ad hoc educational contract (surgeon training) – Le Maitre	2016	17/02/2021	2020	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Rationale: This interest has ceased.</p>
Nicholas Haden	Committee Topic advisor	<i>Direct, Non-financial professional and personal interest</i>	Spinal Lead, Society of British Neurological Surgeons	2019	17/02/2021	Continues – 3yr tenure	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by GL and NICE CA at recruitment</p> <p>Rationale: Even though the interest is specific any decisions made by the Society</p>

							are based on consensus rather than one person's individual opinion.
Nicholas Haden	Committee Topic advisor	<i>Direct, Financial interest</i>	Private practice at St John & St Elizabeth Charitable hospital and hospice covering all spinal pathology but exclude metastatic spinal cord compression until the NICE guidelines have been published.	2022	26/06/2022	Ongoing	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by GL and Chair November 2022</p> <p>Rationale: This is non-specific to the scope of the guideline since the private practice is excluding metastatic spinal cord compression for the duration of guideline development.</p>
Nicholas Haden	Committee Topic advisor	<i>Direct, Non-financial professional and personal interest</i>	Unpaid expert advisor to the Advisory Board of OncoEng a EPSRC funded recently launched research project to develop a new imaging and keyhole surgery approach to the treatment of secondary bone tumours of the spine – a joint-venture between the universities of Leeds, Imperial College and UCL.	2022	26/06/2022	Ongoing	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by GL and Chair November 2022</p> <p>Rationale: As an unpaid expert advisor there is no financial gain associated with this interest and it is also not a role in which they would publicly express clear opinions that are prejudicial to an</p>

							objective interpretation of the evidence.
Nicholas Haden	Committee Topic advisor	<i>Direct, Non-financial professional and personal interest</i>	Unpaid member of the board of CORESS an independent charity, which aims to promote safety in surgical practice in the NHS and the private sector.	2022	26/06/2022	Ongoing	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by GL and Chair November 2022</p> <p>Rationale: As an unpaid expert advisor there is no financial gain associated with this interest and it is also not a role in which they would publicly express clear opinions that are prejudicial to an objective interpretation of the evidence.</p>
Sophie Kirby	Committee member	Direct, Financial interest	Macmillan Cancer Specialist Team Lead Physiotherapist, South West Wales Cancer Network (SWWCN)	Interest arose more than 12 months before appointment	During recruitment	Ongoing	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by GL and Chair November 2022</p> <p>Rationale: Salaried employment in the NHS. This interest is non-specific.</p>

Charalampia Kyriakou	Committee member	<i>Direct, Financial interest</i>	Consultant Haematologist, University College London Hospital	Interest arose more than 12 months before appointment	During recruitment	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by GL and Chair November 2022 Rationale: Salaried employment in the NHS. This interest is non-specific.
Kaushal Mishra (Until August 2022)	Committee member		<i>Nothing to declare</i>				Declare and participate
Kate Parker	Committee member	<i>Direct, Financial interest</i>	Metastatic spinal cord compression Service Lead, The Clatterbridge Cancer centre, Cheshire and Merseyside	Interest arose more than 12 months before appointment	During recruitment	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by GL and Chair November 2022 Rationale: Salaried employment in the NHS. This interest is non-specific.
Suzanne Renwick	Lay member		<i>Nothing to declare</i>				Declare and participate
Richard Roope	Committee member	Direct, Financial interest	Rapid investigation service GP	Interest arose more than 12 months before appointment	During recruitment	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by GL and Chair November 2022 Rationale: Salaried employment in the NHS. This interest is non-specific.

Richard Roope	Committee member	<i>Direct, Financial interest</i>	Director of Hampshire Occupational Health Ltd	23/07/2009	28/07/2021	Ongoing	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by, Chair, GL and NICE CA at recruitment</p> <p>Rationale: Part of the member's salaried employment in the NHS. This interest is non-specific.</p>
Richard Roope	Committee member	<i>Direct, Financial interest</i>	Cancer Research UK – Primary Care Adviser	01/04/.2021	28/07/2021	Ongoing	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by, Chair, GL and NICE CA at recruitment</p> <p>Rationale: This interest is not specifically related to metastatic spinal cord compression</p>
Richard Roope	Committee member	<i>Direct, Non-financial professional and personal</i>	Clinical Adviser to The Royal College of GPs	01/08/2016	28/07/2021	Ongoing	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by, Chair, GL and NICE CA at recruitment</p> <p>Rationale: This interest is non-specific to the scope of the guideline</p>

Richard Roope	Committee member	<i>Direct, Financial interest</i>	Member of Advisory Panel for Paper on the Impact of Covid on Cancer Services and developing Recovery Plan. Honorarium Paid 4.5.2021	September 2020	06/10/2021	March 2021	Declare and participate Agreed by, Chair, GL Rationale: This interest is not specific to the scope of the guideline.
Richard Roope	Committee member	<i>Direct, Financial interest</i>	Member of M&G Expert Panel looking at future longevity, and the future changes in health and treatments which may influence life expectancy	March 2022	12/04/2022	Completed in June 2022	Declare and participate Agreed by, Chair, GL Rationale: This interest is not specific to the scope of the guideline.
Clare Shanahan (Until November 2021)	Committee member	<i>Direct, Non-financial professional and personal</i>	I am currently undertaking a service evaluation project into the impact of COVID-19 guidance on how patients presented to our network MSCC service. A write up of the project will be submitted to Sheffield Hallam University as my MSc dissertation.	September 2020	28/06/2021	September 2021	Was no longer a committee member when the qualitative review was discussed. Agreed by, Chair, GL and NICE CA at recruitment Rationale: Potentially this is qualitative work that may be included in the information and support topic.

Muthiah Sivaramalingam	Committee member	<i>Direct, Financial interest</i>	Consultant Clinical Oncologist, University Hospitals of North Midlands NHS trust (UHNH) Royal Stoke University Hospital	Interest arose more than 12 months before appointment	During recruitment	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by GL and Chair November 2022 Rationale: Salaried employment in the NHS. This interest is non-specific.
Muthiah Sivaramalingam	Committee member	<i>Direct, Financial interest</i>	Clinical Private Practice	2011	04/01/2022	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by, Chair, GL and NICE CA at recruitment Rationale: The private practice work mirrors what is done in his NHS role and whilst it would potentially cover MSCC, cases are very rare.
Aniket Tavare	Committee member	<i>Direct, Financial interest</i>	Consultant Radiologist, Northumbria Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust	Interest arose more than 12 months before appointment	During recruitment	Ongoing	Declare and participate Agreed by GL and Chair November 2022 Rationale: Salaried employment in the NHS. This interest is non-specific.
Aniket Tavare	Committee member	<i>Direct, Financial interest</i>	Ad hoc private practice for Inhealth, may report some	June 2018	02/08/2021	Ongoing	Declare and participate

			acute spinal MRI but unlikely to be MSCC				<p>Agreed by, Chair, GL and NICE CA at recruitment</p> <p>Rationale: The private practice work mirrors what is done in his NHS role and whilst it would potentially cover MSCC, cases are very rare.</p>
Aniket Tavare	Committee member	<i>Direct, Financial interest</i>	Attended a training course on spinal ablation provided by Merit Medical	November 2018	02/08/2021	November 2018	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Agreed by, Chair, GL and NICE CA at recruitment</p> <p>Rationale: This interest has ceased more than a year ago.</p>

GUIDANCE NOTES FOR COMPLETION OF THE INTERESTS REGISTER

Relevant dates: Detail here the date the interest arose, the date it was first declared and when it ceased, if applicable. For example, if an individual has ceased to hold shares or undertake relevant private practice.