

Meningitis (bacterial) and meningococcal disease: recognition, diagnosis & management

Committee Meeting 20

Date: Wednesday 19th October 2022

Location Via Zoom

Minutes: FINAL

Committee members present:	
Mark Thomas (Chair)	Present for items 1 - 5
David Turner	Present for items 1 - 5
Imran Jawaid	Present for items 1 - 5
Michael Griffiths	Present for items 1 - 5
Linda Glennie	Present for items 1 - 5
Saul Faust	Present for items 1 - 5
Simon Nadel	Present for items 1 - 5
Andrew Hitchings	Present for items 1 – 5
Nathan Griffiths	Present for items 1 - 5

In attendance:		
Lisa Boardman	NICE Guideline Lead	Present for items 1 - 5
Josh South	NICE Senior Project Manager	Present for items 1 - 5
Odette Megnin-Viggars	NICE Senior Systematic Reviewer	Present for items 1 - 5
Laura Elliff-O'Shea	NICE Senior Systematic Reviewer	Present for items 1 - 3
Paul Jacklin	NICE Senior Health Economist	Present for items 1 - 5
Aye Paing	NICE Systematic Reviewer	Present for items 1 - 5

Apologies:	
Ashifa Trivedi	Paediatric pharmacist
Paul Heath	Paediatrician (co-opted)
Ian Maconochie	Accident and emergency consultant
Robert Heyderman	Acute physician
Richard Tubman	Neonatologist (co-opted)
Amit Arora	Care of the elderly physician
Michael Bryan	Lay member
Stephen Murphy	NICE Clinical Advisor
Catrina Charlton	Commissioning Manager



1. Welcome and actions

The Chair welcomed the committee members and attendees to the 20th guideline committee meeting on Meningitis (bacterial) and meningococcal disease: recognition, diagnosis & management. The Chair thanked the committee for joining the meeting virtually.

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

2. Introduction to re-runs

Laura Elliff-O'Shea Senior Systematic Reviewer, gave an introduction on re-runs to the committee.

3. RQ 6.1 evidence report

Aye Paing, Systematic Reviewer, outlined the evidence for RQ 6.1: 'What is the risk of long-term complications in bacterial meningitis?'

The committee discussed the evidence and agreed on draft recommendations for this question.

4. RQ 6.2 evidence report

Aye Paing, Systematic Reviewer, outlined the evidence for RQ 6.2: 'What is the risk of long-term complications in meningococcal disease?'

The committee discussed the evidence and agreed on recommendations for these questions.

6. Any other business

The next meeting will be on 17th November 2022. Meeting closed at 16:30.

Date of next meeting: 17th November 2022

Location of next meeting: Via Zoom