

## Asthma Committee meeting 11

**Date:** 16/03/2023

**Location:** Virtual meeting

**Minutes:** Final

<b>Committee members present:</b>		
Lynn Elsey		Present for notes 1-5
Matthew Doyle		Present for notes 1-5
Kevin Gruffydd-Jones		Present for notes 1-3
Stephen Fowler (Topic Adviser)		Present for notes 1-5
Natalie Harper		Present for notes 1-5
Sheba Joseph		Present for notes 1-5
Alan MacDonald (Co-Chair)		Present for notes 1-5
Kenneth Macleod		Present for notes 1-5
Kay Roy		Present for notes 1-5
Ian Sinha (Topic Adviser)		Present for notes 3-5

<b>In attendance:</b>		
Victoria Axe	Guideline Commissioning Manager	Present for notes 1-5
Amy Crisp	Senior Project Manager	Present for notes 1-5
Lina Gulhane	Head of Information Specialists	
Bernard Higgins	Clinical Director	Present for notes 1-5
Sophia Kemmis-Betty	Health Economics Lead	
Alfredo Mariani	Technical Analyst (Economics)	Present for notes 1-5
Annette Mead	Senior Medical Editor	
Lisa Miles	Technical Analyst	

Louisa Regan	Implementation Manager	
Toby Sands	Technical Analyst	Present for notes 1-5
Melina Vasileou	Technical Analyst	Present for notes 1-5
Catriona Vernal	SIGN Programme Manager	Present for notes 3-5

**Apologies:**

Andrew Molyneux (Co-Chair)

Elia Monterio

Edwina Wooler

**1. Welcome and objectives for the meeting**

The Co-Chair welcomed the Committee members and attendees to the eleventh Asthma guideline committee meeting.

The Co-Chair informed the Committee that apologies had been received, these are noted above.

The Co-Chair outlined the objectives of the meeting, which included: Histamine and Methacoline, bronchial challenge testing with mannitol, bronchoconstriction in response to an exercise challenge and FeNO.

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

The Co-Chair confirmed that, for the purpose of managing conflicts of interest, the matters under discussion were as above.

The Co-Chair asked everyone to verbally declare any interests that have arisen since the last meeting.

Name	Job title, organisation	Declarations of Interest, date declared	Type of interest	Decision taken

Matthew Doyle	GP, Jersey, CI	Member of steering group IQViA / ALK-Abello looking at provision of allergy services in UK 6.3.23	Non-financial professional	No action taken
<p><b>3. Evidence review</b></p> <p>TS and AMa presented the following evidence reviews to the committee:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1.8 Histamine and Methacholine</li> <li>• 1.9 Mannitol challenge</li> <li>• 1.10 Exercise challenge</li> </ul> <p>The committee discussed the evidence presented.</p>				
<p><b>4. Health Economics</b></p> <p>AMa updated the committee on the health economic FeNO evidence.</p>				
<p><b>5. Protocols</b></p> <p>MV presented the following protocols to the committee:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2.1 Symptom diary</li> <li>• 2.2 Pulmonary function</li> </ul>				
<p><b>5. Any other business</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None.</li> </ul>				

**Date of next meeting:** 26/04/2023

**Location of next meeting:** Virtual meeting