

Date and Time: *Wednesday 22nd October 2014 10:00 – 16:00*

Place: *Boardroom, National Clinical Guideline Centre, 180 Great Portland Street, London W1W 5QZ*

Present: GDG Members

1. Lynda Brown	LB
2. Cherylene Camps	CC
3. Bob Handley	BH
4. Philip Henman	PH
5. Iain McFadyen (Chair)	IM
6. Jagdeep Nanchahal	JN
7. Selvadurai Nayagam	SN
8. Lucy Silvester	LS
9. Aiden Slowie	AS
10. Angela Thornhill	AT

NCGC Technical team

1. Alex Allen	AA
2. Peter Cain	PC
3. Margaret Constanti	MC
4. Alex Haines	AH
5. Kate Kelley	KK
6. Amy Kelsey	AK
7. Sana Khan	SK
8. Mark Perry	MP
9. Vicki Pollit	VP
10. Carlos Sharpin	CS

NICE:

1. Ben Doak	BD
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Apologies

1. Kath Berry	KB
2. Matt Costa	MC
3. Judith Foster	JF
4. Jennifer Hough	JH
5. Fiona Lecky	FL
6. Simon McPherson	SM
7. Craig Morris	CM
8. Kevin Morris	KM
9. Madeleine Sampson	MS
10. David Skinner	DS
11. Beverley Snaith	BS

Notes

Minutes: UNConfirmed

Guideline Development Group Meeting Complex fractures GDG 6

1. The Chair welcomed the group to the sixth guideline development group meeting. The chair reviewed and requested updates of the declarations of interest register. No new declarations were received. Apologies were received from KB, MC, JF, JH, FL, SM, CM, KM, MS, DS and BS.
2. An update was given to the GDG on progress since the last meeting.
3. The Chair introduced Mark Perry, NCGC Senior Research Fellow, and Alex Haines, NCGC Health Economist, who presented the clinical and cost effectiveness review on the initial prophylactic antibiotics for suspected open fractures. The GDG discussed the evidence presented. The Chair thanked MP and AH for their presentation.
4. The Chair introduced Alex Allen, NCGC Research Fellow, and Peter Cain, NCGC Health Economist, who presented the clinical and cost effectiveness review on types of dressings in open fractures. The GDG discussed the evidence presented. The Chair thanked AA and PC for their presentation.
5. MP and PC then presented the clinical and cost effectiveness review on the optimal timing of initial debridement of open fractures. The GDG discussed the evidence presented. The Chair thanked MP and PC for their presentation.
6. AA and PC then presented the clinical and cost effectiveness review on dressing after debridement. The GDG discussed the evidence presented. The Chair thanked AA and PC for their presentation.
7. MP and PC then presented the clinical and cost effectiveness review on documentation. The GDG discussed the evidence presented. The Chair thanked MP and PC for their presentation.
8. MP and PC then presented the clinical and cost effectiveness review on open fracture staged cover. The GDG discussed the evidence presented. The Chair thanked MP and PC for their presentation.
9. The GDG then discussed and agreed the following protocols:
 - Haemorrhage control in pelvic/acetabular fractures
 - Logrolling in patients with pelvic fractures
 - Prediction tools for pelvic fractures
 - Acetabular dislocation
10. There was no other business. The Chair closed the meeting and thanked the GDG for attending.

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6. Peter Cain	PC
7. Margaret Constanti	MC
8. Caroline Farmer	CF
9. Frank O'Neill	FO
10. Yasmina Hedhli	YH
11. Sana Khan (observing)	SK
12. Grit Scheffler (observing)	GS

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Guideline Development Group Meeting Complex fractures GDG 7

1. The Chair welcomed the group to the seventh guideline development group meeting. The chair reviewed and requested updates of the declarations of interest register. No new declarations were received. Apologies were received from JH, MC, SM, BS, CC, KB, JF, CM, KM and AK.
2. The Chair introduced Alex Allen, NCGC Research Fellow and Peter Cain, NCGC Health Economist, who presented the clinical and cost effectiveness review for compartment syndrome. The GDG discussed the evidence presented. The Chair thanked AA and PC for their presentation.
3. The Chair introduced Mark Perry, NCGC Senior Research Fellow and AA, who presented the following protocols. The protocols were discussed by the GDG:
 - Limb salvage and later amputation
 - Preservation of limbs
 - Stabilisation of pilon fracture
 - Acute pain management
4. The Chair then introduced Caroline Farmer, NCGC Research Fellow and PC, who presented the clinical and cost effectiveness review for the splinting of fractures. The GDG discussed the evidence presented. The Chair thanked CF and PC for their presentation.
5. The Chair then introduced MP and PC, who presented the clinical and cost effectiveness review for pilon fracture transfer. The GDG discussed the evidence presented. The Chair thanked MP and PC for their presentation.
6. The Chair then introduced AA and MC, who presented the clinical and cost effectiveness review for the transfer to tertiary services for pelvic fracture. The GDG discussed the evidence presented. The Chair thanked AA and MC for their presentation.
7. The Chair then introduced MP and MC, who presented the clinical and cost effectiveness review for pelvic binder use. The GDG discussed the evidence presented. The Chair thanked MP and MC for their presentation.
8. There was no other business. The Chair closed the meeting and thanked the GDG for attending.

Date of next meeting: GDG 8 and 9: 3rd and 4th December 2014, Boardroom, NCGC, 180 Great Portland Street, London W1W 5QZ