

# Sepsis Guideline Committee

## Membership list

Name	Job Title, Organisation
<b>Chair</b>	
Saul Faust	Professor of Paediatric Immunology & Infectious Diseases & Director, NIHR Wellcome Trust Clinical Research Facility, University of Southampton
<b>Core members / Members</b>	
Richard Beale	Clinical Director of Perioperative, Critical Care & Pain Services and Consultant in Intensive Care Medicine
John Butler	Consultant in Emergency Medicine & Critical Care Medicine
Enitan Carrol	Chair in Paediatric Infection/Honorary Consultant, University of Liverpool Institute of Infection and Global Health
Simon Nadel	Adjunct Professor of Paediatric Intensive Care
Julian Newell	Corporate Matron, Patient Safety
Jenny O'Donnell	Lay Member
Rachel Rowlands	Consultant in Paediatric Emergency Medicine
Mark Simmonds	Consultant in Acute and Critical Care Medicine
Alison Tavare	General Practitioner
Louella Vaughan	Senior Clinical Research Lead, Northwest London CLAHRC
James Wenman	Clinical Development Manager (Paramedic)
Catherine White	Lay Member
<b>Topic expert members</b>	

Michael Maresh	Consultant Obstetrician, St Mary's Hospital, Manchester
Ronan McMullan	Senior Lecturer & Consultant Medical Microbiologist, Queens University Belfast & Belfast HSC trust]

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## Declaration of Interests

The effective management of conflicts of interests is an essential element in the development of the guidance and advice that NICE publishes. Please refer to the NICE website for the [Policy on Conflicts of Interest](#).

Name	Job title, organisation	Declarations of Interest, date declared	Type of interest	Decision taken
Saul Faust (Chair)	Professor of Paediatric Immunology & Infectious Diseases & Director, NIHR Wellcome Trust Clinical Research Facility, University of Southampton	<p>17/01/2014:</p> <p>For all commercial relationships I have received no personal payment of any kind from any organisation, all grants, honoraria and fees paid to University or Trust employer</p> <p>Clinical Trial investigator for commercial clinical trials (acting on behalf of University of Southampton and University Hospital Southampton NHS Foundation Trust, no personal payments of any kind), all NIHR portfolio commercial studies.</p> <p>2006-14 clinical trials on behalf of Wyeth, Pfizer, GSK, Sanofi, Novartis for paediatric vaccines, Roche (antiviral agent in influenza),</p>	Non-personal pecuniary interest	Declare and participate

Alios (treatment for RSV infection) 2012-4 UK Chief Investigator for GSK quadrivalent influenza vaccine paediatric clinical trials (QIV004 and 009)

2014-6 UK Chief Investigator for Cubist trial of antimicrobial agent in paediatric bone and joint infection

Grant funding to institution: co investigator on Pfizer-funded investigator led study in pneumococcal molecular epidemiology (funds held by University of Southampton).

Pfizer Paediatric Vaccines Media Medics Lounge July 2013

Meeting of experts (no personal payments as above) arranged by equal convenors: Astellas, Cubist & Actelion. April 2013 to discuss generic issues related to C difficile in infants, NOT specific products. Meeting



		<p>employer)</p> <p>Clinical Trial investigator for 2014-5 commercial clinical trials in infants with RSV (Alios and Ablynx) (acting on behalf of University of Southampton and University Hospital Southampton NHS Foundation Trust, no personal payments of any kind).</p> <p>08/09/2015:</p> <p>Attended flu vaccine advisory board hosted by AstraZeneca.</p> <p>Attended infectious Diseases Research Network meeting on sepsis biomarkers for children.</p>	<p>Non-personal pecuniary interest</p> <p>Personal pecuniary interest</p> <p>Personal non-pecuniary interest</p>	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Declare and participate</p>
Richard Beale	Clinical Director of Perioperative, Critical Care & Pain Services and Consultant in Intensive Care Medicine	<p>02/05/2014:</p> <p>Small amount of industry consulting work - contracts are with Trust and fee is billed by Trust and goes to departmental research budget. No direct payment is received.</p> <p>\$3,000 fee received by Trust for infection diagnostics for the Waters Corporation</p>	<p>Non-personal pecuniary interest</p> <p>Personal non-pecuniary interest</p>	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Declare and participate</p>

		<p>Current member of the Steering Committee of the Surviving Sepsis Campaign</p> <p>14/06/2014:</p> <p>TSB grant in partnership with Edinburgh and Newcastle Universities and BD biosciences, to develop new sepsis biomarkers</p> <p>Membership of the steering committee of the Surviving Sepsis Campaign</p> <p>Chair of Research Committee of European Society of Intensive Care Medicine (2010 - 2013), and Executive Committee Member Waters Scientific Advisory Board meeting 10 12 13</p> <p>04/03/2016:</p> <p>Research grant for sepsis biomarkers. TSB/ BD biosciences via King's College London</p>	<p>Personal non-pecuniary interest</p> <p>Non-personal pecuniary interest</p> <p>Personal non-pecuniary interest</p> <p>Personal non-pecuniary interest</p>	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Declare and participate</p>
John Butler	Consultant in Emergency Medicine & Critical Care	<p>02/06/2014:</p> <p>Member of the Faculty of Intensive Care Board, as the</p>	Personal non-pecuniary	Declare and participate

	<p>Medicine</p>	<p>College of Emergency Medicine Representative, with full voting rights.</p> <p>Member of the UK Sepsis Trust for about five years and has utilised their Survive Sepsis educational material to conduct Sepsis study days within Trust. Membership is voluntary and unpaid.</p> <p>Attended a Houses of Parliament meeting in September 2013 following an invitation from the UK Sepsis Trust, to Lobby MPs on the importance of sepsis as a major healthcare issue.</p> <p>Evaluated the use of biomarker PCT in critical care unit about 4 years ago. Following its successful evaluation and implementation, has presented departmental experience at meeting and has received travel and accommodation expenses from Thermofisher. The only meeting in the last year was on 28 January and was sponsored by Thermofisher. Talk was about biomarkers and</p>	<p>interest</p>	
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		<p>experience with PCT in clinical practice.</p> <p>At request of Trust, attended two meetings in March 2014, organised by Advancing Quality Alliance. Attended Sepsis group and worked with a group of multi-disciplinary clinicians to produce a set of clinical standards which could be used to assess clinical performance in the management of patients with sepsis. This work was unfunded and attended in own time.</p>		
Enitan Carrol	Chair in Paediatric Infection/Honorary Consultant, University of Liverpool Institute of Infection and Global Health	<p>11/07/2014:</p> <p>TSB grant holder for development of a point of care test for sepsis with two UK SMEs.</p> <p>My institution has filed a patent on my behalf, for a biomarker combination for sepsis.</p> <p>Existing collaboration with Biomerieux and Brahms but have never received any payments to myself or my institution. Biomerieux has hosted collaborative visits, but expenses are in line with what would be considered</p>	<p>Non-personal pecuniary interest</p> <p>Non-personal pecuniary interest</p> <p>Personal non-pecuniary interest</p>	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Declare and participate</p>

		<p>reasonable.</p> <p>Member of two NIHR panels ; RfPB and i4i</p> <p>Personal experience of septicaemia</p> <p>Co-opted member of a NICE diagnostic assessment committee, which is looking at Procalcitonin.</p> <p>06/02/2015: I have been invited to join the Scientific Advisory Board for Biomerieux (BioFire-Film Array) for development of a diagnostic panel for infections in children. Meeting will take place on 16-18 March. All honorarium will be paid directly to my institution (University of Liverpool) and the contract is between my institution and Biomerieux. I will not personally receive any financial or other benefits from the contract.</p> <p>22/04/2015: I have worked on biomarkers of infection in the past</p>	<p>Personal non-pecuniary interest</p> <p>N/A</p> <p>Personal non-pecuniary interest</p> <p>Non-personal pecuniary interest</p> <p>Non-personal</p>	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Declare</p>
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		Business itself (~33%) with the remainder being funded by government grants. The academic's institution receives financial remuneration for this, to be used for any academic purpose on any project.		
Simon Nadel	Adjunct Professor of Paediatric Intensive Care	<p>16/10/2014: Consultant and advisory board member for Novartis Vaccines</p> <p>14/07/2014: Advisory boards for Novartis, Pfizer, Baxter and Abbvie – money paid for expenses and travel.</p> <p>Educational grant Pfizer</p> <p>Research grant Pfizer</p> <p>Scientific committee for Meningitis Research Foundation and Meningitis Now charities.</p> <p>Scientific committee for British Paediatric Surveillance Unit</p> <p>Writing Committee for American</p>	<p>Personal pecuniary interest</p> <p>Personal pecuniary interest</p> <p>Non-personal pecuniary interest</p> <p>Personal non-pecuniary interest</p>	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Declare and participate</p>

		<p>Academy of Pediatrics, Sepsis Guidelines Group.</p> <p>Secretary of European Society for Paediatric and Neonatal Intensive Care</p> <p>08/09/2015: Been invited to the German Sepsis Society conference.</p>	Personal non-pecuniary interest	Declare and participate
Julian Newell	Corporate Matron, Patient Safety	<p>11/07/2014: Advisor to NCEPOD Study: Sepsis</p> <p>Volunteer for UK Sepsis Trust</p> <p>Has attended one meeting regarding an NHS England (Patient Safety Division) patient study.</p>	Personal non-pecuniary interest	Declare and participate
Jenny O'Donnell	Lay Member	<p>Initial declaration:  Lead volunteer for UK Sepsis Trust</p> <p>01/07/2014: Family experience of sepsis</p> <p>02/06/2015:</p>	<p>Personal non-pecuniary interest</p> <p>Personal non-pecuniary interest</p> <p>Personal</p>	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Declare and participate</p>



		on behalf of the UK Sepsis Trust. The UKST will also fund my Cruse training on 21st October 2015 to help me prepare for the support group.		
Rachel Rowlands	Consultant in Paediatric Emergency Medicine	18/06/2014: Department audit lead and paediatric governance lead.  28.04.2015: Won £500 from UK Sepsis Trust from competition to pitch ideas to improve sepsis care. Funding received by organisation, not RR personally.	Personal non-pecuniary interest  Non-personal pecuniary interest	Declare and participate  Declare and participate
Mark Simmonds	Consultant in Acute and Critical Care Medicine	06.08.2014: Developing electronic sepsis screening tool with NerveCentre Software as part of wider electronic observations work at Nottingham University Hospitals.  08/09/2015: Developing automated sepsis screening with Nervecentre Software. Attended and spoke at Sepsis UK conference 2015.	Non-personal pecuniary interest  Personal non-pecuniary interest	Declare and participate  Declare and participate
Alison Tavare	General Practitioner	Initial declaration: Dr Tavaré's husband is in receipt of grants from the Wellcome	Personal family	Declare and

		Trust, Cancer Research UK, EPSRC and Diabetes UK. He is director of the Elizabeth Blackwell Institute for health research at the University of Bristol.	interest	participate
		11/07/2014: Personal experience of sepsis.  Involved in raising awareness of sepsis amongst clinicians at North Bristol Trust, GP practices in Bristol and Eastwood Park Prison, Gloucs.	Personal non-pecuniary interest	Declare and participate
		05/09/2014: Uses educational material from the UK Sepsis Trust and has attended a reception at the Houses of Parliament as part of this role.	Personal non-pecuniary interest	Declare and participate
		02/06/2015: Member of the West of England AHSN (Academic health science network) working group looking at improving methods of detecting and managing sepsis in the community.	Personal non-pecuniary interest	Declare and participate
		15/07/2015: Asked to review the NCEPOD report and recommendations on sepsis and speak at	Personal non-pecuniary	Declare and



		<p>the launch of the report.</p> <p>08/09/2015:</p> <p>Attended a Sepsis Trust reception at the Houses of Parliament in September 2015.</p> <p>16/10/2015:</p> <p>Contacted by the Health Science Network to work on a project improving communication in principal setting. Not committed as of yet.</p>	<p>interest</p> <p>Personal non-pecuniary interest</p> <p>Personal pecuniary interest</p>	<p>participate</p> <p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Declare and participate</p>
Louella Vaughan		<p>06.05.2014:</p> <p>Collaborator in research project which has received non-financial support from Brahms (manufactures biomarkers which may be of use in sepsis).</p> <p>13.08.2014:</p> <p>Working on research projects that have received funding from industry partners (Thermofisher) – no money directly to myself</p> <p>Council Member of the Society for Acute Medicine and have publicly supported the National Early</p>	<p>Non-personal pecuniary interest</p> <p>Non-personal pecuniary interest</p> <p>Personal non-pecuniary interest</p>	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Declare and participate</p>

		Warning System (NEWS)		
James Wenman	Clinical Development Manager (Paramedic)	<p>31.07.2014:</p> <p>In 2012/13 South Western Ambulance Service (SWASFT) embarked on a joint project with Daiichi Sankyo (pharmaceutical company) developing the first electronic referral pathway for patients with atrial fibrillation. This project was funded partly by Daiichi Sankyo (£10k) matched with the equivalent of professional managerial input and training by SWASFT. The £10k was spent directly on the project, purchasing the licence for the required software to facilitate to the pathway. The payment was made directly to the Trust.</p> <p>15/07/2015:</p> <p>I have been approached by the UK Sepsis Trust to support the dissemination of the new pre-hospital sepsis tool kits (time scales to be confirmed).</p>	<p>Non-personal pecuniary interest</p> <p>Non-personal pecuniary interest</p>	<p>Declare and participate</p> <p>Declare and participate</p>
Catherine White	Lay Member	<p>15.09.2014:</p> <p>Volunteers for ICUsteps as the</p>	<p>Personal non-pecuniary</p>	<p>Declare and</p>



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