

**Date and Time:** *Thursday, 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2014*  
*10:00 – 16:30*

**Minutes: Confirmed**

**Guideline Development Group Meeting    Bronchiolitis**

**Place:** *Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists, London*

**Present:**

Thomas Bourke (TB)	(Present for notes 1 – 9)
Kate Chadwick (KC)	(Present for notes 1 – 9)
John Crimmins (JC)	(Present for notes 1 – 9)
Steve Cunningham (SC)	(Present for notes 1 – 9)
Julie McKnight (JMK)	(Present for notes 1 – 9)
Julian Legg (JL)	(Present for notes 1 – 9)
Bhavee Mahesh Patel (BMP)	(Present for notes 1 – 9)
Clare van Miert (CVM)	(Present for notes 1 – 9)
Debra Quantrill (DQ)	(Present for notes 1 – 9)
Anshu Sharma (AS)	(Present for notes 1 – 9)

**In attendance:**

NCC-WCH staff: Cristina Visintin (CV) Jiri Chard (JAC) Katherine Cullen (KCu) Stephen Murphy (SM) Gemma Marceniuk (GM) Valentina Ricci (VC)		(Present for notes 1 – 9) (Present for notes 1 – 9) (Present for notes 1 – 9) (Present for notes 1 – 9) (Present for notes 1 – 9) (Present for notes 1 – 9)
NICE attendees: Besma Nash Sarah Dunsdon		(Present for notes 1 – 9) (Present for notes 6 – 9)

**Observers:**

None		
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**Notes**

1. SC welcomed the group to the meeting.
2. SC asked the group for any new declarations of interest.

JL declared:

Personal pecuniary

Attended a medical meeting sponsored by Glaxo Smith Kline at which a product unrelated to the current guideline was discussed. GlaxoSmithKline provided subsistence (a meal) for the attendees.

No other new declarations of interest were received from the GDG members or the other attendees. It was agreed that no interests declared at this meeting or previously warranted exclusion of any GDG members from discussions of evidence or formulation of recommendations at the meeting.

Declarations are kept on record at the NCC-WCH and will be published in the full

## Notes

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3. JMK gave an introduction the use of suction to remove secretions from the upper respiratory tract in children with bronchiolitis. During the presentations the group had an opportunity ask questions.
4. JAC presented the results of the review on the efficacy of suction to remove secretions from the upper respiratory tract. JAC stated that no studies were identified that met the inclusion criteria for the review. The GDG drafted recommendations based on their knowledge and expertise.
5. SC gave an introduction to the use of Montelukast in bronchiolitis. During the presentations the group had an opportunity ask questions.
6. JAC presented the evidence for the efficacy of Montelukast in bronchiolitis. During the presentations the group had an opportunity to discuss the evidence presented and ask questions. The GDG drafted recommendations based on the evidence presented at this meeting.
7. JMK gave an introduction on the use of nebulised hypertonic saline in bronchiolitis. During the presentations the group had an opportunity ask questions
8. GM presented the evidence for the efficacy of nebulised hypertonic saline in bronchiolitis. During the presentations the group had an opportunity to discuss the evidence presented and ask questions. The GDG drafted recommendations based on the evidence presented at this meeting.
9. There was no other business. SC thanked the participants for attending and closed the meeting.

## Date, time and venue of the next meeting

Thursday, 26<sup>th</sup> February 2014, 10:00 – 16:30 at the Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists, London