

# NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR HEALTH AND CARE EXCELLENCE

## HEALTH TECHNOLOGY APPRAISAL PROGRAMME

### Equality impact assessment – Guidance development

#### STA Iptacopan for complement 3 glomerulopathy

The impact on equality has been assessed during this appraisal according to the principles of the NICE equality scheme.

#### Consultation

- |    |  |
|----|--|
| 1. | Have the potential equality issues identified during the scoping process been addressed by the committee, and, if so, how? |
|----|--|

<p>The committee heard that the burden of C3G may impact people from black and minority groups, and lower socio-economic backgrounds disproportionately. It heard that there may be longer wait time for kidney transplants for black people and people from Asian family backgrounds compared with white people.</p>
---

<p>The committee noted that the condition is disproportionately diagnosed in younger people and was disappointed that this appraisal could only evaluate iptacopan for adults due to the current marketing authorisation.</p>
---

- |    |   |
|----|---|
| 2. | Have any other potential equality issues been raised in the submissions, expert statements or academic report, and, if so, how has the committee addressed these? |
|----|---|

No.
-----

- |    |   |
|----|---|
| 3. | Have any other potential equality issues been identified by the committee, and, if so, how has the committee addressed these? |
|----|---|

No.
-----

4.	Do the preliminary recommendations make it more difficult in practice for a specific group to access the technology compared with other groups? If so, what are the barriers to, or difficulties with, access for the specific group?
No.	

5.	Is there potential for the preliminary recommendations to have an adverse impact on people with disabilities because of something that is a consequence of the disability?
No.	

6.	Are there any recommendations or explanations that the committee could make to remove or alleviate barriers to, or difficulties with, access identified in questions 4 or 5, or otherwise fulfil NICE's obligations to promote equality?
No.	

7.	Have the committee's considerations of equality issues been described in the appraisal consultation document, and, if so, where?
Section 3.16.	

**Approved by Principal Technical Adviser:** Christian Griffiths

**Date:** 26/08/2025