NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR HEALTH CLINICAL EXCELLENCE

Single Technology Appraisal (STA)

Botulinum toxin type A for the prophylaxis of headaches in adults with chronic migraine

Response to consultee and commentator comments on the provisional matrix of consultees and commentators (pre-referral)

Sun	Summary of comments, action taken, and justification of action:								
	Proposal:	Proposal made by:	Action taken: Removed/Added/Not included/Noted	Justification:					
1.	We will recommend that the following groups be considered as part of the matrix of consultees: Patient/carer groups • European Headache Alliance	Allergan	Not included	This group is a European organisation and therefore does not meet the inclusion criteria. Migraine Action and the Migraine Trust are both UK based members of this group and are already included on the matrix of consultees and commentators under 'patient/carer groups'.					

2.	We will recommend that the following groups be considered as part of the matrix of consultees: Professional groups • MIPCA – Migraine in Primary Care Advisors	Allergan	Added	This organisation has an area of interest closely related to this appraisal topic and meets the selection criteria to participate in this appraisal. Migraine in Primary Care Advisors has been added to the matrix of consultees and commentators under 'professional groups'.
3.	National Hospital for Neurology and Neurosurgery, Queens Square	National Clinical Guideline Centre	Added	This organisation has an area of interest closely related to this appraisal topic and meets the selection criteria to participate in this appraisal. National Hospital for Neurology and Neurosurgery has been added to the matrix of consultees and commentators under 'relevant research group'.
4.	The matrix should be amended so the Welsh Assembly Government becomes Welsh Government	NICE Secretariat	Added	The Welsh Government removed 'Assembly' from its title in May 2011. The matrix has been amended to recognise this change.

5.	The matrix should be amended so NHS Quality Improvement Scotland becomes Healthcare Improvement Scotland	NICE Secretariat	Added	NHS Quality Improvement Scotland has changed its name to Healthcare Improvement Scotland. The matrix has been altered to reflect this under consultees and commentators under 'general'.
6.	Add Physiotherapy Pain Association to the matrix	NICE Secretariat	Added	This organisation's interests are closely related to the appraisal topic and as per our inclusion criteria. Therefore the Physiotherapy Pain Association has been added to the matrix under 'professional groups'.