NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR HEALTH AND CLINICAL EXCELLENCE

HEALTH TECHNOLOGY APPRAISAL PROGRAMME

Equality impact assessment – Scoping

STA vemurafenib for the treatment of unresectable locally advanced or metastatic BRAF^{V600} mutation-positive malignant melanoma

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

1.	Have any potential equality issues been identified during the scoping process (draft scope consultation and scoping workshop discussion), and, if so, what are they?

No issues relating to equality were raised during the consultation or the scoping workshop.

2.	What is the preliminary view as to what extent these potential equality issues need addressing by the Committee?

3. Has any change to the draft scope been agreed to highlight potential equality issues?

No changes were made to the draft scope relating to equality.

N/A

4.	Have any additional stakeholders related to potential equality issues been identified during the scoping process, and, if so, have changes to the matrix been made?
No	

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