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RPP decision paper

Review of TA278; Omalizumab for the treatment of severe persistent allergic asthma

Final recommendation post consultation
The guidance will be transferred the 'static guidance' list.

1. Background

This guidance was issued in April 2013.

At the GE meeting of 25 February 2016 it was agreed that we would consult on the recommendations made in the GE proposal paper. A four week consultation has been conducted with consultees and commentators and the responses are presented below.

2. Proposal put to consultees and commentators

The guidance should be transferred to the 'static guidance' list.

3. Rationale for selecting this proposal

Follow-up data from the INNOVATE study originally included in the appraisal, an additional study observing omalizumab add-on therapy and 3 systematic reviews have been published. These additional data are not inconsistent with the results used for the appraisal and would not be expected to change the decision.

4. Summary of consultee and commentator responses

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<p>Respondent: Royal College of Physicians</p> <p>Response to proposal: Agree</p> <p>We have liaised with The British Thoracic Society and our experts in immunology and allergy, and would like to support the proposal to move the technology appraisal to static list.</p>	<p>Comment from Technology Appraisals</p> <p>Comment noted. No action required.</p>
<p>Respondent: Royal College of Nursing</p> <p>Response to proposal: No comment</p>	<p>Comment from Technology Appraisals</p>
<p>Respondent: Novartis</p> <p>Response to proposal: Agree</p> <p>Novartis are in complete agreement with the proposal to move TA278 to the 'static list' of technology appraisals.</p>	<p>Comment from Technology Appraisals</p> <p>Comment noted. No action required.</p>
<p>Respondent: British Thoracic Society</p> <p>Response to proposal: Agree</p> <p>The British Thoracic Society supports this proposal.</p>	<p>Comment from Technology Appraisals</p> <p>Comment noted. No action required.</p>

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