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Provisional Single Technology Appraisal (STA)

Lenalidomide for the treatment of deletion 5q in myelodysplastic syndrome

Provisional matrix of consultees and commentators

Consultees	Commentators (no right to submit or
	appeal)
Manufacturers/sponsors	General
Celgene (lenalidomide)	Board of Community Health Councils in
	Wales
Patient/carer groups	 British National Formulary
Afiya Trust	 Care Quality Commission
 African Caribbean Leukaemia Trust 	 Commissioning Support Appraisals
 Anthony Nolan Bone Marrow Trust 	Service
Aplastic Anaemia Trust	 Department of Health, Social Services
Black Health Agency	and Public Safety for Northern Ireland
CANCERactive	 Medicines and Healthcare products
Cancer Black Care	Regulatory Agency
Cancer Equality	National Association of Primary Care
Cancer 52	National Pharmacy Association
Chinese National Healthy Living	NHS Alliance
Centre	NHS Commercial Medicines Unit
Counsel and Care	NHS Confederation
Equalities National Council	NHS Quality Improvement Scotland
Helen Rollason Heal Cancer Charity	Public Health Wales NHS Trust
Leukaemia CARE	 Scottish Medicines Consortium
Leukaemia Society (UK)	Dossible comparator manufacturare
Macmillan Cancer Support	Possible comparator manufacturers
Maggie's Centres	Actavis UK (prednisolone, epirubicin)
Marie Curie Cancer Care	Allergan (prednisolone) Payor (prednisolone)
MDS Patient Support Group	Bayer (prednisolone) Caphalan (dayarubisin)
Muslim Council of Britain	Cephalon (doxorubicin) Ce Pherma (predpisalone)
Muslim Health Network	Co-Pharma (prednisolone)Dexcel-Pharma (ciclosporin)
Rarer Cancers Foundation	 Forest Laboratories (prednisolone)
South Asian Health Foundation	 Hospira UK (doxorubicin, cytarabine,
Specialised Healthcare Alliance	epirubicin)
Sue Ryder Care Tagging	Janssen-Cilag (doxorubicin)
Tenovus	 Kent Pharmaceuticals (prednisolone)
	 Medac UK (doxorubicin, epirubicin)
Professional groups	 Mylan UK (ciclosporin, epirubicin)
 Association of Cancer Physicians 	 Napp Pharmaceuticals (cytarabine)
 British Association for Services to the 	 Novartis (ciclosporin)
Elderly	 Pfizer (prednisolone, doxorubicin,

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Consultees Commentators (no right to submit or appeal) British Committee for Standardisation cytarabine, epirubicin, idarubicin) Teva UK (prednisolone, doxorubicin, in Haematology epirubicin) **British Geriatrics Society** Watson Pharmaceuticals (prednisolone) British Oncological Association (BOA) British Psychosocial Oncology Society Winthrop Pharmaceuticals (prednisolone, daunorubicin) British Society for Haematology Wockhardt (prednisolone, doxorubicin. Cancer Networks Pharmacists Forum epirubicin) Cancer Research UK Royal College of General Practitioners Relevant research groups Royal College of Nursing Cochrane Haematology Malignancies Royal College of Pathologists Group Royal College of Physicians Elimination of Leukaemia Fund Royal Pharmaceutical Society Institute of Cancer Research Royal Society of Medicine Leukaemia & Lymphoma Research United Kingdom Clinical Pharmacy Leukaemia Busters Association MRC Clinical Trials Unit United Kingdom Oncology Nursing National Cancer Research Institute Society National Cancer Research Network National Institute for Health Research Others Policy Research Institute on Ageing and Department of Health Ethnicity NHS Lewisham Research Institute for the Care of Older NHS Newham People Welsh Assembly Government **Evidence Review Group** Evidence Review Group tbc National Institute for Health Research Health Technology Assessment Programme **Associated Guideline Groups** National Collaborating Centre for Cancer Associated Public Health Groups tbc

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Definitions:

Consultees

Organisations that accept an invitation to participate in the appraisal; the manufacturer(s) or sponsor(s) of the technology; national professional organisations; national patient organisations; the Department of Health and the Welsh Assembly Government and relevant NHS organisations in England.

The manufacturer/sponsor of the technology is invited to make an evidence submission, respond to consultations and has the right to appeal against the Final Appraisal Determination (FAD).

All non-manufacturer/sponsor consultees are invited to submit a statement¹, respond to consultations, nominate clinical specialists or patient experts and have the right to appeal against the Final Appraisal Determination (FAD).

Commentators

Organisations that engage in the appraisal process but that are not asked to prepare an evidence submission or statement, are able to respond to consultations and they receive the FAD for information only, without right of appeal. These organisations are: manufacturers of comparator technologies; NHS Quality Improvement Scotland; the relevant National Collaborating Centre (a group commissioned by the Institute to develop clinical guidelines); other related research groups where appropriate (for example, the Medical Research Council [MRC], National Cancer Research Institute); other groups (for example, the NHS Confederation, NHS Alliance and NHS Commercial Medicines Unit, and the *British National Formulary*.

All non-manufacturers/sponsors commentators are invited to nominate clinical specialists or patient experts.

Evidence Review Group (ERG)

An independent academic group commissioned by the National Institute for Health Research (NIHR) Health Technology Assessment Programme (HTA Programme) to assist the Appraisal Committee in reviewing the manufacturer/sponsor evidence submission to the Institute.

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¹ Non manufacturer consultees are invited to submit statements relevant to the group they are representing.