

**NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR HEALTH AND CLINICAL EXCELLENCE**

**Proposed Single Technology Appraisal (STA)**

**Dabigatran etexilate for the secondary prevention of recurrent symptomatic venous thromboembolism**

**Provisional matrix of consultees and commentators**

<b>Consultees</b>	<b>Commentators (no right to submit or appeal)</b>
<p><u>Manufacturers/sponsors</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Boehringer Ingelheim (dabigatran etexilate)</li> </ul> <p><u>Patient/carer groups</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Afiya Trust</li> <li>• Anticoagulation Europe</li> <li>• Black Health Agency</li> <li>• Blood Pressure Association</li> <li>• British Lung Foundation</li> <li>• Counsel and Care</li> <li>• Equalities National Council</li> <li>• Lifeblood: The Thrombosis Charity</li> <li>• Muslim Council of Britain</li> <li>• Muslim Health Network</li> <li>• South Asian Health Foundation</li> <li>• Specialised Healthcare Alliance</li> </ul> <p><u>Professional groups</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Anticoagulation Specialist Association</li> <li>• British Association for Service to the Elderly</li> <li>• British Cardiovascular Society</li> <li>• British Geriatrics Society</li> <li>• British Society for Haematology</li> <li>• British Society for Haemostasis and Thrombosis</li> <li>• British Thoracic Society</li> <li>• British Vein Institute</li> <li>• Clinical Leaders of Thrombosis (CLOT)</li> <li>• Royal College of General Practitioners</li> <li>• Royal College of Nursing</li> <li>• Royal College of Pathologists</li> <li>• Royal College of Physicians</li> </ul>	<p><u>General</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Allied Health Professionals Federation</li> <li>• Board of Community Health Councils in Wales</li> <li>• British Cardiovascular Industry Association</li> <li>• British National Formulary</li> <li>• Care Quality Commission</li> <li>• Commissioning Support Appraisals Service</li> <li>• Department of Health, Social Services and Public Safety for Northern Ireland</li> <li>• Healthcare Improvement Scotland</li> <li>• Medicines and Healthcare products Regulatory Agency</li> <li>• National Association of Primary Care</li> <li>• National Pharmacy Association</li> <li>• NHS Alliance</li> <li>• NHS Commercial Medicines Unit</li> <li>• NHS Confederation</li> <li>• Public Health Wales NHS Trust</li> <li>• Scottish Medicines Consortium</li> </ul> <p><u>Possible comparator manufacturers</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Alliance Pharma (acenocoumarol)</li> <li>• Bayer (rivaroxaban)</li> <li>• Bristol Laboratories (warfarin)</li> <li>• Crescent Pharma (warfarin)</li> <li>• GlaxoSmithKline (fondaparinux)</li> <li>• Leo Pharma (tinzaparin)</li> <li>• Mercury Pharmaceuticals (phenindione, warfarin)</li> <li>• Pfizer (dalteparin)</li> <li>• Sandoz (warfarin)</li> <li>• Sanofi (enoxaparin)</li> </ul>

## Appendix C

<b>Consultees</b>	<b>Commentators (no right to submit or appeal)</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Royal Society of Medicine</li> <li>• Society for Vascular Technology</li> <li>• Society of Vascular Nurses</li> <li>• Society for Vascular Ultrasound</li> <li>• United Kingdom Clinical Pharmacy Association</li> <li>• Vascular Society</li> </ul> <p><u>Others</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Berkshire PCT Cluster</li> <li>• Buckinghamshire &amp; Oxfordshire PCT Cluster</li> <li>• Department of Health</li> <li>• Welsh Government</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Taro Pharmaceuticals UK (warfarin)</li> <li>• Teva UK (warfarin)</li> <li>• Zentiva UK (warfarin)</li> </ul> <p><u>Relevant research groups</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Antithrombotic Trialists' (ATT) Collaboration</li> <li>• Cochrane Peripheral Vascular Disease Group</li> <li>• MRC Clinical Trials Unit</li> <li>• National Institute for Health Research</li> <li>• Research Institute for the Care of Older People</li> <li>• Thrombosis Research Institute</li> </ul> <p><u>Evidence Review Group</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Evidence Review Group tbc</li> <li>• National Institute for Health Research Health Technology Assessment Programme</li> </ul> <p><u>Associated Guideline Groups</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• National Clinical Guidelines Centre</li> </ul> <p><u>Associated Public Health Groups</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• tbc</li> </ul>

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### ***PTO FOR DEFINITIONS OF CONSULTEES AND COMMENTATORS***

### 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 Government and relevant NHS organisations in England.

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

All non-manufacturer/sponsor consultees are invited to submit a statement<sup>1</sup>, 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; Healthcare 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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<sup>1</sup> Non manufacturer consultees are invited to submit statements relevant to the group they are representing.