NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR HEALTH AND CARE EXCELLENCE

HEALTH TECHNOLOGY APPRAISAL PROGRAMME

Equality impact assessment – Scoping

MTA INTRABEAM Photon Radiosurgery System for the adjuvant treatment of early breast cancer [ID 618]

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 equalities issues were raised either during the consultation on the draft scope or at the scoping workshop.

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

N/A

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

No changes have been made to the draft scope regarding potential equality issues.

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 additional stakeholders have been identified related to potential equality issues and no changes have been made to the matrix

Approved by Associate Director (name): ...Janet Robertson.....

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