

**Common Mental Health Disorders: identification and pathways to care**

**Development Group Meeting**

**Date and Time:** 10.30am-4pm, 7th October 2010

**Minutes:**

**Place:** The Royal College of Psychiatrists' Research and Training Unit  
Standon House  
21 Mansell Street  
London  
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**Present: GDG members**

Tony Kendrick (Chair) (TK)  
Stephen Pilling (SP)  
Mike Bessant (MBe)  
Mary Burd (MBu)  
Alan Cohen (AC)  
Barbara Compitus (BC)  
Lillian Dimas (LD)  
Linda Gask (LGa)  
Laura Gibbon (Lgi)  
Simon Gilbody (SG)  
Terence Lewis (TL)  
Francesco Palma (FP)  
Matthew Ridd (MR)

**Experts**

None

**NCCMH Staff:** Stephen Pilling (SP)  
Caroline Salter (CSa)  
Christine Sealey (CSe)  
Roz Shafran (RSh)  
Craig Whittington (CW)

**In attendance:**

**NICE staff** Nick Staples (NS)

**Observers:** None

## Notes

1. TK welcomed the group. Apologies were received from David Ekers, Dimitra Lambrelli, Rupert Suckling, Amina Udechuku.
2. All members declared their interests.
3. The minutes for the last GDG were accepted as a true record, subject to minor corrections.
4. Service user and carer concerns were discussed.
5. SP presented draft algorithms from the DH to the group, for discussion.
6. SP presented the recommendations, which had been amended following the last GDG. The recommendations were discussed in detail.
7. Draft research recommendations were presented by SP. These were based on issues raised in previous GDG meetings. The final format of the research recommendations was agreed.
8. DL presented the HE model, which has been revised since the last GDG meeting.
9. There was no other business.
10. Next meeting: Tuesday 11th January 2011, 10.30am-4pm