

## Multiple Obstetric Guidelines Update Committee Meeting 8

**Date:** 19<sup>th</sup> March 2019

**Location** RCOG, London

**Minutes:** Final

<b>Committee members present:</b>	
Sarah Fishburn	Present for notes 1 – 7
Bid Kumar	Present for notes 5 – 7
Lucy Chappell	Present for notes 1 – 4, and 6
Alena Chong	Present for notes 1 – 7
Maryam Parisaei	Present for notes 1 – 7
Lisa Smith	Present for notes 1 – 7
Ashifa Trivedi ( <b>via videoconference</b> )	Present for notes 4 – 7
Pensee Wu ( <b>via videoconference</b> )	Present for notes 5 – 7
Philip Barclay	Present for notes 1 – 7
Maria Clark	Present for notes 1 – 7
Pramod Mainie	Present for notes 1 – 7
Sarah Findlay	Present for notes 1 – 7

<b>In attendance:</b>		
Hilary Eadon	NGA Guideline Lead	Present for notes 1 – 7
Offiong Ani	NGA Senior Project Manager	Present for notes 1 – 7
Charlene Dixon	NGA Project Manager	Present for notes 1 – 4
Mike Maresh	NGA Clinical Advisor	Present for notes 1 – 7
Katie Webster ( <b>via videoconference</b> )	NGA Senior Systematic Reviewer	Present for notes 1 – 4, and 6
Eva Gonzalez-Viana	NGA Systematic Reviewer	Present for notes 1 – 7
Louise Geneen	NGA Systematic Reviewer	Present for notes 1 – 7
Rachel Connolly	NGA Business Administrator	Present for notes 5
Clifford Middleton	NICE Guideline Commissioning Manager	Present for notes 1 – 4, and 6
Gareth Haman	NICE Senior Medical Editor	Present for notes 1 – 7

<b>Observers:</b>		
Monica Desai	NICE Consultant, Public Health Adviser	Present for notes 1 – 4
Sarah Bartel	NGA Business Manager	Present for notes 1 – 4

<b>Apologies:</b>	
Christine Harding	Committee member
Mark Tighe	Committee member
Sarah Beswick	Committee member
Paul Jacklin	NGA Senior Health Economist
Tim Reeves	NGA Information Scientist

<b>1. Welcome and objectives for the meeting</b>							
<p>The Chair welcomed the committee members and attendees to the 8<sup>th</sup> meeting on multiple obstetric guidelines update. The committee members and attendees introduced themselves.</p> <p>The Chair informed the committee that apologies had been received as noted above.</p> <p>The Chair outlined the objectives of the meeting, which included: reviewing stakeholder consultation comments and agreeing changes to guideline documents in response to the comments, reviewing evidence and making recommendations.</p>							
<b>2. Confirmation of matter under discussion, and declarations of interest</b>							
<p>The Chair confirmed that, for the purpose of managing conflicts of interest, the matters under discussion were multiple obstetric topics on caesarean section (CS), and hypertension in pregnancy (HiP).</p> <p>The Chair asked everyone to verbally declare any interests that have risen since the last meeting. New interests were declared and noted below.</p>							
Name	Role with NICE	Type of interest	Description of interest	Relevant dates			Comments
				Interest arose	Interest declared	Interest ceased	
Alena Chong	Committee Member	Direct, non-financial	RCGP Clinical Lead for Educational	2013	01/02/2018	28/02/19	Declare and participate Agreed by:

	r		Accreditation				GL Feb 2018 Rationale: Not specific to guideline
Lisa Smith	Committee Member	Direct, non-financial	Panel member for Q&A RCOG International Women's Day maternal request caesarean section discussion.	06/03/19	19/03/19	06/03/19	Declare and participate Agreed by: GL March 2019 Rationale: Not specific to guideline as this question is not being updated

The Chair and Guideline Lead noted that the interests declared in the registry did not prevent the attendees from fully participating in the meeting.

### 3. Minutes of last meeting

The Chair asked the committee to confirm the minutes of the last meeting, and the committee confirmed that no changes were required.

The action and decision log from Guideline committee 7 was reviewed and confirmed by the committee.

### 4. Morning presentations

#### Stakeholder comments received on hypertension in pregnancy guideline:

Hilary Eadon presented the stakeholder comments that had been received for the hypertension in pregnancy guideline update.

### 5. Afternoon presentations

#### End of financial year 2018/19:

Rachel Connolly presented a notice for the end of the 2018/19 financial year to the GC and a reminder to submit all travel and expense claims before 29<sup>th</sup> March 2019.

#### Evidence review of question CSQ4:

Louise Geneen presented the evidence review for question CSQ4: What is the efficacy of single-layer closure of the uterus as compared with two layer closure at

Caesarean section?

**6. Questions and discussions**

The committee made some revisions to the recommendations in the HiP guideline in light of stakeholder comments, and drafted responses to the comments.

The committee discussed the evidence presented for CSQ4 and made recommendations.

**7. Any other business**

The Chair reminded the committee of the date for the next meeting.

**Date of next meeting:** 25<sup>th</sup> September 2019

**Location of next meeting:** RCOG, London