Glaucoma: Assessment and Management - GComm 1 minutes 11.10.21

Glaucoma: Assessment and Management - Committee Meeting 1



Date: 11<sup>th</sup> October 2021

**Location:** Zoom

Minutes: Final

Committee members present:			
Waqaar Shah	Chair	Present for all	
Joanna Bradley	Lay Member	Present for all	
Mike Burdon	Consultant Ophthalmologist	Present for all	
Cecilia Fenerty	Consultant Ophthalmologist	Present for all	
Robert Harper	Consultant Optometrist	Present for all	
George McLean	Lay Member	Present for all	
Anjali Praveen	Ophthalmology nurse	Present for all	
Ian Rodriguez	Consultant Ophthalmologist	Present for all	
Lloyd Thomas	Pharmacist	Present for all	

In attendance:			
Steph Armstrong	NICE Technical Analyst (Health Economics)	Present for all	
Victoria Axe	NICE Guideline Commissioning Manager	Present for all	
Becky Chadwick	NICE Project Manager	Present for all	
Jacquelin Durkin	NICE Administrator	Present for Item 1	
Benjamin Gregory	NICE Resource Impact Lead	Present for all	
Rakesh Heer	NICE Observer	Present for Items 1-2	
Yolanda Martinez	NICE Technical Analyst	Present for all	
Benjamin Pearce	NICE Editor	Present for all	
Joshua Pink	NICE Technical Adviser (Health Economics)	Present for all	
Shreya Shukla	NICE Senior Technical Analyst	Present for all	

Apologies:	
Susan Spiers	NICE Associate Director

## Item 1

Welcome, DOIs, and minutes from previous meeting

Waqaar Shah (the Chair) welcomed the committee members and attendees to the first committee meeting for the 'Glaucoma: Assessment and Management' guideline update. Apologies were noted as listed above.

Committee members were asked to declare any new interests that had not already been noted. No new interests were declared.

#### Item 2

 Presentation of clinical evidence for selective laser trabeculoplasty in ocular hypertension or chronic open-angle glaucoma adult patients

The Chair introduced NICE Technical Analyst Yolanda Martinez (YM), who presented on the clinical evidence for selective laser trabeculoplasty in ocular hypertension or chronic open-angle glaucoma adult patients, and invited comments and guestions from the Committee.

The Chair thanked YM for her presentation and the Committee for their feedback.

# Item 3

Presentation of health economic evidence

The Chair introduced NICE Technical Analyst, Health Economics, Steph Armstrong (SA), who gave the Committee an overview of the importance of health economic evaluation for NICE guidelines. SA then presented the health economic evidence for the Glaucoma guideline.

The Chair thanked SA for her presentation and the Committee for their feedback.

#### Item 4

• Discussion of recommendations and research recommendations

The Chair and NICE team led a discussion of the guideline recommendations and research recommendations. The Chair thanked all for their input.

# Item 7

AOB, summary and next steps

NICE Project Manager Becky Chadwick (BC) outlined the key dates and next steps for the guideline. The Chair thanked the Committee for their contribution, summarised the main actions from the day and asked if there was any other business. As there was no further business, the Chair brought the meeting to a close.

**Date of next meeting:** Tuesday, 14<sup>th</sup> December 2021

**Location of next meeting:** Zoom