

NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR HEALTH AND CLINICAL EXCELLENCE

Health Technology Appraisal

Pemetrexed disodium for the treatment of mesothelioma

Response to consultee and commentator comments on the provisional matrix of consultees and commentators

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Version of matrix of consultees and commentators reviewed: Provisional matrix of consultees and commentators sent for consultation					
Date: 21 st April 2005					
Summary of comments, action taken, and justification of action:					
	Proposed consultee/commentator:	Proposal made by:	Action taken:	Justification:	
1.	Mick Knighton Mesothelioma Research Fund	Eli Lilly	<input type="checkbox"/> Removed <input type="checkbox"/> Added <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Queried	Does not represent at a national level (UK or England/Wales or UK branches of European/International bodies)	

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2.	Asbestos Awareness Wales/UK	Eli Lilly	<input type="checkbox"/> Removed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Added <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Queried	Advice and information organisation for people who been diagnosed with Mesothelioma or other Asbestos related diseases and should participate as a commentator.
3.	Clydeside Action on Asbestos	Eli Lilly	<input type="checkbox"/> Removed <input type="checkbox"/> Added <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Queried	Does not represent at a national level (UK or England/Wales or UK branches of European/International bodies
4.	Clydebank Action on Asbestos Group	Eli Lilly	<input type="checkbox"/> Removed <input type="checkbox"/> Added <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Queried	Does not represent at a national level (UK or England/Wales or UK branches of European/International bodies
5.	Greater Manchester Victims Support Group	Eli Lilly	<input type="checkbox"/> Removed <input type="checkbox"/> Added <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Queried	Does not represent at a national level (UK or England/Wales or UK branches of European/International bodies
6.	Northeast Asbestos Support & Awareness Group	Eli Lilly	<input type="checkbox"/> Removed <input type="checkbox"/> Added <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Queried	Does not represent at a national level (UK or England/Wales or UK branches of European/International bodies

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7.	Cheshire Asbestos Victims Support Group	Eli Lilly	<input type="checkbox"/> Removed <input type="checkbox"/> Added <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Queried	Does not represent at a national level (UK or England/Wales or UK branches of European/International bodies)
8.	Merseyside Asbestos Victims Support Group	Eli Lilly	<input type="checkbox"/> Removed <input type="checkbox"/> Added <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Queried	Does not represent at a national level (UK or England/Wales or UK branches of European/International bodies)
9.	Bradford Asbestos Victims Support Group	Eli Lilly	<input type="checkbox"/> Removed <input type="checkbox"/> Added <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Queried	Does not represent at a national level (UK or England/Wales or UK branches of European/International bodies)
10.	London Hazards Centre	Eli Lilly	<input type="checkbox"/> Removed <input type="checkbox"/> Added <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Queried	Does not represent at a national level (UK or England/Wales or UK branches of European/International bodies)
11.	Justice for Asbestos Victims (Belfast)	Eli Lilly	<input type="checkbox"/> Removed <input type="checkbox"/> Added <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Queried	Does not represent at a national level (UK or England/Wales or UK branches of European/International bodies)

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12.	GMB Union	Eli Lilly	<input type="checkbox"/> Removed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Added <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Queried	<p>As mesothelioma is an industrial-related disease these bodies should have valuable contributions in the appraisal process on behalf of their members. They should be included as commentators as they are not a disease specific group.</p>
13.	Transport and General Workers Union	Eli Lilly	<input type="checkbox"/> Removed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Added <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Queried	<p>As mesothelioma is an industrial-related disease these bodies should have valuable contributions in the appraisal process on behalf of their members. They should be included as commentators as they are not a disease specific group.</p>
14.	Trades Union Congress	Eli Lilly	<input type="checkbox"/> Removed <input type="checkbox"/> Added <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Queried	<p>Has asked not to be included in NICE appraisals</p>

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15.	Unison	Eli Lilly	<input type="checkbox"/> Removed <input type="checkbox"/> Added <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Queried	Has asked not to be included in NICE appraisals
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The following organisations have decline participation in the Health Technology Appraisal.

- British Lung Foundation
- Health and Safety Executive
- British Oncology Association