

NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR HEALTH AND CARE EXCELLENCE

Interventional Procedures Advisory Committee

Minutes of the Committee's **161st** meeting held at 10:30 on **Thursday 14 September 2017**
at ETC Venues, Prospero House, 241 Borough High Street, London, SE1 1GA

PRESENT:

Dr Tom Clutton – Brock (Chair)
Dr Andrew Cook
Dr Anthony Emmerson
Mr Alistair Jenkins
Mr Chris Cunningham
Dr Dhiraj Tripathi
Dr James Tysome
Prof Keith Wheatley
Mr Kieran Murphy
Dr Neil McGuire
Mrs Rosemary Harris
Mrs Sally Brearley
Mr Tim Jackson
Dr Zahida Adam
Dr Julie Gregory

In Attendance NICE Staff:

Ms Hawra Abu Gulal - Programme Manager, IPP
Mrs Helen Gallo- Analyst, IPP
Professor Kevin Harris - Programme Director Clinical Advisor, IPP
Dr Ignacio Malagon – Consultant Clinical Advisor, IPP
Mr Rui Martins – Analyst, IPP
Professor John Powell, Consultant Clinical Advisor, IPP
Mrs Vassilia Verdiel - Analyst IPP
Ms Helen Barnett - Senior Medical Editor
Miss Chloe Kastoryano - Public Involvement Adviser, PIP
Ms Deonee Stanislaus – Administrator (Temp), IPP

Observers:

Simran Chawla – Public Involvement Advisor (PIP team at NICE)
Rameez Rahman – Academic FY2 doing NICE Placement for a year
with the Interventional Procedures Programme

Apologies:

Mrs Mirella Marlow
Dr Chris Carroll
Mr Colin Howie

Confirmed

Mr Michael Aitchison
Dr Nicholas Chambers
Dr Peter Murphy
Ms Sohier El – Neil
Mr Stephen Holmberg
Dr Tim Kinnaird
Mr Jonathan Anderson

Meeting Started at: 10:32

Introduction to the meeting

The Chairman welcomed the Committee Members and observers –
Simran Chawla and Rameez Rahman - Observers

The Chairman also welcomed the members of the public and company representatives present at the meeting.

Code of conduct for members of the public and company representatives attending the meeting

The Chairman outlined the code of conduct for the members of the public attending the meeting.

1. Any Other Business

The Chairman informed the Committee of next IPAC Meeting and location

2. Minutes of previous meeting

The Chairman informed the Committee that the minutes from June/July 2017 IPAC meeting will be included in the DIG-IPAC for October 2017 so that IPAC members can review it.

3. Matters arising

None.

4. Agenda changes

The chairman informed the Committee order of IP changed due to Specialist Advisor joining on the phone for IP1544 Aortic valve reconstruction with processed bovine pericardium at 10.40 am.

5. NICE's Advisory Body guide to declaring a conflict of interest

The Chairman drew the Committee's attention to NICE's advisory body quick guide for declaring conflicts of interest.

7. Newly Notified Procedures

IP1544 Aortic valve reconstruction with processed bovine pericardium

The discussion on **IP1544 Aortic valve reconstruction with processed bovine pericardium** started at **10.40 am**

Cesare Castro joined via teleconference at time **10.40**

No conflicts of interest were declared for this procedure

Introduced by **Keith Wheatley** and **SA on the phone**

The Chairman declared a Part Two and specialist adviser on the phone **Cesare Castro**, members of the public left the meeting at **11:17**

The Committee made its provisional recommendations on the safety and efficacy of the procedure

The discussion on **IP1544 Aortic valve reconstruction with processed bovine pericardium** ended at **11:42**

The members of the public returned at **11:43**.

IP1531 Ab interno supra-ciliary micro stent insertion for primary open-angle glaucoma

The discussion on **IP1531 Ab interno supra-ciliary micro stent insertion for primary open-angle glaucoma** started at **11:43**

Conflicts of interest declared for this procedure-

Dhiraj Tripathi declared a **non-specific (not directly related to the matter under discussion) and non-personal financial interest** and stayed for the discussion

Tim Jackson declared a **non-specific (not directly related to the matter under discussion) and personal financial interest** and stayed for the discussion

No other conflicts of interest were declared

Introduced by **Andrew Cook** and **Tim Jackson**

The Chairman declared a Part Two and members of the public left the meeting at **12:06**.

Confirmed

The Committee made its provisional recommendations on the safety and efficacy of the procedure.

The discussion on **IP1531 Ab interno supra-ciliary micro stent insertion for primary open-angle glaucoma** ended at **12:18**

The members of the public returned at **12:24**.

8. Public Consultation comment

IP1523 Micro-invasive subconjunctival insertion of a transcleral gelatin stent for primary open-angle glaucoma

The discussion on **IP1523 Micro-invasive subconjunctival insertion of a transcleral gelatin stent for primary open-angle glaucoma** started at **12:19**

Tim Jackson declared a **non-specific (not directly related to the matter under discussion) and personal financial interest** and stayed for the discussion

No other conflicts of interest were declared

Introduced by **Tim Jackson**

A considerable amount of new published evidence was noted.

The Chairman declared a Part Two and members of the public left the meeting at **12:21**

The Committee decided that this procedure should be taken back to the Committee in November 2017 as a Newly Notified Procedure

The discussion on **IP1523 Micro-invasive subconjunctival insertion of a transcleral gelatin stent for primary open-angle glaucoma** ended at **12.35**.

The members of the public returned to the meeting at **13:21**.

9. Newly Notified Procedures

IP1536 MRI-guided focused ultrasound thalamotomy for moderate-to-severe tremor in Parkinson's disease or treatment-resistant essential tremor

The discussion on **IP1536 MRI-guided focused ultrasound thalamotomy for moderate-to-severe tremor in Parkinson's disease or treatment-resistant essential tremor** started at **13:24**.

No conflicts of interest were declared for this procedure

Introduced by **Alistair Jenkins (as Michael Aitchison sent his apologies)**

The Chairman declared a Part Two members of the public left the meeting at **14:02**

Confirmed

The Committee made its provisional recommendations on the safety and efficacy of the procedure.

The discussion on **IP1536 MRI-guided focused ultrasound thalamotomy for moderate-to-severe tremor in Parkinson's disease or treatment-resistant essential tremor** ended at **14:33**

The members of the public returned at **14:34**.

10. Public Consultation comments

IP1470 Hypoglossal nerve stimulation for moderate to severe obstructive sleep apnoea

The discussion on **IP1470 Hypoglossal nerve stimulation for moderate to severe obstructive sleep apnoea** started at **14:34**

Conflicts of interest declared for this procedure-

Kieran Murphy declared a **non-specific (not directly related to the matter under discussion) and non-personal financial interest** and stayed for the discussion

No other conflicts of interest were declared

Introduced by **James Tysome**

The Committee considered the consultation comments

The following study, identified during consultation, will be added to the main table of the Overview:

Gillespie M B, Soose R J, Woodson B T et al. (2017) Upper Airway Stimulation for Obstructive Sleep Apnea: Patient-Reported Outcomes after 48 Months of Follow-up. Otolaryngology - Head and Neck Surgery (United States) 156, 765-771

Steffen A, Sommer J U, Hofauer B, Maurer J T, Hasselbacher K, and Heiser C (2017) Outcome after one year of upper airway stimulation for obstructive sleep apnea in a multicenter German post-market study. Laryngoscope

The Chairman declared a Part Two and members of the public left the meeting at **15:00**

The Committee upheld its decision on the safety and efficacy of the procedure.

The discussion on **IP1470 Hypoglossal nerve stimulation for moderate to severe obstructive sleep apnoea** ended at **15:07**.

The members of the public returned to the meeting at **15:11**

Confirmed

IP1524 Processed nerve allograft to repair peripheral nerve discontinuities

The discussion on **IP1524 Processed nerve allograft to repair peripheral nerve discontinuities** started at **15:12**

No conflicts of interest were declared for this.

Introduced by **Tom Clutton-Brock**

The Committee considered the consultation comments

The Chairman declared a Part Two and members of the public left the meeting at **15:30**.

The Committee then made **changes to section 6.2**.

The Committee upheld its decision on the safety and efficacy of the procedure.

The discussion on **IP1524 Processed nerve allograft to repair peripheral nerve discontinuities** ended at **15:35**.

IP1528 Total distal radio-ulnar joint replacement for symptomatic joint instability or arthritis

The discussion on **IP1528 Total distal radio-ulnar joint replacement for symptomatic joint instability or arthritis** started at **15:40**

No conflicts of interest were declared for this procedure

Introduced by **Tom Clutton-Brock**

The Committee considered the consultation comments

The Chairman did not declare a part two as there were no members of the public or company representatives present.

The Committee upheld its decision on the safety and efficacy of the procedure.

The discussion on **IP1528 Total distal radio-ulnar joint replacement for symptomatic joint instability or arthritis** ended at **15:44**

11. Briefs of procedures for future assessment

IP810/2 Low intensity pulsed ultrasound to promote fracture healing

The discussion on **IP810/2 Low intensity pulsed ultrasound to promote fracture healing** started at **15:44**

The chair reminded the committee that the equalities and diversity section is in the brief and should be reviewed and commented on as necessary by all the committee

Confirmed

No conflicts of interest were declared for this procedure

Introduced by **Tom Clutton- Brock**

The title of this procedure did not change.

The Committee advised on the content of the brief for evaluation of this procedure.
The discussion on **IP810/2 Low intensity pulsed ultrasound to promote fracture healing** started at **15:49**.

IP1031/2 Endoscopic bipolar radiofrequency ablation for treating biliary obstruction caused by cholangiocarcinoma or pancreatic adenocarcinoma

The discussion on **IP1031/2 Endoscopic bipolar radiofrequency ablation for treating biliary obstruction caused by cholangiocarcinoma or pancreatic adenocarcinoma** started at **15:49**

The chair reminded the committee that the equalities and diversity section is in the brief and should be reviewed and commented on as necessary by all the committee.

No conflicts of interest were declared for this procedure

Introduced by **Tom Clutton- Brock**

The title of this procedure did not change

The Committee advised on the content of the brief for evaluation of this procedure

The discussion on **IP1031/2 Endoscopic bipolar radiofrequency ablation for treating biliary obstruction caused by cholangiocarcinoma or pancreatic adenocarcinoma** started at **15:54**

12. Other meeting matters

None.

13. Date of the next meeting

The **162nd** meeting of the Interventional Procedures Advisory Committee will be held on **Friday 13 October 2017**, and will start promptly at 10:30. The meeting will be held at **Prince Philip House, 3 Carlton House Terrace, St. James's, London, SW1Y 5DG**

The meeting ended at **16:04**.