	Drug and Therapeutics Committee – Minutes
Date / Time	February 10 <sup>th</sup> 2022 8.15-9.30
Venue	WebEx
Chair	Prof A Morice, Chair, Professor of Respiratory Medicine
Notes / Action Points	Luke Storr – Senior Pharmacy Technician, Formulary HUTH
Quorate: Yes / No	Yes
Attendance	Prof M Lind, Vice Chair, Professor of Oncology, HUTH
	Mr K McCorry, Medicines Optimisation Pharmacist, NECS
	Miss J Morgan, Professional Secretary, Principal Pharmacist – Formulary HUTH
	Dr O Ogunbambi, Consultant Rheumatologist, HUTH
	Ms J Goode, Chief Pharmacist, HUTH
	Mr P O'Brien, Deputy Chief Pharmacist, HUTH
	Mr R Kapur, Consultant Vascular Surgeon, HUTH
	Dr S Raise, GP Prescribing Lead, ER CCG
	Dr B Ali, GP Prescribing Lead, Hull CCG
	Dr A Samson, Consultant Infectious Diseases, HUTH
Apologies	Dr H Klonin, Consultant Paediatrician, HUTH
	Prof T Sathyapalan, Consultant Endocrinologist, HUTH

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2021.12.01	Apologies	As Above.					
2021.12.02	Declarations of Interest						
2021.12.03	Minutes of the previous meeting	Accepted as an accurate record	no action required				02/22
2021.12.04	Action Tracker	Dissemination of Information Across All Healthcare Groups /Providers Extended for 6 months.	To continue escalating and review in 6 months	Add to May agenda	JM	5/22	
		Clinical Guidelines – Biologics and Small molecules in Inflammatory JM to request update of ustekinumab report prior to January meeting	To request updated report for next meeting	Ongoing	JM	1/22	
		<b>Hydroxychloroquine in RA</b> – Guidelines in line with Royal college. Discussion on how to proceed, agreed to discuss with business managers of ophthalmology and rheumatology.	Ongoing	JM to contact relevant business managers	JM	03/22	
		<b>Aria forms – Zoledronic acid</b> JM checked with Dr Aye and no trust guidance. To author one from pharmacy in conjunction with DME pharmacy team.	Ongoing	To write guideline	JM	5/22	
		NICE TA735 (Tofacitinib in JIA) JM e-mailed NHSE awaiting response. Trust contracting confirmed HUTH not NHSE funded. Leeds attend our local MDT, so Leeds would have to do blueteq. But HUTH can prescribe	Action complete	No further action	JM	12/21	2/22
		New Product Requests AM to write to applicants	Action complete	No further action	AM		2/22
		New Product Requests JM to update formulary	Action complete	No further action	JM		2/22
		<b>NG207 Inducing Labour</b> JM to discuss misoprostol 25 microg product with Family and Womens pharmacist	Ongoing	To update next time	JM	1/22	

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		JM confirmed not on unlicensed medicine list and to contact obstetrics lead.					
		<b>TA742 Selpercatinib</b> JM to update formulary and inform Dr Upadhyay	Action complete	No further action	JM		2/22
		<b>TA743 Givosiran</b> JM to confirm NHSE commissioning and update back of formulary	Action complete	No further action	JM		2/22
		<b>NG126 Ectopic Pregnancy</b> JM to check progesterone products to see if they fulfil guidance recommendations	Ongoing	To update next time	JM	1/22	
		Clinical guidelines – Sarilumab JM to arrange upload onto Pattie	Action complete	No further action	JM		2/22
		<b>Clinical guidelines Ronapreve®</b> JM to arrange upload onto Pattie	Action complete	No further action	JM		2/22
2021.12.05	New Product Requests	New Product Requests • Cenomabate (TA753) – Dr Tarafder JM summarised evidence. This is a new drug for epilepsy which is expected to be used as adjunctive therapy after failure of standard treatments. Product has a NICE TAG. To be discussed at next HERPC meeting	Approved	AM to write to applicants LS to update formulary	AM/L S	3/22	
		• Ponesimod – Dr Harley JM summarised evidence. This is a new product for multiple sclerosis. When product request received product had a positive NICE FAD and now has a NICE TA767	Approved				
		<ul> <li>Clonidine patch (unlicensed medicine) – Dr Jose</li> <li>JM summarised limited evidence. Overall concern that the evidence for the product was poor but product has been in use in the US since 1980's form FDA licensed indication of</li> </ul>	Approved with feedback in 6 months				

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		hypertension. Both Leeds and Sheffield					
		paediatric hospitals use the product and advice					
		would be sort from specialist centre before					
		starting. Evidence presented was poor but use					
		in other places supports the effectiveness of product.					
		Aria					
		• Daratumumab plus bortezomib, thalidomide and dexamethasone.	Approved				
0004 40 00		Nice Guidance					2/22
2021.12.06	NICE guidance – November	December 2021	Noted	No further actions			2/22
	November	CG150Headaches in over 12s: diagnosis					
		<ul> <li>TA755 Risdiplam for treating spinal</li> </ul>	Not HUTH	To add to back of	LS	3/22	
		muscular atrophy		formulary			
		TA756 Fedratinib for treating disease-	Requires aria	Check for Aria form			
		related splenomegaly or symptoms in	form	and updated back	JM/L	3/22	
		myelofibrosis – new product		of formulary	S	0,22	
		NG191COVID-19 rapid guideline:	Noted	No further actions			2/22
		managing COVID-19					
		NG12 Suspected cancer: recognition and referral	Noted	No further actions			2/22
		NG131 Prostate cancer: diagnosis and management	Noted	No further actions			2/22
		NG151Colorectal cancer	Noted	No further actions			
		<ul> <li>TA752 Belimumab for treating active</li> </ul>	Requires NPR	To add to back of	LS	3/22	
		autoantibody-positive systemic lupus erythematosus		formulary			
		TA753 Cenobamate for treating focal	Discussed on	As per NPR			
		onset seizures in epilepsy	agenda	<b>-</b>		3/22	
		TA754 Mogamulizumab for previously treated mycosis fungoides and Sézary syndrome	New product- require aria form	To add to back of formulary	LS	3/22	
		NG210Pelvic floor dysfunction:	Noted	No further actions			2/22
		prevention and non-surgical management					2/22
		TA750 Olaparib for maintenance	Terminated	No further actions			2/22
		treatment of BRCA mutation-positive metastatic pancreatic cancer after platinum-based	appraisal				
		chemotherapy (terminated appraisal)					

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		TA751 Dupilumab for treating severe asthma with type 2 inflammation	On formulary	Set up homecare	LS	3/22	
		<ul> <li>TA748 Mexiletine for treating the symptoms of myotonia in non-dystrophic myotonic disorders</li> <li>JM to confirm with neurologists that would refer to specialist centre</li> </ul>	On unlicensed list	To confirm local usage and update back of formulary	JM/L S	3/22	
		• TA749 Liraglutide for managing obesity in people aged 12 to 17 years (terminated appraisal) January 2022	Terminated appraisal	No further action			2/22
		TA599 Sodium zirconium cyclosilicate for treating hyperkalaemia	Noted	To discuss at HERPC, to add to HERPC agenda	JM/L S	3/22	
		• TA761 Osimertinib for adjuvant treatment of EGFR mutation-positive non-small-cell lung cancer after complete tumour resection	Aria form required	Check for Aria forms	JM	3/22	
		NG211 Rehabilitation after traumatic injury	Noted	No further actions			2/22
		TA760 Selpercatinib for previously treated RET fusion-positive advanced non-small- cell lung cancer – already seen Aria form	Noted	No further actions			2/22
		<ul> <li>TA759 Fostamatinib for treating refractory chronic immune thrombocytopenia JM to confirm with Haematology</li> </ul>	Request Aria form	Check for Aria form	JM	3/22	
		• TA757 Cabotegravir with rilpivirine for treating HIV-1 New product which would require NPR – infectious disease team aware	Requires application	Update back of formulary and check for application	JM/L S	3/22	
		• TA758 Solriamfetol for treating excessive daytime sleepiness caused by narcolepsy JM to confirm with Dr Ming if would be prescribed locally or referred to specialist.	Check for local usage	Contact Dr Ming	JM	3/22	
		NG81 Glaucoma: diagnosis and management	Noted	No further action			2/22
		NG191 COVID-19 rapid guideline: managing COVID-19	Noted	No further action			2/22
2021.12.07	MHRA Drug safety update – December 2021 and January 2022	Contents noted	Complete	No action required			02/22

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2021.12.08	Minutes of the Safe Medication Practice Committee	Nil this month	Complete	No action required			02/22
2021.12.09	Minutes from the Hull and East Riding Prescribing Committee November 2021	Contents noted	Complete	No action required			02/22
2021.12.10	Regional Medicines Optimisation Committee	Nil this month					
2021.12.11	Clinical guidelines	Nil this month					
2021.12.12	Correspondence received	<ul> <li>Commissioning recommendations for national procurement for direct acting oral anticoagulants (DOACs) January 2022 A national procurement has been finalised for DOACs that offers a potential financial benefit for using edoxaban for anticoagulation for AF. It was felt that HUTH could start patients on edoxaban for AF however could not change patients without clinical indication. This was due to potential risk at transfer of care.</li> </ul>	AM to write to thrombosis committee	AM to write to thrombosis committee chair	AM	3/22	
		<ul> <li>Covid-19 guidance – NHSE recently published multiple updates to COVID -19 treatment guidance and we have accepted latest antiviral and nMAB guideline to use Paxlovid®, in patients with immunosuppression to prevent hospital admission via the CMDU.</li> </ul>	To update formulary	Update formulary	LS	3/22	
2021.12.13	Chairs Approvals	<ul> <li>Everolimus – malignant thymoma with multiple myasthenic crisis – Prof Lind</li> <li>Tocilizumab – Covid-19 infection in immunocompromised patient – Dr Edey</li> </ul>	Complete	No action required			

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		<ul> <li>Cefoxitin – Paediatric CF patient with M abscessus infection – Dr Khan</li> <li>Belantamab mafodotin – myeloma – Dr Durairaj</li> <li>Interferon alfa – craniopharyngioma – Mr Kounin</li> </ul>					
2021.12.14	Issues to escalate to PE&CE	Nil to escalate	Complete	No action required			
2021.12.15	Any Other Business	Nil					
2021.12.16	Date and Time of Next Meeting	10 <sup>th</sup> March 2022 8:15 am					