Drug and Therapeutics Committee – Minutes – approved					
Date / Time	11 th June 2015				
Venue	The Committee Room, Alderson House, HRI				
Chair	Prof A Morice, Chair, Professor of Respiratory Medicine				
Notes / Action Points	Mrs Wendy Hornsby, Senior Pharmacy Technician.				
Quorate: Yes / No	Yes				
Attendance	Dr M Miller, Senior Principal Pharmacist, Interface				
	Mr P O'Brien, Deputy Chief Pharmacist				
	Mr D Corral, Chief Pharmacist, Clinical Director Therapy & Therapeutics				
	Mrs C Grantham, Medicines Management Nurse				
	Mrs J Lyon, Head of Medicines Management, North Yorks and Humber CSU				
	Dr O Ogunbambi, Consultant Rheumatologist				
	Dr H Klonin, Consultant Paediatrician				
Apologies	Mr P Renwick, Vascular Surgeon, HEY				
	Mr S Gaines, Professional Secretary, Senior Principal Pharmacist – Clinical Services				
	Prof M Lind, Vice Chair, Professor of Oncology				

Agenda No	Item	Discussion	Decision Made	Action	Lead	Due Date	Progress /Date Closed
2015.06.01	Apologies	As above.					
2015.06.02	Declarations of Interest	There were no declarations of interest.	Noted.	No further action			6/15
2015.06.03	Minutes of the previous meeting	The minutes were accepted as a true record.	Noted	No further action			6/15
2015.06.04	Action Tracker	NICE Guidance MM has written to diabetes team and requested the place of Empagliflozin in treatment pathway	Action complete	No further action	ММ		6/15
		D&T Attendance Has been raised at surgery governance and Darren Walkley has agreed to attend.	Action complete	No further action	SG		6/15
		Any Other Business ML/SG to request acute pain team discuss use of opiate conversion chart. ML to discuss with Dr Sampu.	ML/SG not present to discuss	Discuss next time	ML/SG	5/15	
		Apologies DC has spoken to patient experience team and begun process of recruiting a new lay member. New Action:AM to write to Mrs Beal and thank her for her contribution to D&T	Action complete	AM to write to Mrs Beal.	DC AM	7/15	6/15
		New Product Requests AM has written to applicants and WH has updated formulary	Action complete	No further action	AM/WH		6/15

New Product Requests POB has spoken to Dr S Walton who has requested the dermatology speciality nurse develop pathway to include secukinumab	Action complete	No further action	POB		6/15
MHRA DSU MM has written to dermatology and renal teams re: Hyrdoxyzine	Action complete	No further action	MM		6/15
IFR Flow chart Flow chart has been escalated to OQC. POB has discussed with Dr Patmore, who requested IFR be more frequently referred to medical director if included use of trial for compassionate use or the use of unlicensed products.	Action complete	No further action	WH		6/15
Antibiotic Formulary AM has written to ACAT and informed them of the committees decision	Action complete	No further action	АМ		6/15
Unlicensed list WH has added new unlicensed list to intranet	Action complete	No further action	WH		6/15
Correspondence Received WH has updated formulary to include Urgotul SSD use by TVN nurse	Action complete	No further action	WH		6/15
Correspondence Received Dr Maravayas to be asked to submit a new product request.	ML not present to discuss	Discuss next time	ML		6/15
This was for Pembrolizumab due to a report published by the Early Access to Medicines Scheme (EAMS). The committee agreed that all future EAMS should be discussed at D&T to	All future EAMS reports to be discussed at D&T	POB to discuss further at next D&T meeting.	РОВ	7/15	
give trust approval.		DC to circulate presentation from	DC	7/15	

		AOB Daclatasvir has been added to formulary	Action complete	SMPC meeting No further action	WH		6/15
2015.06.06	New Product Requests	Golimumab – Dr Tsai Application submitted in line with TA329.	Approved	MM to write to Dr Tsai/Sebastian to ask if gastro have treatment pathway in place.	MM	7/15	
		Apremilast – Plaque Psoriasis - Dr Walton Apremilast – Psoriatic Arthritis - Dr Ogunbambi POB informed the committee that he had received a letter in support of the application from Dr Bagguely. SMC has accepted for use for both indications Psoriatic Arthritis and Plaque Psoriasis. The preparation is provided free until NICE is published. If NICE refuse will continue to provide for free if NICE approve will be commissioned by CCG's	Approved for both conditions.	MM to write to Dr Walton/Dr Ogunbambi/Dr Bagguely as committee agreed they would like to see treatment pathway for both conditions AM to write to applicants and WH to update formulary	MM AM/WH	7/15	
		During the discussion DC informed the committee he had several FOI requests which could have been answered if there was public access to the intranet.		WH to arrange for D&T minutes to be placed on HERPC website	WH	7/15	
2015.06.06	NICE Guidance	NG9 Bronchiolitis in Children MM has reviewed guidance and all drugs are on trust formulary, MM also informed the committee that current HEY guidance is not in line with NICE. HEY guidance to be updated to include "consultant recommendation only, not recommended for simple bronchiolitis", for drug treatments not recommended by NICE.	HK to request update to current trust guidance		НК	7/15	

		NG11 Challenging behaviour and learning disabilities:prevention and interventions for people with learning disabilities whose behaviour challenges. All drugs on formulary, no issues.	Noted	No further action			
2015.06.07	MHRA Drug Safety update	Contents noted	Noted	No further action			6/15
2015.06.08	Minutes from Safe Medication Practice Committee	Paper to be written on management of medical gases and forwarded to executive committee.	Noted	No further action			6/15
2015.06.09	Minutes from the Hull & East Riding Prescribing Committee	MM highlighted that a new guideline had been written in conjunction with pathology for treatment with B12 and folic acid. The guideline recommends the use of oral cyanocobalamin to determine if deficiency is dietary. Cyanocobalamin is currently non formulary.	The committee agreed to add oral cyanocobalamin to formulary	Update formulary	WH	7/15	
2015.06.11	Correspondence Received	Diabetes team have requested line extension for Humalog 200units/ml Kwikpen .Concerns around potential errors discussed – only availabla as pen, with once click per unit. POB informed the committee that the MHRA recognises this and has plans to make all insulins available as prefilled pens in the future and to remove vials and cartridges completely.	Line extension approved	Update formulary	WH	7/15	
2015.06.10	Chairs Approvals	Selinexor – CLL & AML – Dr S Ali Apremilast – Dystrophic Nails – Dr S Walton	Noted	No further action			6/15
2015.06.13	Issues to escalate to	No issues to escalate	No further action				6/15

	Operational Quality Committee						
2015.06.14	Any other Business	NHSE Treatment of Chronic Hepatitis C in Patients with Cirrhosis Commissioning policy recommends use of some agents not yet available on formulary. Dr Moss has requested that these agents are made available asap. Patients must be approved by specialist centre before agents can be prescribed. Some of these agents are unlicensed however there are no current licensed products available for these genotypes.	D&T agreed that HEY can supply subject to commissioning arrangements for treatment agreed with specialist centres.	POB to discuss further with Dr Moss.	POB	7/15	
2015.06.15	Date and Time of Next Meeting	Thursday 9 th July 2015, 8.15am – 9.30am. The Board Room, Alderson House, HRI					