

Notes of the Formulary Management Group

Held on	Tuesday 2 nd August 2016			Jubilee House, Room 1	
Members	Attended	Apologies	Absent	Designation	Abbreviation
	✓			Head of Medicines Management (Chair)	(C)
		✓		Prescribing Adviser	(PA)
	✓			GP Lead for Medicines Management	(GP)
	✓			WHT Pharmacist	(WHTP)
	✓			Primary Care Pharmacist	(PCP)
	✓			Clinical Nurse Specialist	(CNS)
		✓		Nurse Non-Medical Prescriber	(NNMP)
		✓		DWMHPT Pharmacist	(DWMHPT)
	✓			DWMHPT Deputy Pharmacist	(DWMHDP)
		✓		Healthcare Governance	(HG)
		✓		Chief Pharmacist Walsall Healthcare Trust	(CPWHT)
			✓	District Nurse Team Leader Walsall Healthcare Trust	(DNTL)
	✓			Patient Representative	(PR)
Other Attendees					
	✓			Note Taker	
	✓			Consultant	
	✓			Undergraduate Student	
	✓			Parkinson's Nurse Specialist	
	✓			Consultant	
		✓		Medicine Optimisation Pharmacist	

	Agenda item	Actions
1	<p><u>Welcome And Apologises (Declarations of AOB)</u></p> <p>Everyone was welcomed to August's Formulary Management Group meeting.</p>	
2	<p><u>Minutes Of Last Meeting</u> - Consent agenda accepted.</p> <p>The minutes from June's meeting were declared a true and accurate record.</p>	
3	<p><u>Matters Arising/Actions Sheet</u></p> <p>Degludec – Audit to be done by the Endocrinology & Diabetes Mellitus consultant – C to chase this up with him.</p> <p>Ferinject – Due to July's meeting being cancelled the Dr could not be present but will be attending next meeting to present.</p> <p>ABX Formulary – No further updates – C to chase for updates.</p> <p>NOACs - PCP presented the (Draft) starting document and the committee agreed the new chart layout but advised amendments needed to be made – PCP and WHTP will be amending the document and bring back at the next meeting.</p> <p>KEELE Competency Training – C to chase up and will come back to the committee with an update.</p> <p>Quarterly Declarations of Interest – The forms will be sent out to all members by email.</p> <p>Vortioxetine – DWMHDP advised the committee that the audit will be ready by August/September meeting.</p> <p>Baby Milks Formulary – C to pick up with the pharmacist regarding the formulary.</p>	

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	<p>Obesity Drugs – ACTION – Invite the Chemical Pathology consultant to the next committee meeting.</p> <p>Renal Function and RAS Drug Combinations – Committee has received no further updates – ACTION – Need clarity from the Dr.</p> <p>OPEP Funding – C agreed to pick OPEP funding up.</p> <p>Guanfacine (Revised ESCA) – DWMHDP agreed to chase for further updates.</p> <p>Gevoya – C agreed to pick this up.</p> <p>Adult ADHD Shared Care Protocol – C advised the committee that the protocol has been sent onto the Primary Care Co Commissioning committee.</p> <p>BD Autosield Pen Needles –</p> <p>Branded Lamotrigine/Lamictal – ACTION – A task and finish group to be arranged before next meeting date, due to issues regarding branded and no branded drugs.</p> <p>Ceftobiprole to MMQT – Committee agreed action is completed.</p> <p>Drug Safety updates in newsletter – VC advised the committee that the action is now completed.</p>	
4	<p><u>Declarations of Interest</u></p> <p>A couple of committee members provided the CCG with their declaration of interest forms.</p> <p>ACTION – To resend Declaration of Interest forms to the committee members again.</p>	
5	<p><u>NICE Technology Appraisal</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Entresto™ and monitoring (as per matters arising) – It was agreed to bring the application back to the JMMC meeting due to no representation at the formulary meeting and still having outstanding queries from the committee regarding prescribing. 	
6	<p><u>Non NICE TA Drugs/Devices – Full Applications</u></p> <p>Esyma – (Obstetric & Gynaecology Consultant Supporting) A Complex discussion took place with the committee regarding the drug – It was agreed by the committee to put an ESCA in place to confirm the prescribing side – WHTP and Gynae consultant will be putting the ESCA together and will be brought back at the next meeting following the amendments.</p> <p>Safinamide – (Parkinson’s Nurse Specialist & Consultant Physician) The committee agreed to take the drug to the next JMMC meeting in August.</p> <p>CitraFlow – (WHTP) The committee agreed to take the drug to the next JMMC meeting in August.</p>	
7	<p><u>Non – NICE TA Drug/Devices - Short Applications</u></p> <p>Butec (Buprenorphine patches) – WHTP to find the price of Butec and committee agreed to bring the drugs back at the FMG meeting for a quick decision.</p> <p>Botulinum neurotoxin type A – The committee agreed the drug.</p> <p>Symbicort pMDI –The committee discussed the drug and was agreed more clarification is required and will be brought back to the next FMG meeting for a quick decision.</p>	
8	<p><u>Drug Safety Update- June</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Topical miconazole 	

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nexplanon (etonogestrel) contraceptive implants Canagliflozin (Invokana ▼, Vokanamet ▼) <p><u>ACTION</u> – Check interaction with Optimise RX</p> <p><u>Drug Safety Update- July</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Warfarin calcipylaxis Citalopram and cocaine N-acetylcysteine <p>A brief discussion took place with the committee regarding the above drug safety updates, full details can be found in the folder.</p>	
9	<p><u>Horizon Scanning</u></p> <p>NICE Forward Planner – More information to follow.</p>	
10	<p><u>Appeals</u></p> <p>None</p>	
11	<p><u>Formulary Updates</u></p> <p>None</p>	
12	<p><u>Formulary Breach</u></p> <p>Discussion for lamotrigine to be taken to task and finish group</p>	
13	<p><u>Recommendations to JMMC</u></p> <p>All proposed drugs have been put forward for the JMMC meeting apart from Blutec and Symbicort MDI until further clarity has been received about costs. Future of JMMC. Do Not Prescribe List.</p>	
14	<p><u>Any Other Business</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Future of JMMC – C asked the committee for their views regarding the Walsall CCG possibly joining up with an APC (Area Prescribing Committee) - It was agreed to take this to the JMMC meeting in August to allow committee members time to explore all avenues. <p>Options that are put forward;</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Establish STP wide APC , first preference 2. Join with neighbouring APC, Dudley, Wolverhampton or Birmingham APC , second preference 3. Keep JMMC but review whole of formulary and make further cost-effective changes and restrictions, third preference <p>JMMC to approve the most appropriate course of action in the first instance.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Do Not Prescribe List – C advised the committee of a potential do not prescribe list which is required as part of the cost effective efficiency actions for the CCG. The group agreed that this is a valuable way forward for the CCG and Trust to control costs especially for acute pain. The group agreed for this item to be taken to JMMC for a decision on the establishment of such a list and for a number of drugs (agreed in future FMG) to be added to the list next time it is presented to JMMC in October 2016. 	

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Clozapine Clinics – DWMHT – Was not discussed• KINES Monthly News update – COPD – Was not discussed• KINES HOPE 3 Trial – Blood Pressure – Was not discussed• KINES HOPE 3 Trial – Lipid Lowering – Was not discussed• KINES – Does LDL – C matter in older people - Was not discussed• KINES – Neuropsychiatric safety of varenicline & bupropion – Was not discussed• Covert medication and DOLs – New court guidance – Was not discussed• NOACs – was discussed earlier	
15	Finish	

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Future Meeting Dates

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