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# Medical Technologies Advisory Committee (MTAC) meeting minutes

**Minutes:** Confirmed

**Date and time:** **146th MTAC meeting - Thursday 27th February 2025**

**Location:** Virtual meeting via Zoom

## Attendees

Committee members present

1. Jacob Brown (Chair) Present for all items
2. Teik Goh (Vice Chair) Present for all items
3. Devavrata Joshi Present for all items
4. Elizabeth Schroeder Present for all items
5. Jai Patel Present for all items
6. Jihad Malasi Present for all items
7. Katherine Boylan Present for all items
8. Richard Packer Present for all items
9. Stacey Chang-Douglass Present for all items
10. Veena Soni Present for all items

NICE staff present

Ahmed Yosef – Analyst Present for all items

Bruce Smith – Project Manager Present for all items

Catriona Vernal – Senior Guidance Content Designer Present for all items

David Jarrom – Adviser Present for items 1 – 3.1

Edgar Masanga – Business Analyst Present for all items

Ella van Bergen - Coordinator Present for all items

Emily Eaton-Turner – Associate Director Present for all items

Evan Campbell – Adviser Present for all items

Jakob Falloon – Analyst Present for all items

Kim Carter - Adviser Present for all items

Lirije Hyseni – Senior Analyst Present for all items

Matthew Brown – Digital Media Manager Present for all items

Robbie Pitcher - Analyst Present for all items

Sana Issa – Coordinator Present for items 1 – 3.2

Suvi Harmala – Senior Analyst Present for all items

Zoe Jones - Administrator Present for all items

EAG representatives present

Ayesha Rahim, CEDAR Present for items 1 – 3.2

Huey Yi Chong, CEDAR Present for items 1 – 3.2

Specialist committee members present

Dr Adnan Nadir – Coronary & Structural Heart Interventions Present for all items

Dr Ferrah Choudary – Consultant Interventional Cardiologist and PFO Service Lead Present for items 3.1 - 4

Helen Titu – Cardiology Nurse Consultant Present for all items

Dr Ian Purcell – Consultant Interventional Cardiologist Present for all items

Dr Joel Giblett – Cardiologist Present for all items

Stephen Hoole – Consultant Cardiologist Present for all items

Dr Sudhir Rathore – Consultant Interventional Cardiologist Present for all items

1. Introduction to the meeting
   1. The chair welcomed members of the committee and other attendees present to the meeting.
   2. The chair noted apologies from Abdullah Pandor, Avril McCarthy, Donna Cowan, Funminiye Adenle, Jennie Walker, Kiran Bali, Naomi McVey, Neil Hawkins, and Phillip Crilly.

## Minutes from the last meeting

* 1. The committee approved the minutes of the committee meeting held on 20th February 2025.

1. **Evaluation of Late-stage Assessment (LSA) of GID-HTE10039 Drug-eluting coronary stents for treating coronary artery disease**
   1. Part 1 – Open session
      1. The Chair welcomed the invited professional experts, external assessment group representatives, members of the public and company representatives from Abbott Medical, B Braun, Boston Scientific, Gap Medical Solutions, Medtronic, SMT, and Terumo.
      2. The Chair asked all committee members, professional experts, external group representatives and NICE staff present to declare any relevant interests in relation to the item being considered. The Chair read out declarations of interests from Katherine Boylan. Interests were also declared by Joel Giblett, and the Chair took the decision of declare and participate.
      3. The Chair led a discussion of the consultation comments presented to the committee. This information was presented by Suvi Harmala, Senior Analyst.
   2. Part 2 – Closed session (external assessment group representatives, company representatives and the members of the public were asked to leave the meeting)
      1. The committee then agreed on the content of the Late-Stage Assessment Guidance. The committee decision was reached by **consensus/through a vote** The committee asked the NICE technical team to prepare the Late-Stage Assessment Guidance in line with their decisions.

## Date of the next meeting

The next virtual meeting of the Medical Technologies Advisory Committee (MTAC) will be held on 13th March 2025 and will start promptly at 9:30am.