



**National Stoma Quality Improvement Group (NSQIG)  
BHTA Meeting October 5<sup>th</sup> 2018 National Procurement Canderside MR3**

<b>Present</b>	
Craig Stewart	Associate Nurse Director, IJB Lead East Ayrshire ( NSQIG Chair)
Alice Macleod	Senior Nurse National Procurement ( NSQIG Project Manager)
Billy Hislop	Category Manager National Procurement
Jonathan Scott	Head of Healthcare Policy Salts ( Chair of BHTA Scotland )
Jeremy Strokes	Clinical and Compliance Director Fittleworth ( Representing DACs)
<b>Apologies</b>	
Kevin Hodge	British Healthcare Association (BHTA)

**These notes reflect the salient points of discussion**

	<b>Areas of discussion</b>	<b>Action</b>
1	<p>Craig welcomed Jonathon &amp; Jeremy &amp; introductions were made with all present. Craig identified that this meeting was an informal open discussion by NSQIG &amp; BHTA representatives to discuss aims of NSQIG SLWG and indentify any issues relating to NSQIG. Craig explained rationale of NSQIG aligned to NHS Scotland national policy documents that relate to improving quality, identifying and reducing unwarranted waste and variation with similar work being taken forward across other health areas. No Agenda developed</p>	<b>Nil</b>
2	<p>Craig explained that NSQIG terms of reference have been shared with Scottish Stoma Forum He asked both Jonathon &amp; Jeremy if BHTA and representatives had the chance to review. Confirmed that BHTA members have reviewed NSQIG terms of reference which has been circulated to BHTA members via SSF &amp; K Hodges</p>	
3	<p><b>Engagement</b> BHTA were keen to discuss how they can engage with NSQIG and explore how the industry can help. How NSQIG can understand DACs dispensing role and how this supports patients. There was a discussion of the possibility of BHTA membership to NSQIG. Craig explained that BHTA representation at the NSQIG steering group would not be appropriate. Craig explained the need to have separate meetings with BHTA and Community Pharmacy Scotland to explore their role and how partnership working could support quality driven , effective and efficient and equitable stoma care aligned with a “Once for Scotland approach”. Craig also explained that we are progressing patient representation via NHS Scotland stoma forums. Craig suggested that it may be beneficial to develop a separate subgroup to explore industry partnership.</p> <p><b>Action</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Progress industry subgroup developed from NSQIG with clear terms of reference / objectives.</b></li> <li><b>Potential date to coincide with BHTA Scotland Meeting November 25<sup>th</sup> confirm with Craig &amp; Jonathon Scott/ K Hodge</b></li> </ol>	<p><b>C Stewart / A Macleod B Hislop</b></p>
4	<p><b>e-health and data analytics</b> Jeremy &amp; Jonathan noted that e-health and data analytics are part of NSQIG objectives and mentioned and mentioned industry Craig explained NSQIG are currently scoping the NHS Scotland stoma care pathway and prescribing practice analytics to achieve a better understanding of this population of patients. Discussed benefits of consistent data capture, identifying adverse events and developing&amp; evaluating optimal consistent stoma care across NHS Scotland. Jeremy offered chance for Craig/ Alice / Billy to visit Fittleworth DAC to review dispensing service which was positively received.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Link with Jeremy to arrange to visit Fittleworth</b></li> </ol>	<p><b>C Stewart A Macleod B Hislop</b></p>