

Final Appraisal Recommendation Advice No: 1814 – July 2014

Delta-9-tetrahydrocannabinol/cannabidiol (Sativex[®]) 2.7 mg/2.5 mg oromucosal spray

Submission by GW Pharmaceuticals Plc

Recommendation of AWMSG

Delta-9-tetrahydrocannabinol/cannabidiol (Sativex®) is recommended as an option for use within NHS Wales as treatment for symptom improvement in adult patients with moderate to severe spasticity due to multiple sclerosis who have not responded adequately to other antispasticity medication and who demonstrate clinically significant improvement in spasticity related symptoms during an initial trial of therapy.

In reaching the above recommendation AWMSG has taken account of the appraisal documentation prepared by the AWMSG Secretariat (reference number 644), which includes the AWMSG Secretariat Assessment Report (ASAR), the Preliminary Appraisal Recommendation (PAR) and the applicant company's response to the PAR, clinical expert opinion (where available), the views of patients/patient carers (where available) and the lay member perspective.

This recommendation has been ratified by Welsh Government and will be considered for review every three years.

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