

Use of liposomal cytarabine (DepoCyte®) within NHS Wales

Please disseminate the following information to the appropriate individuals within your organisation across NHS Wales.

Dear Colleague

The Minister for Health & Social Services has endorsed AWMSG's recommendation that:

The use of liposomal cytarabine (DepoCyte®) should not be supported in NHS Wales for the treatment of lymphomatous meningitis.

If you wish to view the appraisal meeting documentation please click on the link below.

<http://www.wales.nhs.uk/sites3/page.cfm?orgid=371&pid=7070>

This information has been disseminated by the AWMSG Secretariat.

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