

ALL WALES MEDICINES STRATEGY GROUP

**WEDNESDAY, 15TH OCTOBER 2008 COMMENCING 10.30 AM
(UNTIL 4.30 PM APPROX)
AT THE ANGEL HOTEL, ABERGAVENNY**

AGENDA

Enclosure

1. **Welcome and introduction**
2. **Apologies**
3. **Declarations of interest**
4. **Chairman's report** (verbal report)
5. **Minutes of previous meeting**
- Matters arising 1/AWMSG/1008
6. **Appraisal 1 – stiripentol (Diacomit[®])**
In conjunction with clobazam and valproate as adjunctive therapy of refractory generalized tonic-clonic seizures in patients with severe myoclonic epilepsy in infancy (SMEI, Dravet's syndrome) whose seizures are not adequately controlled with clobazam and valproate 2/AWMSG/1008
Appendices
7. **Appraisal 2 – rufinamide (Inovelon[®])**
For treatment of seizures associated with Lennox-Gastaut syndrome (LGS) as adjunctive therapy in patients four years and older 3/AWMSG/1008
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8. **Appraisal 3 – raltegravir (Isentress[®])**
In combination with other antiretroviral medicinal products agents for the treatment of Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV-1) infection in treatment-experienced adult patients with evidence of HIV-1 replication despite ongoing antiretroviral therapy 4/AWMSG/1008
Appendices
9. **Appraisal 4 – icatibant (Firazyr[®])**
Symptomatic treatment of acute attacks of hereditary angioedema (HAE) in adults with C1-esterase-inhibitor deficiency 5/AWMSG/1008
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10. **Appraisal 5 – abacavir/lamivudine (Kivexa[®])**
Antiretroviral combination therapy for the treatment of human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) infection in adults and adolescents from 12 years of age 6/AWMSG/1008
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11. **Appraisal 6 – teriparatide (Forsteo[®])**
To increase bone mass in men with primary or hypogonadal osteoporosis who are at high risk from fracture 7/AWMSG/1008
Appendices
12. **Update on NHS Industry Forum** (verbal report)
13. **Update on AWPAG** (verbal report)
- Unlicensed oral liquid medicines 8/AWMSG/1008
14. **Update on WAPSU** (verbal report)

**Date of the next AWMSG meeting is Wednesday, 10th December 2008 at
The Angel Hotel, Abergavenny commencing 10.30 am**