Supplementary file 6 – committees

**The Interventional Procedures Committee**

The Committee is made up of 25 members (including the chair) who are independent of NICE.

It includes:

* clinicians who carry out interventional procedures
* 2 lay members who are familiar with the issues affecting patients and carers
* experts in regulation and in the evaluation of healthcare
* a Chief Executive of an NHS trust
* a Medical Director of an NHS trust
* a GP
* a nurse
* a representative from the medical device industry
* a member with special knowledge of patient safety issues.

The committee is quorate with 13 members

**The Highly Specialised Technologies Committee**

The Committee is made up of 15 members (including the chair) who are independent of NICE.

It includes:

* 3 clinicians with experience treating patients with complex, rare, conditions, including a geneticist and paediatrician
* 1 public health
* 1 pharmacist
* 1 pharmaceutical and medical devices industries
* 2 health service researchers
* 3 lay members with at least one member to have an interest in the field of ethics, with proven track record of contribution to public discussion of ethical issues
* 1 NHS senior manager
* 2 commissioners

The committee is quorate with 8 members