

# Musculoskeletal Working Party

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The Musculoskeletal (MSK) Working Party met once this year.

There was a detailed review of the work of the previous group and from this, the work of the reformed working party was planned.

## Activities/Plans

The work of the previous working party was reviewed and the guidelines were completed and have been submitted to Haemophilia.

The working party plan to work with NHS England (NHSE) in producing guidelines for radioactive synovectomy in the UK, to agree a list of centres to administer this treatment to PWH and to facilitate a clear commissioning pathway. The Working Party will agree a method with NHD for prospective audit of these procedures - to assess efficacy and cost effectiveness.

We plan to compile a list of reference centres for arthroplasty - particularly for elbow and knee replacements for PWH. A pathway for commissioning this work with also be agreed with NHSE.

With UKHCDO, we plan to produce information on joint arthroplasty and synovectomy for patients and to hold joint educational events on orthopaedic surgery for haemophilic arthropathy.

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