Obstetric Task Force

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Remit and Activities

The task force was initially established by Charlie Hay, to revise and update the 2006 UKHCDO guidelines on the management of pregnancy in women with congenital bleeding disorders, or carriers thereof. Chairmanship was handed over to Sue Pavord in 2015.

The guidelines have been developed in conjunction with the Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists and the scoping and literature search has been conducted in accordance with their usual procedures.

The completed guideline has been reviewed by the RCOG and UKHCDO advisory committees and is currently on the RCOG website for wider consultation. This closes on Sunday 25 September and the comments will be collated and returned to the developers to address.

The RCOG plan to publish this green topped guideline in March 2017. It is targeted at haematologists, obstetricians, neonatologists and anaesthetists.

Peer review from the UKHCDO and BSH obstetric Haematology Group will be requested in parallel with the RCOG, in early 2016

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