

Integrated Impact Assessment Report for Clinical Commissioning Policies				
Policy Reference Number	1825			
Policy Title	Dexrazoxane for preventing cardiotoxicity in children and young people (< 25 years) receiving high-dose anthracyclines or related drugs for the treatment of cancer Proposal <u>for routine commission</u> (ref A3.1)			
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About this Impact Assessment: instructions for completion and explanatory notes

- Each section is divided into themes.
- Each theme sets out a number of questions.
- All questions are answered by selecting a drop down option or including free text.
- Free text boxes are provided to enable succinct relevant commentary to be added which explains the rationale for response or assumption. Please limit responses to 3 sentences of explanatory text.
- Data in this document is either drawn from one of the relevant policy documents or a source for the information is provided.
- Where assumptions are included where data is not available, this is specified.

Section A	- Activity Impact
A1 Current Patient Population & Demography / Growth	
A1.1 Prevalence of the disease/condition.	Children and young people with either acute myeloid leukaemia (AML) or bone sarcomas are most likely to be in the cohort of patients that would receive dexrazoxane. A 2012 National Cancer Intelligence Network (NCIN) report on childhood tumours registered with children's cancer and leukaemia groups between 1977-2011 (for children aged under 15) showed an average (mean) of 88 AMLs a year, and an average (mean) of 20 bone cancers each year. Source: Policy Proposition, Section 5 Epidemiology and Needs Assessment
A1.2 Number of patients currently eligible for the treatment	108
according to the proposed policy commissioning criteria.	
	Note : This policy proposition for the use of dexrazoxane treatment is not specific to a particular disease or tumour group, therefore actual number of eligible children receiving anthracyclines for all diseases and tumour groups could be higher than the cohort comprised of AML or bone cancer.
	Source: Policy Proposition, Section 5 Epidemiology and Needs Assessment
A1.3 Age group for which the treatment is proposed according to	Other
the policy commissioning criteria.	Children and young people aged under 25 years.

A1.4 Age distribution of the patient population eligible according to the proposed policy commissioning criteria	Both AML and bone cancers are more numerous in teenagers and young adults aged 16-24 years than those aged less than 15 years (Office of National Statistics, 2017, as cited by Cancer Research UK). Source: Policy Proposition, Section 5 Epidemiology and Needs Assessment
A1.5 How is the population currently distributed geographically?	<u>Evenly</u>
A2 Future Patient Population & Demography	
A2.1 Projected changes in the disease/condition epidemiology, such as incidence or prevalence (prior to applying the new policy) in 2, 5, and 10 years?	Constant
A2.2 Are there likely to be changes in demography of the patient population and would this impact on activity/outcomes?	<u>Yes</u>

young adults (aged between 15 – 24 years of age) at cancer every year (Children's Cancer and Leukaemia the incidence of AML/bone cancers are very rare. Source: Policy Proposition, Section 5 Epidemiology at Assessment Source: ONS Population Projections		ancer and Leukaemia Group, 2014) and cers are very rare.	
A2.3 Expected net increase or decrease in the number of patients		AML/Bone	
who will be eligible for the service, according to the proposed service specification commissioning criteria, per year in years 2-5	Year 2	1	
and 10?	Year 5	3	
	Year 10	6	
Are these numbers in line with ONS growth assumptions for the age specific population? If not please justify the growth assumptions made.	Net changes were calculated using ONS growth assumptions and a starting baseline of 108 patients. Yes		
A3 Activity			
A3.1 What is the purpose of new policy?	Confirm routine commissioning position of an additional new treatment		
A3.2 What is the annual activity associated with the existing pathway for the eligible population?	108 Source: Policy Working Croup		
	Source: Policy Working Group		

A3.4 What is the estimated annual activity associated with the next best alternative comparator pathway for the eligible population? If the only alternative is the existing pathway, please state 'not applicable' and move to A4. Not applicable. Source: Policy Working Group	A3.3 What is the estimated annual activity associated with the proposed policy proposition pathway for the eligible population?	108 Source: Policy Working Group
	best alternative comparator pathway for the eligible population? If the only alternative is the existing pathway, please state 'not	

A4 Existing Patient Pathway

A4.1 **Existing pathway:** Describe the relevant currently routinely commissioned:

- Treatment or intervention
- Patient pathway
- Eligibility and/or uptake estimates.

The decision to treat a child or young person with anthracycline chemotherapy (or any other cancer treatment) is made by the relevant multi-disciplinary team, as follows:

- Children aged between 0 to 16 years the MDT hosted by the Children's Cancer Principal Treatment Centre (PTC)
- Teenagers aged between 16 -18 years the MDT hosted by the Teenager and Young Adult (TYA) Cancer PTC
- Young people over 19 years of age either an adult site specific MDT or TYA Cancer PTC.

In line with the relevant service specifications for C/TYA cancer, anthracycline based chemotherapy treatment can be delivered from:

- Children's Cancer PTCs (for patients aged between 0 16 years)
- Paediatric Oncology Shared Care Units (for patients aged between 0 – 16 years)
- TYA Cancer PTCs (for teenagers and young people from 16 years up to their 25th birthday)
- TYA Designated Hospitals (for people aged 19 years and over).

	Source: C/TYA Cancer Service Specifications
A4.2. What are the current treatment access and stopping criteria?	Treatment plans for each patient, including chemotherapy and any other drugs, requires a multi-disciplinary team (MDT) discussion. See section A4.1 for further details.
	Source: Policy Working Group
A4.3 What percentage of the total eligible population is expected to:	
 a) Be clinically assessed for treatment b) Be considered to meet an exclusion criteria following assessment c) Choose to initiate treatment d) Comply with treatment e) Complete treatment? 	a) 100% b) 0% c) 100% d) 100% e) 100%
	Source: Policy Working Group
A5 Comparator (next best alternative treatment) Patient Pathwa (NB: comparator/next best alternative does not refer to current pathway but to an A5.1 Next best comparator:	
Is there another 'next best' alternative treatment which is a relevant comparator?	
If yes, describe relevant	

A5.2 What percentage of the total eligible population is estimated to: a) Be clinically assessed for treatment b) Be considered to meet an exclusion criteria following assessment c) Choose to initiate treatment d) Comply with treatment e) Complete treatment?	Not applicable.
A6 New Patient Pathway	
A6.1 What percentage of the total eligible population is expected to: a) Be clinically assessed for treatment b) Be considered to meet an exclusion criteria following assessment c) Choose to initiate treatment d) Comply with treatment e) Complete treatment?	a) 100% b) 0% c) 100% d) 100% e) 100% Source: Policy Working Group
A6.2 Specify the nature and duration of the proposed new treatment or intervention.	Time limited Duration of anthracycline infusion: Due to the short half-life of dexrazoxane, the anthracycline must be given alongside dexrazoxane over a period of one hour or less. Source: Policy Proposition section 7 - Proposed Criteria for Commissioning

A7 Treatment Setting		
A7.1 How is this treatment delivered to the patient?		
	Emergency/Urgent care attendance	
	Acute Trust: inpatient	
	Acute Trust: day patient	
	Acute Trust: outpatient	
	Mental Health provider: inpatient	
	Mental Health provider: outpatient	
	Community setting	
	Homecare	
	Other	
A7.2 What is the current number of contracted providers for the eligible population by region?	As outlined in Section A4.1, children and young people with cancer may be treated by any designated children's cancer PTC, POSCU, TYA PTG and TYA designated hospital in line with the relevant service specifications. Across England, there are currently: 13 Children's Cancer PTCs 80 POSCUs 14 TYA Cancer PTCs 80 Designated Hospitals	

A7.3 Does the proposition require a change of delivery setting or capacity requirements?	No Patients will already be receiving anthracyclines. In addition, the patient numbers are small.		
A8 Coding			
A8.1 Specify the datasets used to record the new patient pathway			
activity.	Aggregate Contract Monitoring *		
*expected to be populated for all commissioned activity	Patient level contract monitoring		
	Patient level drugs dataset	\boxtimes	
	Patient level devices dataset		
	Devices supply chain reconciliation dataset		
	Secondary Usage Service (SUS+)		
	Mental Health Services DataSet (MHSDS)		
	National Return**		
	Clinical Database**	\boxtimes	
	Other**		
	** High cost drugs list and approved prior appro	oval form	
A8.2 Specify how the activity related to the new patient pathway	Select all that apply:		
will be identified.	OPCS v4.8		

	ICD10		
	Treatment function code	\boxtimes	
	Main Speciality code	\boxtimes	
	HRG		
	SNOMED		
	Clinical coding / terming methodology used by clinical profession		
A8.3 Identification Rules for Drugs:	Not already specified in current NHS Englar	nd Drug	ıs List document
How are drug costs captured?	This will be added to the NHS England's Drugs	List fro	om April 2019.
A8.4 Identification Rules for Devices: How are device costs captured?	Not applicable		
A8.5 Identification Rules for Activity: How are activity costs captured?	Already correctly captured by an existing sp (NCBPS code within the PSS Tool	oecialis	sed service line
	NCBPS01C Chemotherapy		
A9 Monitoring			
A9.1 Contracts Specify any new or revised data flow or data collection requirements, needed for inclusion in the NHS Standard Contract Information Schedule.	<u>None</u>		

B1 Service Organisation	
Section B	- Service Impact
A9.6 NICE reporting Are there any directly applicable NICE or equivalent quality standards which need to be monitored in association with the new policy?	Yes The MHRA Summary of Product Characteristics (SPC) contains advice on dosing in renal impairment and further information, as outlined in the draft policy proposition.
A9.5 Dashboard reporting Specify whether a dashboard exists for the proposed intervention?	<u>No</u>
A9.4 Contract monitoring Is this part of routine contract monitoring?	<u>Yes</u>
A9.3 Business intelligence Is there potential for duplicate reporting?	<u>No</u>
A9.2 Excluded Drugs and Devices (not covered by the Zero Cost Model) For treatments which are tariff excluded drugs or devices not covered by the Zero Cost Model, specify the pharmacy or device monitoring required, for example reporting or use of prior approval systems.	Drugs or Device MDS □ Blueteq □ Other prior approval □

B1.1 Describe how the service is currently organised? (i.e. tertiary centres, networked provision etc.)	Tertiary centres and network	ed provision.
	See Section A4.1.	
B1.2 Will the proposition change the way the commissioned service is organised?	<u>No</u>	
B1.3 Will the proposition require a new approach to the organisation of care?	No change to delivery of ca	are
B2 Geography & Access		
B2.1 Where do current referrals come from?	Select all that apply:	
	GP	
	Secondary care	
	Tertiary care	
	Other	
B2.2 What impact will the new policy have on the sources of referral?	No impact	
B2.3 Is the new policy likely to improve equity of access?	No impact	
	This treatment is not currently	y commissioned.

	Source: Policy Proposition.
B2.4 Is the new policy likely to improve equality of access and/or outcomes?	Increase Reduced cardiotoxicity and cardiovascular related morbidity and mortality in childhood survivors of cancer. Source: Policy Proposition
B3 Implementation	
B3.1 Will commissioning or provider action be required before implementation of the proposition can occur?	No action required
B3.2 Time to implementation: Is a lead-in time required prior to implementation?	No - go to B3.4
B3.3 Time to implementation: If lead-in time is required prior to implementation, will an interim plan for implementation be required?	No - go to B3.4
B3.4 Is a change in provider physical infrastructure required?	<u>No</u>
B3.5 Is a change in provider staffing required?	<u>No</u>
B3.6 Are there new clinical dependency and/or adjacency requirements that would need to be in place?	<u>No</u>

B3.7 Are there changes in the support services that need to be in place?	<u>No</u>	
B3.8 Is there a change in provider and/or inter-provider governance required? (e.g. ODN arrangements / prime contractor)	<u>No</u>	
B3.9 Is there likely to be either an increase or decrease in the number of commissioned providers? If yes, specify the current and estimated number of providers required in each region	No change	
B3.10 Specify how revised provision will be secured by NHS	Select all that apply:	
England as the responsible commissioner.	Publication and notification of new policy	\boxtimes
	Market intervention required	
	Competitive selection process to secure increase or decrease provider configuration	
	Price-based selection process to maximise cost effectiveness	
	Any qualified provider	
	National Commercial Agreements e.g. drugs, devices	
	Procurement	
	Other	
B4 Place-based Commissioning		

B4.1 Is this service currently subject to, or planned for, place-based commissioning arrangements? (e.g. future CCG lead, devolved commissioning arrangements, STPs)	<u>No</u>		
Section C -	· Finance In	npact	
C1 Tariff/Pricing			
C1.1 How is the service contracted and/or charged?	Select all	that apply:	
Only specify for the relevant section of the patient pathway		Not separately charged – part of local or national tariffs	
	Drugs	Excluded from tariff – pass through	\boxtimes
		Excluded from tariff - other	
	Devices	Not separately charged – part of local or national tariffs	
		Excluded from tariff (excluding ZCM) – pass through	
		Excluded from tariff (excluding ZCM) – other	
		Via Zero Cost Model	
		Paid entirely by National Tariffs	\boxtimes
		Paid entirely by Local Tariffs	
	A a tiveite	Partially paid by National Tariffs	
	Activity	Partially paid by Local Tariffs	
		Part/fully paid under a Block arrangement	
		Part/fully paid under Pass-Through arrangements	

	Part/fully paid under Other arrangements
Where not included in national or local tariffs, list each drug or combination, dosage, quantity, list price including VAT if applicable and any other key information e.g. Chemotherapy Regime. NB discounted prices or local prices must not be included as these are subject to commercial confidentiality and must not be disclosed.	Dexrazoxane can be considered in all children and young people aged under 25 years receiving anthracyclines with a cumulative dose of doxorubicin 300 mg/m² or more or an equivalent dose of another anthracycline for cancer either as a front line-treatment or combined with other treatments. The cumulative dose refers to when the doxorubicin dose will meet or exceed 300 mg/m² over the entire lifetime of current or primary treatment regime. Dexrazoxane needs to be handled as a chemotherapy and will be prepared just before each dose due to a short half-life. The maximum dose/cycle proposed for a child or young person of older age or heavier weight is two vials administered across two days up to 6 cycles for osteosarcoma and 2 cycles for AML. In addition, some AML patients may receive an additional cycle of 2 vials across 3 days. The dose for younger children is halved – i.e. 1 vial per day rather than 2. The average NHS Indicative Price (list price) for a 500mg vial is as follows: Vial Ex-VAT Incl VAT 500mg £156.57 £187.88 The above is based on the BNF listed prices. The actual price paid will depend on commercial in confidence discounts.

	There will also be costs such as those for dilutents and infusion lines, which are the responsibility of the provider; additional impact is expected to be minimal given the small overall patient numbers. Aseptic preparation costs vary nationally and are funded by locally negotiated agreements; any additional impact is expected to be minimal given small overall patient numbers
C1.3 Device Costs Where not included in national or local tariff, list each element of the excluded device, quantity, list or expected price including VAT if applicable and any other key information. NB: Discounted prices or local prices must not be included as these are subject to commercial confidentiality and must not be disclosed.	Not Applicable.
C1.4 Activity Costs covered by National Tariffs List all the HRG codes, HRG descriptions, national tariffs (excluding MFF), volume and other key costs (e.g. specialist top up %)	Aseptic preparation costs are funded by locally negotiated agreements.
C1.5 Activity Costs covered by Local Tariff List all the HRGs (if applicable), HRG or local description, estimated average tariff, volume and any other key costs. Also indicate whether the Local Tariff(s) is/are newly proposed or established and if newly proposed how is has been derived, validated and tested.	Not applicable.
C1.6 Other Activity Costs not covered by National or Local Tariff Include descriptions and estimates of all key costs.	Not applicable.

C1.7 Are there any prior approval mechanisms required either during implementation or permanently?	Yes	
C2 Average Cost per Patient		
C2.1 What is the estimated cost per patient to NHS England, in	YR1	£3,556
years 1-5, including follow-up where required?	YR2	£3,556
	YR3	£3,556
	YR4	£3,556
	YR5	£3,556
	only requiring additional 3-is £4,509 (m	expected average cost per patient based on 10% of patients ng 1 vial per day and 50% of AML patients requiring the -day cycle. The maximum cost per patient with Osteosarcomaninimum £2,255) and the maximum cost per patient with AML ninimum £1,503).
Are there any changes expected in year 6-10 which would impact the model?	No material	impact is expected in years 6-10.
C3 Overall Cost Impact of this Policy to NHS England		
C3.1 Specify the budget impact of the proposal on NHS England in relation to the relevant pathway.	Cost press	
	YR1	£384.0k

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	YR2	£387.6k	
	YR3	£387.6k	
	YR4	£391.2k	
	YR5	£391.2k	
C3.2 If the budget impact on NHS England cannot be identified set out the reasons why this cannot be measured.	C2.1, incorpo	orating changes in account of the confidence of	ge cost per patient set out in section tivity as estimated in section A2.3. lower depending any potential nts.
C3.3 If the activity is subject to a change of commissioning responsibility, from CCG to NHS England, has a methodology for the transfer of funds been identified, and calculated?	Not applicab	le	
C4 Overall cost impact of this policy to the NHS as a whole			
C4.1 Specify the budget impact of the proposal on other parts of the NHS.	Budget impa	ct for CCGs:	
	No impact o	n CCGs	

	Budget impact for providers: Cost neutral
C4.2 Taking into account responses to C3.1 and C4.1, specify the budget impact to the NHS as a whole.	Cost pressure
C4.3 Where the budget impact is unknown set out the reasons why	As per Section C3.1 Not applicable.
this cannot be measured	Not applicable.
C4.4 Are there likely to be any costs or savings for non-NHS commissioners and/or public sector funders?	<u>Unknown</u>
C5 Funding	
C5.1 Where a cost pressure is indicated, state known source of funds for investment, where identified, e.g. decommissioning less clinically or cost-effective services.	CPAG prioritisation reserve.
C6 Financial Risks Associated with Implementing this Policy	
C6.1 What are the material financial risks to implementing this policy?	There are not expected to be any material financial risks associated with implementing this policy.
C6.2 How can these risks be mitigated?	Not applicable.

explicitly tested to generate best case, worst case and most likely total cost scenarios? every patient with bone cancer or AML will be eligible for treatment 'best case' cost scenario is a slightly lower number; and the 'worst ocst impact scenario is that patients with other types of tumours or diseases may also receive anthracyclines and be eligible for this treatment, however the overall numbers are expected to be small. C6.4 What scenario has been approved and why? The most likely cost scenario has been approved based on PWG estimates of around 108 patients requiring treatment based on avaidata relating to bone cancer and AML. There is no published evidence of cost-effectiveness There is no published evidence of cost-effectiveness There is no published evidence of cost-effectiveness Available pricing data suggests the treatment is equivalent cost compared to current/comparator treatment Available pricing data suggests the treatment is lower cost compared to current/comparator treatment Available clinical practice data suggests the new treatment has the potential to improve value for money Other data has been identified No data has been identified			
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	The data does not support a high level of certainty about the impact on value
C8 Cost Profile	
C8.1 Are there non-recurrent capital or revenue costs associated with this policy?	<u>No</u>
C8.2 If yes, confirm the source of funds to meet these costs.	Not applicable.