



**RCOphth Annual Congress 2018**

## **NICE guidelines**

**Tuesday 22 May 2018 15.30 – 17.30**

**Chaired by Professor John Sparrow, Consultant Ophthalmologist, Honorary Professor of Ophthalmic Health Services Research and Applied Epidemiology, Bristol Eye Hospital**

In the past couple of years NICE has produced clinical guidelines on three major ophthalmological topics: cataract, glaucoma and AMD. This symposium will present an overview of NICE guideline development methodology, how cost effectiveness is assessed, and key messages coming out of each of these guidelines in terms of clinical practice recommendations. You will hear from the professionals who work on NICE guidelines every day, as well as ophthalmologists who have worked alongside them and participated in development of specific guidelines relevant to our specialty.

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| <b>15.30 – 15.30</b> | <b>Introduction</b><br>Professor John Sparrow   |
| <b>15.35 – 15.55</b> | <b>NICE Methodology</b><br>Dr Jennifer Hill, Operations Director, National Guideline Centre, Royal College of Physicians            |
| <b>15.55 – 16.15</b> | <b>NICE Cost Effectiveness</b><br>Ms Lauren Ramjee, Senior Health Economist, National Guideline Centre, Royal College of Physicians |
| <b>16.15 – 16.35</b> | <b>Cataract</b><br>Mr Michael Burdon RCOphth President & Mr Nick Wilson-Holt, Consultant Ophthalmologist, Royal Cornwall Hospital   |
| <b>16.35 – 16.55</b> | <b>Glaucoma</b><br>Professor John Sparrow   |
| <b>16.55 – 17.15</b> | <b>AMD</b><br>Mr Alexander Foss, Consultant Ophthalmologist, University Hospital Nottingham   |
| <b>17.15 – 17.30</b> | <b>Q&amp;A Discussion</b>   |