

Prescribing Clinical Network

Policy Statement	Ustekinumab for treating active psoriatic arthritis
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Recommendations:

The PCN recommends Ustekinumab as a treatment option for treating active Psoriatic Arthritis in adults in line with NICE TA340.

Key Considerations:

- NICE TA 340 https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/ta340/resources/ustekinumab-for-treating-active-psoriatic-arthritis-rapid-review-of-technology-appraisal-guidance-313-82602601123525
- The Psoriatic Arthritis Pathway has been updated to include Ustekinumab as a treatment option

Post PCN meeting note: (December 2016)

The PCN should be aware that the consequence of the publication of this NICE TA is that there is a cohort of patients who will have received all the lines of biologic treatment in the pathway but will now be eligible for treatment with Ustekinumab as per the NICE TA.

Date taken to Prescribing Clinical Network	Virtual decision September 2015
Agreed by PCN members	December 2016

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