

Surrey & North West Sussex Area Prescribing Committee

| Policy Statement | Vedolizumab for treating moderately to severely active ulcerative colitis |
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| Policy No: | PCN 166-2015 |
| Date of Issue | September 2015 |
| Review Date: | No review date will be assigned to any drugs or devices that are subject to a NICE Technology appraisal. |
| | The recommendation made by the APC (formerly PCN) will be reviewed when new published evidence becomes available OR there is new published national guidance e.g. NICE) |
| Recommendations: The PCN recommends Vedolizumab as a treatment option for moderately to severely active ulcerative colitis in adults, in line with NICE TA342, if it is considered the most suitable therapy for the individual. | |
| Key Considerations: NICE TA 342 <u>http://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/ta342/resources/guidancevedolizumab-for-treating-moderately-to-severely-active-ulcerative-colitis-pdf</u> | |

• The Ulcerative Colitis Pathway has been updated to include Vedolizumab as a treatment option.

| Date taken to Area Prescribing Committee | Virtual decision August/September 2015 |
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| Agreed by APC members | 18th September 2015 |