

**Policy Category: INNF**

**Who usually applies for funding? GP/Consultant**

# National Institute for Health and Care Excellence (NICE) ‘DO Not Do’ Policy

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| **Commissioning decision** | **All guidance published by the National Institute for Health and Care Excellence (NICE) which is a ‘Do Not Do’ recommendation is not normally funded by NHS.**  **Funding approval must be sought from the CCG via the Individual Funding Request process prior to treatment.** |

# Policy Statement:

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# Rationale:

The CCG only routinely funds treatments of proven clinical effectiveness. Therefore any treatments or procedures listed within the NICE ‘Do not Do’ should not be under-taken and will not be funded by the NHS.

# Evidence base:

NICE ‘Do not Do’ <http://www.nice.org.uk/savingsandproductivity/collection> (filter ‘Do not Do’)

Intended to ensure treatments with poor evidence base are not provided by the NHS.

Application form – INNF Application Form

For further information please contact [GLCCG.IFR@nhs.net](mailto:GLCCG.IFR@nhs.net)

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**Policy sign off**

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| 3 | Review date | 9.6.22 | Review date changed to June 2025 |

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