iCAHE Guideline Clearinghouse

iCAHE Checklist Score Sheet

Guideline:

Osteoporosis fragility fracture (August 2012)

Guideline Producer:

National Institute for Health and Clinical Excellence

Link:

http://www.nice.org.uk/nicemedia/live/13857/60400/60400.pdf http://www.nice.org.uk/nicemedia/live/13857/60457/60457.pdf (Appendices)

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1. Availability	
Is the guideline readily available in full text?	Yes
Does the guideline provide a complete reference list?	Yes
Does the guideline provide a summary of its recommendations?	Yes
2. Dates	
Is there a date of completion available?	Yes
Does the guideline provide an anticipated review date?	Yes
Does the guideline provide dates for when literature was included?	Yes
3. Underlying evidence	
Does the guideline provide an outline of the strategy they used to find underlying evidence?	Yes
Does the guideline use a hierarchy to rank the quality of the underlying evidence?	Yes
Does the guideline appraise the quality of the evidence which underpins its recommendations?	Yes
Does the guideline link the hierarchy and quality of underlying evidence to each recommendation?	Unclear
4. Guideline developers	
Are the developers of the guideline clearly stated?	Yes
Does the qualifications and expertise of the guideline developer(s) link with the	Yes
purpose of the guideline and its end users?	
5. Guideline purpose and users	
Are the purpose and target users of the guideline stated?	Yes
6. Ease of use	
Is the guideline readable and easy to navigate?	Yes

