

Secretary of State for Transport's Honorary Medical Advisory Panel on Alcohol, Drugs and Substance Misuse and Driving

Declaration of Interests Revised March 2026

Name: Dr D Fox (Chair)

Clinical Interests: Consultant Occupational Physician. Secretary and Trustee Society of Occupational Medicine, board member Medical Council on Alcohol, Formerly Responsible Officer for the Faculty of Occupational Medicine.

Professional Associates: Fellow Royal College of Physicians, Faculty of Occupational Medicine.

Academic/Research: None

Commercial: Employed by Health Partners in the commercial occupational health sector.

Other: None

Name: Dr E Day

Clinical Interests: Consultant Psychiatrist working in the NHS. Clinical Reader in Addiction Psychiatry at the University of Birmingham.



Professional Associates: President: The Society for the Study of Addiction UK Government National Recovery Champion (a government advisory role).
Member: The Royal College of Psychiatrists.

Academic/Research: Principal Investigator for clinical trials of depot buprenorphine and take- home naloxone, both indirectly funded by industry (Indivior and MundiPharma).

Commercial: None

Other: None

Name: Dr R Searle

Clinical Interests: Consultant Anaesthetist and Pain Specialist.

Professional Associates: Fellow of the Royal College of Anaesthetists and Faculty of Pain Medicine.

Academic/Research: None

Commercial: Private work for the Sapphire clinic (prescription medical cannabis).

Other: None



Name: Dr S Morley

Clinical Interests: Consultant in Chemical Pathology and Forensic Toxicology.

Professional Associates: None

Academic/Research: Case reports primarily. No research grants. Lecturer: Kings College London MSc analytical toxicology course. University West Indies MSc forensic science course. External Advisor: PhD (insulin analysis) Kings College London. Co-supervisor: PhD (postmortem drug redistribution) University West Indies (due to start Sept 2019). External Examiner: Chemical pathology medical training- University West Indies Senior Examiner: Royal College Pathologist – clinical chemistry (with input into toxicology).

Commercial: Private toxicology consultancy Morley Toxicology Ltd. Consultant: Leicester Infirmary, but his laboratory does not provide the analysis (CDT, PEth, hair analysis) that may be included DVLA's forthcoming Provision of Laboratory Services.

Other: Toxicology Advisor: UK Motor Sports Association (MSA) Medical. Panel Chair: UK Clinical Toxicology Group.

Name: Dr R J Aspinall

Clinical Interests: Consultant Hepatologist & Trust Alcohol Lead, Portsmouth Hospitals University NHS Trust.

Professional Associates: Membership of: Royal College of Physicians UK. British Society of Gastroenterology. British Association for the Study of the Liver. European Association for the Study of the Liver American Association for the Study of Liver Disease. British Medical Association.



Academic/Research: Chief and Principal Investigator for clinical research studies on chronic liver disease and complications of cirrhosis including hepatic encephalopathy. Current grant from NIHR Wessex Clinical Research Network to support research fellow's salary.

Commercial: No recent (last 12 months) industry grants or pharma funding.

Other: NHS England – National Specialty Advisor and Chair of Clinical Reference Group for Hepatobiliary & Pancreas Disorders (renumerated 1 session per week). Trustee, patient charity Liver4Life. Member of Expert Panel, patient charity PSC Support Member of Clinical Advisory Group, patient charity British Liver Trust.

Name: Mr James Nutt

Clinical Interests: Laboratory Operations Manager responsible for various testing methodologies of drug and alcohol testing in different biological materials undertaken by the laboratory. These include hair, oral fluid and PEth in blood, in particular the assessment and interpretation of results.

Professional Associates: Member of the Society of Hair Testing (SOHT). The International Association of Forensic Toxicologists (TIAFT). The Royal Society of Chemistry (MRSC). The London Toxicology Group (LTG). Society of PEth Research (PEth- NET). Elected executive board member of the European Workplace Drug Testing Society (EWDTS).

Academic/Research: Presented scientific research in various scientific conferences and co-authored several papers.

Commercial: Employed by Cansford Laboratories Ltd.

Other: None



Name: Dr Bhagat Sharma

Clinical Interests: None

Professional Associates: None

Academic/Research: None

Commercial: None

Other: None

Name: Mrs N Tubeileh-Hall (Lay Member)

Clinical Interests: None

Professional Associates: None

Academic/Research: None

Commercial: None

Other: None