

Council Authors' representative Candidate Statement

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Today's date:	24-08-2021
Role in a Cochrane Group:	Author, Editor (DTA Editorial team)

Please state:

<p>1. Why you wish to run for a position on the Cochrane Council?</p> <p>Over the last 6 years I have gained a wealth of experience as a Cochrane Author in two Review Groups, addressing a range of diagnostic test accuracy review questions with varying challenges. Although less common compared to intervention reviews, test accuracy reviews are being published in increasing numbers on the Cochrane Library and I think it is important to reflect this at a higher level within Cochrane. I am keen to use my experience to contribute to Cochrane more widely and to represent Authors' views and experiences of working with Cochrane.</p>
<p>2. What skills, experiences or qualities you would bring to the Council</p> <p>The reviews that I have co-authored have been collaborative projects bringing together authors from multiple disciplines, many of whom have never previously been involved in either Cochrane or test accuracy reviews. These reviews bring specific challenges methodologically and for writing / production in RevMan and other software packages for systematic reviews, particularly as review questions are often complex. From an authors' and review lead's perspective I have trialled a number of different ways of making DTA reviews more efficient and to facilitate collaboration internationally.</p> <p>I am also part of the Cochrane Diagnostic Test Accuracy Editorial team and have contributed to the forthcoming update of the Cochrane Handbook for Diagnostic Test Accuracy reviews. These varying roles in Cochrane give me a wider perspective that complements my hands experience as a review author.</p>

3. List the Cochrane Review(s) on which you have an Author role

1. Dinnes J, Deeks JJ, Berhane S, et al. Rapid, point-of-care antigen and molecular-based tests for diagnosis of SARS-CoV-2 infection. *Cochrane Database Syst Rev* 2021;3:Cd013705. doi: 10.1002/14651858.CD013705.pub2 [published Online First: 2021/03/25]
2. Struyf T, Deeks JJ, Dinnes J, et al. Signs and symptoms to determine if a patient presenting in primary care or hospital outpatient settings has COVID-19. *Cochrane Database Syst Rev* 2021;2:Cd013665. doi: 10.1002/14651858.CD013665.pub2 [published Online First: 2021/02/24]
3. Islam N, Ebrahimzadeh S, Salameh JP, et al. Thoracic imaging tests for the diagnosis of COVID-19. *Cochrane Database Syst Rev* 2021;3:Cd013639. doi: 10.1002/14651858.CD013639.pub4 [published Online First: 2021/03/17]
4. Stegeman I, Ochodo EA, Guleid F, et al. Routine laboratory testing to determine if a patient has COVID-19. *Cochrane Database Syst Rev* 2020;11:Cd013787. doi: 10.1002/14651858.Cd013787 [published Online First: 2020/11/20]

5. Deeks JJ, Dinnes J, Takwoingi Y, et al. Antibody tests for identification of current and past infection with SARS-CoV-2. *Cochrane Database Syst Rev* 2020;6:CD013652. doi: 10.1002/14651858.CD013652 [published Online First: 2020/06/26]
6. Dinnes J, Ferrante di Ruffano L, Takwoingi Y, et al. Ultrasound, CT, MRI, or PET-CT for staging and re-staging of adults with cutaneous melanoma. *Cochrane Database Syst Rev* 2019;7(7):CD012806. doi: 10.1002/14651858.CD012806.pub2 [published Online First: 2019/07/02]
7. Ferrante di Ruffano L, Takwoingi Y, Dinnes J, et al. Computer-assisted diagnosis techniques (dermoscopy and spectroscopy-based) for diagnosing skin cancer in adults. *Cochrane Database Syst Rev* 2018;12:CD013186. doi: 10.1002/14651858.CD013186 [published Online First: 2018/12/07]
8. Ferrante di Ruffano L, Dinnes J, Deeks JJ, et al. Optical coherence tomography for diagnosing skin cancer in adults. *Cochrane Database Syst Rev* 2018;12(12):CD013189. doi: 10.1002/14651858.CD013189 [published Online First: 2018/12/07]
9. Ferrante di Ruffano L, Dinnes J, Chuchu N, et al. Exfoliative cytology for diagnosing basal cell carcinoma and other skin cancers in adults. *Cochrane Database Syst Rev* 2018;12(12):CD013187. doi: 10.1002/14651858.CD013187 [published Online First: 2018/12/07]
10. Dinnes J, Deeks JJ, Saleh D, et al. Reflectance confocal microscopy for diagnosing cutaneous melanoma in adults. *Cochrane Database Syst Rev* 2018;12:CD013190. doi: 10.1002/14651858.CD013190 [published Online First: 2018/12/07]
11. Dinnes J, Deeks JJ, Grainge MJ, et al. Visual inspection for diagnosing cutaneous melanoma in adults. *Cochrane Database Syst Rev* 2018;12:CD013194. doi: 10.1002/14651858.CD013194 [published Online First: 2018/12/07]
12. Dinnes J, Deeks JJ, Chuchu N, et al. Reflectance confocal microscopy for diagnosing keratinocyte skin cancers in adults. *Cochrane Database Syst Rev* 2018;12(12):CD013191. doi: 10.1002/14651858.CD013191 [published Online First: 2018/12/07]
13. Dinnes J, Deeks JJ, Chuchu N, et al. Visual inspection and dermoscopy, alone or in combination, for diagnosing keratinocyte skin cancers in adults. *Cochrane Database Syst Rev* 2018;12(12):CD011901. doi: 10.1002/14651858.CD011901.pub2 [published Online First: 2018/12/07]
14. Dinnes J, Deeks JJ, Chuchu N, et al. Dermoscopy, with and without visual inspection, for diagnosing melanoma in adults. *Cochrane Database Syst Rev* 2018;12(12):CD011902. doi: 10.1002/14651858.CD011902.pub2 [published Online First: 2018/12/07]
15. Dinnes J, Bamber J, Chuchu N, et al. High-frequency ultrasound for diagnosing skin cancer in adults. *Cochrane Database Syst Rev* 2018;12(12):CD013188. doi: 10.1002/14651858.CD013188 [published Online First: 2018/12/07]
16. Dinnes J, Deeks JJ, Grainge MJ, et al. Visual inspection for diagnosing cutaneous melanoma in adults *Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews* 2018;12:CD013194. doi: 10.1002/14651858.CD013194
17. Chuchu N, Takwoingi Y, Dinnes J, et al. Smartphone applications for triaging adults with skin lesions that are suspicious for melanoma. *Cochrane Database Syst Rev* 2018;12(12):CD013192. doi: 10.1002/14651858.CD013192 [published Online First: 2018/12/07]
18. Chuchu N, Dinnes J, Takwoingi Y, et al. The use of teledermatology for diagnosing skin cancer in adults. *Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews* 2018;12:CD013193. doi: 10.1002/14651858.CD013193

4. Acknowledge that you are aware of the commitment required to participate YES

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