

## **BMJ Group Declaration of Interests Form**

I declare that I have read and understood the BMJ Group policy on declarations of interests.

I have the following interests to declare, and would note that if a particular potential conflict of interest arises in the course of Ethics Committee activity, I will disclose this and recuse myself as appropriate:

### **Personal financial interests**

Since January 2014, I have been Editor-in-Chief of *Health Care Analysis*, a journal published by Springer, and I receive a biannual stipend for this role.

I have published books with Cambridge University Press, Routledge, Manchester University Press, and Bloomsbury, for which I receive royalties (I have also published books with Cambridge University Press and Hart, whose royalties go directly to charity).

In 2016, I gave a training session on public health ethics, through the UK's Faculty of Public Health in collaboration with Public Health England, for which I received a consultancy fee.

I am an Honorary Member of the UK's Faculty of Public Health, for which there has been no fee since 2017.

I am an academic lawyer, and frequently attend and participate in conferences, symposia, seminars, etc., for which travel and accommodation expenses are paid. This confers no financial advantage to me, but it is listed by the BMJ Group policy as relevant under this heading.

### **Organisational financial interests**

In the past 10 years, I have held a grant or been a co-applicant on projects funded by: the Alzheimer's Society, the British Academy, the Canadian Institutes of Health Research, the Economic and Social Research Council, the Society of Legal Scholars, Southern Health NHS Trust, and the Wellcome Trust.

Beyond such grant funding, I have been involved in projects for which my institution has received funding from Public Health England and Public Health Wessex.

### **Non-financial interests**

I am a member of the Faculty of Public Health's Ethics Committee (2017-present), and was a member of the Clinical Ethics Committee at Southampton General Hospital (2012-2016).

I am on the editorial boards of *Public Health Ethics* (2015-present, publisher Oxford University Press), the *Journal of Bioethical Inquiry* (2009-present, publisher Springer), and previously served as Book Review Editor of the *European Journal of Health Law* (2010-2014, publisher Brill) and as an editorial board member of the *Cambridge Quarterly of Healthcare Ethics* (2011-2015, publisher Cambridge University Press).

I have provided, with no fee, advice to the British Heart Foundation and European Society of Cardiology in their development of professional guidance, and have in a personal capacity submitted responses to public consultations on a range of topics related to my areas of expertise.

I regularly serve as a peer reviewer for publications and grant applications.

I have personal relationships with people who work in areas that are relevant to the content of products and services delivered by the BMJ Group, and, as with other matters listed in this form, will disclose any relevant conflict of interest in this regard should it arise in relation to the Ethics Committee's activity.

### **Interests of related parties**

Should any such interests arise in relation to particular aspects of the Ethics Committee's activity, I will disclose this.

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