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1.0 Guidelines for the Management of Thyroid Cancer

1.1 Statement

The West Yorkshire Cancer Thyroid Group has endorsed and adopts the British Thyroid Association Guidelines for the Management of Thyroid Cancer, third edition. London: Royal College of Physicians; 2014 and the American Thyroid Association guidelines.

A full version of the guidelines can be found at

<http://www.british-thyroid-association.org/>

The British Thyroid Association Guidelines for the Management of Thyroid Cancer, third edition. London: Royal College of Physicians; 2014 and the American Thyroid Association guidelines have been summarised and adapted for local use in two documents entitled:

- West Yorkshire & Harrogate Cancer Alliance Pathway for Post-Surgical Treatment of Differentiated Thyroid Cancer and
- West Yorkshire & Harrogate Cancer Alliance Pathway for Medullary Thyroid Cancer.