## Appendix 1. Included STOPP criteria

#### **Cardiovascular System**

Digoxin at a dose of >125mcg/day

Thiazide with gout

Non-cardioselective beta-blocker with chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD)

Beta-blocker with verapamil

Aspirin & warfarin without histamine-2 receptror antagonist/proton pump inhibitor (PPI)

Dipyridamole as monotherapy for cardiovascular prevention

Aspirin at a dose of >150mg/day

#### **Central Nervous System**

Tricyclic antidepressant with dementia

Tricyclic antidepressant with glaucoma

Tricyclic antidepressant with opiate/calcium channel blocker

Long-term (>4 weeks) benzodiazepines

Long-term (>4 weeks) neuroleptic

Long term neuroleptic in those with parkinsonism

Phenothiazines in those with epilepsy

Anticholinergic with neuroleptic medications

Prolonged use (>1 week) of first generation antihistamines

## **Gastrointestinal System**

Prochlorperazine/metoclopramide with parkinsonism

PPI at max dosage for >8 weeks

### **Respiratory System**

Theophylline as monotherapy for COPD

Nebulised ipratropium with glaucoma

#### **Musculoskeletal System**

Long-term use (>3 months) of non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drug (NSAID)

Warfarin and NSAID together

## **Urogenital System**

Antimuscarinic drugs with dementia

Antimuscarinic drugs with chronic glaucoma

# **Endocrine System**

Glibenclamide/chlorpropamide for type 2 diabetes mellitus

## **Duplicate drug classes**

**Duplicate antidepressants** 

**Duplicate SSRIs** 

**Duplicate opiates** 

**Duplicate NSAIDs** 

**Duplicate loop diuretics** 

**Duplicate ACE inhibitors**