
Sub-specialty Programme Information

Paediatric Inherited Metabolic Medicine (PIMM) 2026

Programme summary:

The table below contains a list of all the programmes for the above sub-specialty for training programmes starting in August/September 2026, that are being advertised in this round.

SharePoint:

The job descriptions for each post can be found via this [SharePoint link](#). Within the SharePoint site, you will find the following a folder for each sub-specialty recruiting for 2026, within which there will be:

- Regional Folder(s): for each Lead Deanery that is offering posts in that sub-specialty, containing;
- Regional sub-folder(s): for each programme using the Programme Title, containing;
- JD(s): job descriptions for each hospital/centre in the programme, as PDF files (N.B. The file titles contain an internally generated abbreviation code and the name of the location in which that job. You will not need to remember the abbreviation code, when preferencing in the Oriel system).

Using the Programme document:

The following terms are used in the programme list below – they may also be used in the SharePoint site and/or Oriel system, as described:

Lead Deanery = the main region submitting the programme; also the title of the regional folders in SharePoint

Programme Title = corresponds to the regional sub-folder in SharePoint; this will also be the offer code in Oriel

Paediatric training is capability based so the stated duration of posts is indicative. Applicants may therefore progress through sub-specialty programmes at a rate quicker than this indicative time. Please refer to the [applicant guide](#) and [RCPCH curriculum](#) for further information.

Application Process

Applications for Sub-specialty recruitment 2026 open from 12 noon Wednesday 22 October 2025 and close at 12 noon Wednesday 12 November 2025.

Contact Details:

For specific sub-specialty information, please contact:

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CSAC webpage: <https://www.rcpch.ac.uk/membership/committees/paediatric-inherited-metabolic-medicine-csac>

For general application enquiries, please contact: subspecialty@rcpch.ac.uk

Maximum number of sub-specialty appointments that may be made in 2026 for Paediatric Inherited Metabolic Medicine (PIMM)	2
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Lead Deanery	Programme Title (Abbreviation code)	Hospital(s)/Centre(s)	Places Available	Additional Information
London	London - GOSH (2025IMMGOSH)	Great Ormond Street Hospital (18 months) The Evelina, London (18 months)	1	This is a 36m indicative training programme across two centres. The aim is to provide 18m at GOSH and 18m at Evelina. This may be adjusted to account for any previous experience, or to accommodate less than full time working.
North West	North West Manchester - Manchester (2025IMMManc)	Royal Manchester Children's Hospital (36 months)	1	This post is for 24-36 months depending on prior experience. It covers the RCPCH curriculum for Paediatric Metabolic Medicine, based on the syllabus developed by the Society for the Study of Inborn Errors of metabolism (SSIEM). Experience will be obtained in diagnosing and managing all paediatric inborn errors of metabolism, including aminoacidopathies, organic acidurias, urea cycle defects, fatty acid oxidation disorders, glycogen storage diseases and other carbohydrate disorders, congenital defects of glycosylation, hyperlipidaemias, mitochondrial, peroxisomal and lysosomal storage disorders. The trainee will work at the Royal Manchester Children's Hospital and St Mary's Hospital (which are in the same building) but will also have the opportunity to see how the outreach services are run in Bradford Teaching Hospitals NHS FT and Alder Hey Children's Hospital Trust.

For more information on the recruitment process and to access the guidance please visit:

<https://www.rcpch.ac.uk/education-careers/apply-paediatrics/sub-specialties>