
Sub-specialty Programme Information

Paediatric Neurodisability 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:

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

Maximum number of sub-specialty appointments that may be made in 2026 for Paediatric Neurodisability

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Lead Deanery	Programme Title (Abbreviation code)	Hospital(s)/Centre(s)	Places Available	Additional Information
Kent, Surrey and Sussex	KSS - East Sussex & London (2025NDIEastLond)	East Sussex Hospitals NHS Trust Community Child Health (6 months) East Sussex Hospitals NHS Trust Paediatric Neurodisability (12 months) St George's Hospital, London Paediatric Neurology (6 months) Chailey Clinical Services, East Sussex Paediatric Neurodisability (12 months)	1	This is a new subspecialty rotation in paediatric neurodisability using established training posts. The initial post will be in community paediatrics. There will then be a move to a neurodisability post within the same hospital trust. Experience in CAMHS will take place during this neurodisability post. The paediatric neurology post at St George's Hospital provides allows experience in paediatric neurology outpatient clinics in addition to care of inpatients. The final placement at Chailey Heritage Clinical Services provides experience in this unique setting. The post at Chailey does not have any associated acute paediatric out-of-hours post as it is geographically distant from the local acute paediatric hospital. However, it is approved as a training post.
London	London (2025NDILond)	Chelsea & Westminster Hospital Paediatric Neurodisability (12 months) Great Ormond Street Hospital (GOSH) or Evelina London Children's Hospital	1	This is a 36 months WTE indicative training programme. This post will start at Chelsea & Westminster and rotate to Great Ormond Street and/or Evelina. Duration of time at each centre will be adjusted in line with training needs and WTE requirements.

South West	South West Severn - Sirona & Bristol (2025NDISiroBris)	Sirona Health and Care Paediatric Neurodisability (24 months) Bristol Royal Children's Hospital Paediatric Neurology (6 months) Bristol Royal Children's Hospital Paediatric Neurodisability (6 months)	1	This post is based in the Community Child Health Partnership, which provides all community services for children across Bristol, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire (BNSSG). The total duration of training offered is up to three years whole time equivalent. Neurodisability paediatric services in BNSSG are currently hosted by Sirona care and health CIC. Services operate out of 5 multi-disciplinary hubs. These are currently in Kingswood (South Glos), Eastgate house (East-central Bristol), Osprey court, Whitchurch (South Bristol), Southmead House (North Bristol) and Weston Super Mare (North somerset). Higher level Resident doctors rotate around two of these hubs aiming to spend a year in each that they are placed, in order to gain experience of working with different teams and also with different populations. Resident doctors will also spend 6 months in the neurology department at Bristol Children's Hospital, and a further 6 months at Bristol Children's Hospital tailored to the trainee's interests (spasticity, neurorehabilitation, visual impairment, palliative care etc). The posts will provide a comprehensive training in neurodisability paediatrics, ensuring that all competencies identified in the Neurodisability curriculum are met.
Yorkshire and the Humber	Yorkshire & Humber - Sheffield (2025NDIShef)	Sheffield Children's Hospital (Ryegate Childrens Centre) Paediatric Neurodisability (12 months) Sheffield Children's Hospital (Ryegate Childrens Centre) Paediatric Neurology (12 months) Sheffield Children's Hospital (Ryegate Childrens Centre) Paediatric Neurodisability (12 months)	1	We welcome the opportunity to complete Paediatric Subspecialty training in Neurodisability at Sheffield Children's Hospital. The Paediatric Neurodisability Service is based at the Ryegate Children's Centre which is part of Sheffield Children's NHS Foundation Trust, one of only four standalone Children's Trusts in England. This 3 year program comprises of the first 12 months working in Neurodisability, second 12 months in Paediatric Neurology and the last 12 months back in Neurodisability. In the later 12 months 3 months of time will be dedicated to working in CAMHS.

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>

