
Sub-specialty Programme Information

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

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Lead Deanery	Programme Title (Abbreviation code)	Hospital(s)/Centre(s)	Places Available	Additional Information
East Midlands	East Midlands North - Nottingham & Sheffield (2025NEUNottShef)	Queens Medical Centre, Nottingham Paediatric Neurology (24 months) Sheffield Children's Hospital Paediatric Neurology (18 months)	1	This training programme for paediatric neurology is planned to be a 3.5 year post between the Nottingham Children's Hospital and the Ryegate Children's Centre/Sheffield Children's Hospital. The post includes dedicated time training in paediatric neurodisability, adult neurology and child and adolescent mental health units. The trainee will be based in the Nottingham Children's Hospital for the first two years, participating in paediatric neurology and neurodisability outpatient clinics and gaining competencies in adult neurology; with the remainder of the training post being at Sheffield Children's Hospital, including inpatient and outpatient paediatric neurology, gaining child and adolescent mental health competencies and developing any special interests within paediatric neurology, if applicable.
London	London - St George's & Evelina (2025NEUStGEve)	St George's Hospital Paediatric Neurology (12 months) Evelina London Children's Hospital Paediatric Neurology (30 months)	1	This is a 42m WTE indicative training programme that will start at St George's and is expected to rotate to Evelina. The programme covers all parts of the paediatric neurology subspecialty curriculum, including time in adult neurology. Royal London and GOSH posts have been included here for completeness; in case there is a need to switch to the North London programme. Precise time in each centre may be dependent on training requirements and LTFT adjustments.
London	London – GOSH (2025NEUGOSH)	Great Ormond Street Hospital Paediatric Neurology (42 months)	1	This is a 42m WTE indicative training programme with one available post at GOSH. The programme covers all parts of the paediatric neurology subspecialty curriculum, including time in adult neurology.

West Midlands	West Midlands - Birmingham (2025NEUBirm)	Birmingham Children's Hospital Paediatric Neurology (36 months) Birmingham Community Healthcare NHS Trust Paediatric Neurodisability (6 months)	2	This is an exciting opportunity to pursue training in paediatric neurology within West Midlands which caters to a large multicultural population and providing tertiary neurology care as well as being a centre for national services such as CESS, IWMD and POMS. The trainees education will be supported by an experienced faculty of supervisors and provide ample opportunity to gain exposure in all aspects of paediatric Neurology and develop research and subspeciality interests.
Yorkshire and the Humber	Yorkshire & Humber - Leeds & Bradford (2025NEULEedBrad)	Leeds General Infirmary Paediatric Neurology (36 months) Bradford Teaching Hospitals Paediatric Neurodisability (6 months)	1	This is a busy tertiary service for paediatric neurology where the grid trainee would gain competency in all areas of the Paediatric Neurology Speciality Curriculum. The rotation includes: - Acute neurology - Neuromuscular, complex motor disorders and neurorehabilitation - There will also be an opportunity to gain experience in adult neurology to gain experience of transition and those disorders primarily presenting in adolescence/young adults Throughout training there is an active education program with weekly ward based and registrar teaching, weekly neuroradiology MDT, monthly EEG, neurogenetics, video telemetry and surgery MDTs.
Yorkshire and the Humber	Yorkshire & Humber - Sheffield (2025NEUShef)	Sheffield Children's Hospital Paediatric Neurology (42 months)	1	An opportunity to complete Paediatric subspeciality training in Paediatric Neurology at Sheffield Children's Hospital. The majority of your training time is spent in Paediatric Neurology, but you will also have a 6-month placement in Paediatric Neurodisability, 3–6-month placement in Adult Neurology and approx. 3 months equivalent training time will be allocated to obtain competencies in child and adolescent mental health. Training time will be split across Ryegate Children's Hospital and the main site of Sheffield Children's Hospital.

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>