

## Sub-specialty Programme Information

### Paediatric Oncology 2024

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Please find below programme information for the above sub-specialty for training programmes starting in August/September 2024.

This document contains a list of all submitted programmes of training. The job descriptions for each post can be found via this [SharePoint link](#).

Each sub-specialty programme covers the [RCPCH curriculum](#) as specified on the RCPCH website.

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

*N.B. Programme submissions can be withdrawn or amended at any point up until an offer of employment has been made to an applicant.*

#### Application Process

Applications for Sub-specialty recruitment 2024 open from 12 noon Wednesday 25 October 2023 and close at 12 noon Wednesday 15 November 2023.

For more information on the recruitment process and to access the guidance please visit: <https://www.rcpch.ac.uk/resources/paediatric-sub-specialty-training-application-guidance>

#### Contact Details

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

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Maximum number of sub-specialty appointments that may be made in 2024 for Paediatric Oncology	<b>5</b>
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East of England	Oncology East of England - Cambridge	Addenbrookes Hospital, Cambridge (18 months - Oncology) & (6 months - Bone Marrow Transplant)	1	This is a 2-year rotation at Addenbrooke's Hospital, Cambridge, and includes BMT placement at Cambridge.  The order of rotation may vary.
London	Oncology London - Camden	Great Ormond Street Hospital (12 months)  University College Hospital (12 months)	2	Rotations will start at either Great Ormond Street Hospital (GOSH) or University College Hospital for 12 months (WTE) and then rotate to another training centre, including Royal Marsden hospital (depending on availability and training requirements). All trainees must rotate to a BMT centre (GOSH or Royal Marsden).  Programmes usually 24 months in duration but if trainees are appointed at ST5/6, this will be for 36 months with the possibility of rotating to a third grid training centre.  Job descriptions for all units included.

Thames Valley	Oncology Thames Valley - Oxford	Oxford Children's Hospital (18 months - Oncology)  & one of...  London, Birmingham or Bristol (6 months - Bone Marrow Transplant/Oncology)	1	Oxford for 18 months with 6 months in one of GOSH, London or Birmingham or Bristol for Bone Marrow Transplant (BMT).  The choice of which centre for BMT will be down to the trainee and will therefore be decided once in post in Oxford.
Wales & South West Severn	Oncology Wales & South West Severn - Cardiff & Bristol	Noah's Ark Children's Hospital for Wales, Cardiff (18 months)  Bristol Royal Hospital for Children (6 months - Bone Marrow Transplant)	1	This is a 2-year GRID programme leading to a CCT in Paediatric Oncology. The programme is designed to enable you to complete the specialty curriculum.  The majority of the training will be in the paediatric oncology/haematology department within the Children's Hospital for Wales (18 months) where there are excellent links with all the subspecialty teams and the Teenage Cancer unit. There will be a 6-month placement in Bristol Royal Hospital for Children for training in bone marrow transplant. The timing of this will be tailored to fit training needs of all trainees in the two sites. You will remain a Welsh trainee throughout, and HEIW will be responsible for your training and ARCP.  Wales is a great place to live and train. With easy access to the sea and mountains, plus a proud cultural heritage it offers a great deal for a small country and an excellent quality of life.

*NB. There will be a SharePoint folder for each sub-specialty and region. The post title also refers to the offer code in Oriel.*