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June 2025

BIASP Exec Message



Prof David Werring
BIASP President

Welcome to the summer 2025 BIASP Bulletin, which is, as always, packed with important and useful information.

As I write the UK is experiencing a heatwave, which, while offering a welcome chance to relax and enjoy the sunshine, can have serious implications for health—particularly for those vulnerable to stroke—as well as placing an increasing strain on healthcare resources. Recognising these challenges, BIASP is a member of the **UK Health Alliance on Climate Change**: please look at their recent report on Building a Climate-Resilient Health System in the UK (link [here](#)) which makes important recommendations to secure climate resilience in the NHS.

Our sustainability committee, led by Beth Davies, plans to highlight activities and how members can get involved at the **UK Stroke Forum 25-27th November 2025** in Aberdeen (link [here](#)). Our scientific committee, led by Alastair Webb, have produced [high-quality sessions](#) tackling the important advances in stroke science during 2025 that BIASP members should know about. Please promote UKSF and try to attend with your teams!

Despite the heat, the BIASP Executive team have been busy working towards the goals of our 2025-28 strategic plan (link [here](#) if you'd like a reminder), including the workforce crisis in stroke medicine. We recently completed a detailed **BIASP workforce survey** throughout the NHS in England, which has shown striking inequities in provision and major gaps in consultant posts; we are finalising a report with plans for how BIASP and our members can try to address these major challenges. There are no easy answers, but understanding the nature and scale of challenge is an important first step.

Part of the solution to the workforce challenge will be encouraging doctors into stroke right from medical school. We had an enthusiastic response to our call for **BIASP medical student summer bursary** applications (in partnership with the Neurology and Neurosurgery Interest Group, [NANSIG](#)) and made four awards this year. We are excited to see the results of the student's projects and hope they will emerge inspired to pursue careers in our fantastic specialty of stroke medicine.

The **UK Stroke Research Workshop 3rd-4th September 2025**, a highlight in the annual BIASP calendar, provides a unique forum for early career researchers to share their work

and learn about cutting-edge science. This meeting is a real bargain and has been approved for **10 CPD credits**: please do promote widely (link [here](#)) and encourage your teams to attend!

Finally, I was privileged to speak on BIASP's behalf at a wonderful and joyful **symposium in honour of Professor Pippa Tyrrell** in Manchester, celebrating her incredible achievements in stroke service development and research (summary [here](#) and presentation [here](#)). Pippa encouraged and mentored not only physicians but also nurses, therapists, neuropsychologists and other stroke healthcare professionals. In recognition of her extraordinary achievements and legacy, BIASP will be announcing **the Pippa Tyrrell lecture** for an early career researcher at the UK Stroke Research Workshop.

Warm wishes to you all for an enjoyable summer which I hope will allow some time to relax, recharge and reflect.

BIASP Clinical Standards Subcommittee Update

The report this month from Dr Kwan is on the following:

- Transition of leadership for the Clinical Standards Committee
- Stroke Action Plan Europe (SAP-E) representation
- Thrombectomy

[CLICK HERE](#) to read the report from Dr Kwan in full



Dr Joseph Kwan
BIASP Clinical Standards Chair

BIASP Social Media

We have taken the decision to leave X (Twitter) on the 1st of July 2025.

BIASP have a brand-new account over on Bluesky! We'd love for you to join us there & keep up to date with the latest BIASP & stroke-related news!

The BIASP Bluesky handle is @biasp.org

Here is the link to the profile: <https://bsky.app/profile/biasp.org>

BIASP Stroke Training Excellence Programme (STEP) Fellowship

BIASP recognises that there is a crisis in stroke physician recruitment. There is an urgent need to attract a new generation of trainees into stroke by providing accurate information to promote it as an attractive, interesting, varied and fulfilling career choice.

In the past, the Take Up Stroke Fellow (TUSF) programme has engaged our Associate (non-Consultant) Members in pursuing this objective. So far, 2 cohorts of TUS Fellows have completed their tenure, and we wish to take this opportunity to refresh the format and recruit a new group of Fellows for 2025-27.

The scheme is now renamed as 'The BIASP STEP Fellowship 2025'. Successful applicants will be expected to act as both local and national ambassadors for stroke across the 5 nations to promote a career and interest in stroke, particularly through engagement with other junior and middle grade colleagues as well as local medical schools. This will also serve as a platform to further their own careers in Stroke in a recognised leadership role.

[CLICK HERE](#) for more information

[CLICK HERE](#) for the application form

**Closing date to submit your application has been extended to
Wednesday 30 July 2025**

BIASP Writing Group 2025

BIASP Writing Group Application Call 2025 - Opens 31 March 2025

We are very pleased to announce, the British and Irish Association of Stroke Physicians (BIASP) call to doctors, nurses and allied health professionals for writing groups to support NIHR RDN Stroke portfolio development across the stroke pathway.

Up to £1,000 per writing group is available.

The closing date for this competition is **Friday 31 October 2025** at **0900**.

[CLICK HERE](#) for information

[CLICK HERE](#) for the application form

[CLICK HERE](#) for guidance

BIASP Careers Page - FAQ's



Considering a career in stroke?

BIASP have produced a response to FAQs to guide you in your career choice.

[CLICK HERE](#) for information on:

Why should I consider career in stroke?

How do I become a stroke physician?

Who can apply for stroke sub-specialty training?

What does a typical training pathway look like for a stroke physician?

Careers for stroke physicians

Specialty and specialist doctors (SAS) career information

In October BIASP and NANSIG collaborated to run a half day webinar on

Stroke Careers: Shaping the Stroke Clinicians of the Future

[CLICK HERE](#) to view

UK & ROI Acute Stroke Simulation Course



The UK and ROI Acute Stroke Simulation course continues to go from strength to strength. In 2024 we trained over 100 healthcare professionals using simulation. The feedback from both candidates and faculty members continues to be extremely positive.

Candidates have stated: *"I think this kind of multidisciplinary course with varying levels of seniority attending is exactly what's needed to help develop stroke emergency/oncall skills."*

Faculty have stated: *"Comprehensive teaching for decision making in the acute setting. Lots of interactive learning and reflections Supportive environment for learning."*

There are a further 11 courses planned for 2025, including the first courses in Wales and Ireland. We are continuing to train new course centres across all five nations.

If you would like to be involved, please contact ukstrokesimulation@gmail.com

The course is multidisciplinary and open to anyone involved in acute stroke care. [CLICK HERE](#) for all course information and registrations

Upcoming 2025 Dates and Venues are available to register on the BIASP website, these are in the Course Dates and Locations section
[CLICK HERE](#)

Upcoming locations with dates to follow:
Northampton, Ipswich, Liverpool, Wirral

We have developed a package that would include all the relevant materials including access to the scenarios and stroke simulation intranet.

Additional Sites:

We have identified other areas across the UK and ROI to deliver the course in 2025. If you would be interested in hosting a course please get in touch by emailing ukstrokesimulation@gmail.com

Regional Leads:

We are seeking to identify individuals interested in coordinating the development and delivery of the course in their region. If you would be interested in becoming a regional lead please email ukstrokesimulation@gmail.com



BIASP Medical Student Essay Prize 2025



The Training & Education Chair and subcommittee reviewed the **101** entries received this year and are delighted to announce the **Highly Commended** entries. Click on each of the names to read their essay

[Glenn Calvert](#)

[Tamanna Bostani](#)

Is your member profile up to date?



You can now access the new and enhanced BIASP membership system. This allows us to know and understand our membership better to tailor the benefits we can deliver.

Please check and update your details, ticking all options which are relevant to you, particularly any other organisations you may also be a member of.

With regards to Equality, Diversity and Inclusion please do complete these fields within your profile.

This will only take a few minutes.

[CLICK HERE](#) to login to the members area.

Member Benefits & Discounts

Benefit for Associate members moving to Full membership

We value your support as a member of BIASP and would like to offer **20% discount** for the first year of Full membership.

Benefit for Current and New Members - LTFT 20% Discount

This benefit is for members who work less than full time, if you work 8 PAs or less, when membership is due for renewal or when a new member joins.



Current members should send in their job plan to admin@biasp.org at least one month before their renewal date.

The 20% discount will be applied upon review of the job plan.

Other Association discounts available for BIASP Members

[CLICK HERE](#) for more information



ASSOCIATION
OF BRITISH
NEUROLOGISTS

NEW Reciprocal 20% Membership

Discount from 1 Feb 2025

Use code **BIASP20**

[CLICK HERE](#) for information, fees and to
join

Types of membership applicable to BIASP members are:

- Affiliate members (if a consultant or GP)
- Junior member (if a junior hospital doctor)
- Allied Health Professional membership (if a nurse, physician associate or other allied health professional)
- Ordinary and Associate membership are for Neurologists only

BIASP Mentorship Programme



**We are now going live with the new BIASP mentorship scheme.
CPD approved, 3 points**

Many of you have volunteered to become mentors, or have requested to become a Mentee.

As part of this scheme we have developed online training materials which may be of interest also to those of you who have not yet volunteered to Mentor, and are free of charge for all members to complete. CPD points on completion of mentor training.

If you already have experience of being a mentor and/or have completed an equivalent course, and wish to become a BIASP mentor, then please email admin@biasp.org to register your interest

[CLICK HERE](#) for the flyer
[CLICK HERE](#) to access the training materials

Are you interested in being mentored?

We are also looking for mentees to participate in this programme. This opportunity is open to those enrolled in early specialty training, including IMT3, in a stroke parent specialty.

Register your interest by completing the form via the link [HERE](#)

Research Updates & Opportunities



If you have any research opportunities you would like us to promote please email admin@biasp.org

Updates

Research

The End of Endarterectomy?

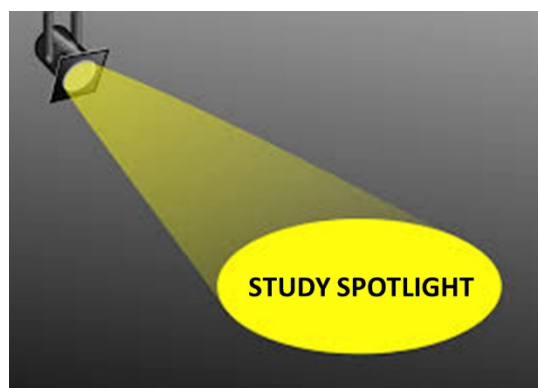
The interim results of the Second European Carotid Surgery Trial (ECST-2)

To read the article [CLICK HERE](#)

Are you interested in becoming a Principal Investigator?

Successful delivery of studies relies upon a 'team science' approach by clinical, research and academic partners, but the role of the NHS 'principal' or 'local' investigator is particularly important.

For more information [CLICK HERE](#)



Surveys

Barriers and facilitators to ICH platform trial recruitment: a survey of stroke clinicians

[CLICK HERE](#) for the survey

Closing date extended to 1 July

This short 5-minute anonymous survey is an opportunity to inform the development of future platform trials by identifying key challenges and opportunities from the perspective of those involved in stroke research.

Clinicians involved in stroke research in any capacity are eligible to participate. This study has been granted ethical approval by the University of Edinburgh.

If you have any questions or have trouble accessing the survey, please contact:

Anuka Boldbaatar, senior research nurse in NHS Lothian (anuka.boldbaatar@nhs.scot)

Dr. Neshika Samarasekera, Consultant Neurologist in NHS Lothian and Stroke

Association Senior Clinical Lecturer at the University of Edinburgh

(neshika.samarasekera@ed.ac.uk).

Survey on the use of AI for stroke imaging across the UK and Ireland

Andreas Karamitros and Dr Grant Mair are currently conducting a research study on the use of AI in stroke imaging at the University of Edinburgh.

As part of the study, they have developed a short online survey they are hoping to disseminate among professionals with relevant expertise or interest.

The survey examines the use of different AI software used in stroke imaging throughout the country, their hypothesis is that different specialties value different attributes of such software.

The survey takes approximately 10 minutes to complete, and all responses are anonymous.

[CLICK HERE](#) for the survey

Closes 25 July

Timing of direct oral anticoagulation following acute ischaemic stroke with atrial fibrillation

Clinical uncertainty persists about the optimal timing of direct oral anticoagulation (DOAC) initiation after acute ischaemic stroke in patients with atrial fibrillation. Current guidelines do not provide clear or consistent recommendations. This situation presents a frequent dilemma on the stroke unit because of the competing concerns regarding the prevention of early recurrent ischaemic stroke (potentially favouring early DOAC initiation) while reducing the risk of haemorrhagic transformation (potentially favouring delayed DOAC initiation). Many of the initial large randomised controlled trials involving DOACs excluded patients in the first 14 days from stroke onset. Recent trial data, including from the OPTIMAS trial in the UK, have provided new data about the optimal timing of DOAC initiation.

This short survey (*approx. 5 minutes*) aims to understand the current practices and opinions of UK physicians regarding the timing of DOAC initiation after acute ischaemic stroke in patients with atrial fibrillation. We would be very grateful if you could complete these questions about how you currently treat patients in routine clinical practice on the stroke unit. Thank you for your participation!

[CLICK HERE](#) for survey link

Closes 31 July

ID-Stroke: Think Aloud Interviews

The ID-Stroke study is exploring how healthcare professionals make decisions regarding the investigation of stroke aetiology, including what investigations to order, sequencing of these investigations, when to stop looking for a possible cause, and the factors that influence these decisions.

[CLICK HERE](#) for the flyer

The study will close in **October**

To find out more, or to take part in a case-discussion interview, please email Dr Clare Gordon at IDStroke@uclan.ac.uk

RCP Survey on the Future of Medical Training

During the past few years, the RCP has successfully campaigned for a [long-term approach to workforce planning](#), the [expansion of medical school and postgraduate training places](#) and a [review of postgraduate medical training](#). We are now pushing for [urgent action on competition ratios for specialty training](#) and we are putting [resident doctors at the heart of the conversation](#) about the 10-Year Health Plan.

The [RCP next generation campaign](#) is an important part of our response to the difficulties of the past 18 months.

With questions designed [by resident doctors for resident doctors](#), we want to know what people think about applying to medical training, supervision and feedback, the working environment, and the future of medicine as a career.

[CLICK HERE](#) for the Survey

No need to be an RCP member or even working in a physician (medical) specialty to complete the survey

RESEARCH PARTICIPANTS NEEDED UEA

Are you an experienced **Stroke Clinician** or a professionally registered **Stroke Researcher** (HCPC, BPS etc.) who is currently/or has been:

- Reviewing risk or mood as part of your clinical role
- Engaged in clinical work with stroke survivors with aphasia

And/or

- Have a strong understanding/or have published research on the principles of identifying the risks associated with suicidality in stroke survivors with aphasia, i.e. depression, emotionality.

About the Study:
We are interested in gaining consensus regarding the most common, useful and accessible methods of assessing risk of suicide within stroke survivors with aphasia.

You will be asked to:

- Complete 3 rounds of questionnaires via email, this will take approximately 20–30mins to complete each round.
- You will be gifted a £10 (or currency equivalent) **Amazon voucher** upon completion of all rounds.

If you are interested in taking part, please contact Kellsey McCann at:

k.mccann@uea.ac.uk
(or scan QR code)

RESEARCHER: KELSEY MCCANN

SCAN ME

New Research at the University of East Anglia - Suicide Assessment in Aphasia: a Delphi Study (SAADS)

Stroke survivors are at a significantly increased risk of attempting suicide. This risk is predicted to be higher within stroke survivors with aphasia, yet there is no clear guidance on how to detect/assess risk of suicide within this group.

This study is an opt-in Delphi Study.

If you are interested scan the QR code or contact Kellsey McCann at k.mccann@uea.ac.uk

Funding

**The Stroke Association - Research
Funding Opportunities**

[CLICK HERE](#) for more information



**NIHR Local Authority Academic Fellowship Programme and Associated
Opportunities**

New opportunities from NIHR for people working in local authorities, social care setting and 3rd sector. There are a range of funding opportunities from short placement up to PhD and advanced.

[CLICK HERE](#) for information

UKHACC



The UK Health Alliance on Climate Change has published a new report: **Building a Climate-Resilient Health System in the UK**

Climate change is already disrupting health services and threatening lives. From floods and heatwaves to shifting disease patterns, our health system is not ready.

This new report outlines seven key recommendations to help the NHS and health sector prepare for a changing climate, [CLICK HERE](#) to read the report

Neurological Alliance



THE NEUROLOGICAL ALLIANCE

The Neurological Alliance, of which BIASP is a member, has recently done a survey of the needs of people with a range of neurological diagnoses. There were over 200 people with either TIA or stroke who responded. Pain, problems with movement, fatigue, mood problems, sleep, memory, sexual function and vision were all common. These responses are consistent with other studies that have reported the long-term needs of people after stroke, and demonstrates the importance of life after stroke as an area for service development and research.

[CLICK HERE](#) to read the findings of the **My Neuro Survey** for adults and carers (including people caring for children) in England in a policy report

Key ask for you and your community

For people to sign this open letter by clicking on this link [HERE](#) and completing a very short form.

Anyone can sign this letter – please ask your community, networks and contacts to sign, including those internal to your organisation

BIASP are a member of the Neurological alliance, which has been very busy campaigning for patients with neurological problems including stroke.

[CLICK HERE](#) to access the website

The UK Neuro Forum is being established following the #BackThe1in6 campaign, which was supported by 19,000 people and 100 organisations, including BIASP. The forum is proof that when we work together, we can achieve real change.

[CLICK HERE](#) to learn more about this landmark initiative

Different Strokes



Different Strokes have new services and events coming up in the next few weeks

NEW service - Carers support virtual meetings, [CLICK HERE](#) for information and dates

Recently redesigned and developed children's resources FREE to order for survivors and healthcare professionals, [CLICK HERE](#)

Different Strokes Charity for younger stroke survivors have a series of webinars every fortnight to engage with beneficiaries and health care professionals. Webinars are accessible for all to see, [CLICK HERE](#)

Bursary fund for private physiotherapy and rehabilitation, [CLICK HERE](#)

'Rehab Reset'

Exercise sessions are now all online; here are over 100 stroke-specific exercise videos designed to help stroke survivors at every stage of recovery. They are suitable for all ability levels, from seated exercises to advanced strength training, and have been developed by stroke professionals and survivors.

[CLICK HERE](#) for more information

**The Stroke Association -
New Stroke Support Pack for hospitals**



New Stroke Support Pack for hospitals

Created with stroke survivors and health professionals, the new pack consists of a 'hello' folder, handy wallet sized card, and two health information guides - one for people who have had a stroke, and one for the people supporting them. The Stroke Association is encouraging those working in hospitals in the UK to [order the packs](#) (free of charge) and give them out before discharge.

[CLICK HERE](#) for the full order link

Stroke Association, Saving Brains Campaign



Thrombectomy saves brains, saves money and changes lives. It's one of the most effective medical interventions ever discovered. But most people who need this treatment don't get it. It's subject to availability.

Find out about the Stroke Association's campaign across the UK nations by clicking on the report for each nation:

Saving Brains in [England](#)

Saving Brains in [Northern Ireland](#)

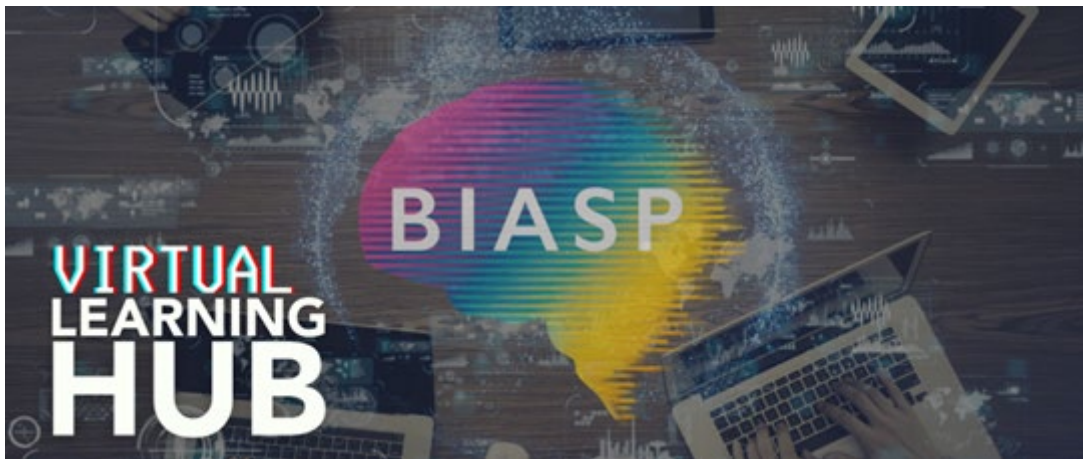
Saving Brains in [Scotland](#)

Saving Brains in [Wales](#), [Welsh version](#)

Thrombectomy in Republic of Ireland:

[Republic of Ireland](#)--the National Stroke Strategy 2020-2025 Endovascular thrombectomy p.27

Virtual Learning Hub



BIASP are hosting monthly 1-hour webinar sessions with the opportunity to ask the presenters questions at the end of each session. The live webinars will also be uploaded to the Virtual Learning Hub in the BIASP Members-only section for you to watch any time afterwards.

Each webinar is **free** to attend, you must register in advance for each live session. A certificate will be issued for those who attend more than 75% of the session, and complete a short evaluation that appears on the screen directly after the session.

Click [HERE](#) to view past webinars on the BIASP Virtual Learning Hub.

BIASP Webinar 41

Topic: MRI for the stroke physician - the essentials, complexities and how to recognise mimics

Date: 24 September 2025

Time: 17:30 - 18:30

Speaker: Dr Satheesh Ramalingam

[CLICK HERE](#) to Register

Dates for your diary, further details will follow:

Upcoming Webinars

There will be a break for summer in July and August

Webinar 42: 05/11/2025, Stroke in Pregnancy, Catherine Nelson-Percy

Education

UCL Queen Square Institute of Neurology Clinical Neuroscience: Stroke MSc

The programme provides a comprehensive education and research training for the next generation of researchers and clinical providers of expert stroke care.

Whatever your anticipated career goals, this MSc will provide opportunities to carry out research with global experts in the field of stroke and network with world-renowned clinicians

[CLICK HERE](#) for information

Deadline for applications: 29th August 2025

**Master of Research in Stroke
Cardiff Metropolitan University
Start date 29 September 2025**

Stroke Hub Wales, a collaborative hub for stroke research, innovation, and education based out of Cardiff Metropolitan University.

Our course was designed to build a candidate's stroke knowledge and combine it with research methods and skills to give a better understanding of how to undertake stroke-based research within their current role.

[CLICK HERE](#) for information
[CLICK HERE](#) for the MRes flyer
[CLICK HERE](#) for short course flyer

[CLICK HERE](#) to visit Stroke Hub Wales

Stroke MSc Programme at UCL

We are excited to be looking for applicants from all disciplines (nursing, medicine, therapies) for the **2025 Stroke Medicine MSc programme at UCL**.

There is a fees only bursary of £5000 available which will be competitively allocated. The course can be taken full or part time (over two years).

Applications are now open for 2025.

[CLICK HERE](#) to access this link

Neurotorium, Neurobehavioral Consequences of Stroke (NBCS) is now online

Five educational slide decks have been published (the 6th deck, stroke syndromes, is being developed at the moment), illustrations, an article on post-stroke language impairments, and the educational expert videos are available, [CLICK HERE](#)

These educational materials are free

Events

Upcoming events will be listed here in future, if you have an event you wish to promote please contact admin@biasp.org

A promotional banner for the 20th UK Stroke Forum. The left side is a dark teal circle containing white and yellow text. The right side is a photograph of a large audience seated in a conference hall. The text in the teal circle reads: '20th UK Stroke Forum' in large white letters, '25 – 27 November 2025' and 'P&J Live, Aberdeen' in yellow, 'Join us at the the UK's largest multidisciplinary conference for stroke care professionals' in white, '#UKSF25' in white on a pink background, and 'STROKE FORUM' in white with a logo. Logos for 'Stroke Association' and 'BIASP' are at the bottom. A gold circular badge on the right says 'UKSF 20th ANNIVERSARY'.

UKSF 2025 marks the 20th Anniversary of the UK Stroke Forum

Registration is OPEN

The countdown is on for UKSF 2025 in Aberdeen

Date(s): 25-27 November 2025

Location: P&J Live, Aberdeen

[CLICK HERE](#) to register, see the programme and for more information

BIASP Member discount code is located in Members Area

18 CPD Points

Abstracts Closed



Save the Date

NIHR UK Stroke Research Workshop

Registration is OPEN

10 CPD points

Date(s): 3 - 4 September 2025

Location: David Shaw Lecture Theatre, The Medical School, Newcastle University

[CLICK HERE](#) for the flyer

[CLICK HERE](#) for information and to register

1st German Stroke Congress (DSG2025)

Date(s): 4 - 6 September 2025

Location: Henry Ford Building in Berlin

Topics of the congress:

Tenecteplase: First clinical experience in Germany

Prehospital stroke management: organisation and implementation

Surgery for intracerebral haemorrhage: Have you already arrived in the routine?

Endovascular Stroke Care: Possibilities and Limitations

Stroke Networks: Organization of Stroke Care

Telemedicine for stroke: Where is the journey heading?

[CLICK HERE](#) for information and registration

Abstract submission closed

Early bird rate ends **30/06/2025**

The 23rd Nordic Congress on Cerebrovascular Diseases

Date(s): 15-17 September 2025.

Location: Tartu, Estonia

Colleagues in the Nordic countries have asked us to share information about the XXIII Nordic Stroke Society Congress taking place in Tartu, Estonia.

The programme covers very practical issues in the management of both ischaemic stroke and intracerebral haemorrhage.

Abstract submission closed

[CLICK HERE](#) for information and registration

Early Bird Registration until **1 July**

Registration closes **15 August**



The WSC 2025 marks a significant milestone as it will be **the first time in over 15 years that the congress returns to Europe**

Date(s): 22 - 24 October 2025

Location: Barcelona International Convention Centre

[WSC 2025](#) will bring together global leaders in stroke care, including researchers, clinicians, policymakers, and individuals with lived experience, to exchange the latest

advances in stroke prevention, treatment, and rehabilitation. With a strong focus on global collaboration, equity, and knowledge sharing, the congress aims to drive meaningful improvements in stroke outcomes worldwide

[CLICK HERE](#) for information

[CLICK HERE](#) to register

Career Opportunities

BIASP lists NHS jobs on their website free of charge, to list your advert contact admin@biasp.org

Here are the latest adverts for NHS stroke jobs. Click below for further information.

[Senior Clinical Fellow in Stroke Medicine](#), Leeds, closes 7 July

[Consultant \(Stroke\) Physician](#), Lancaster, closes 14 July

[Consultant in Stroke Medicine](#), Lincoln, closes 15 July

[Consultant in Stroke Medicine](#), Blackpool, closes 16 July

[Consultant Physician in Stroke Medicine](#), Newport Isle of Wight, closes 15 July

[Specialist in Stroke Medicine](#), Newport Isle of Wight, closes 18 July

HEE Podcast

New podcast - Health Education England (HEE) releases podcast discussing stroke careers

The HEE Stroke Careers Podcast series takes an in depth look into stroke medicine careers including real life experiences, the career pathway and how we deliver care across the country.

This episode is jointly hosted by Dr Deborah Lowe, National Clinical Director for Stroke Medicine at NHS England and Dr Jon Cooper, Stroke Consultant in Yorkshire and the

Humber and Postgraduate Dean at Health Education England. They discuss their career pathways, the benefits of a career in stroke, and opportunities for the future workforce.

[CLICK HERE](#) to listen to this podcast.

If you would like to learn more about Health Education England's work around stroke you can email: ltcp@hee.nhs.uk or visit the [stroke page on the HEE website](#).

Training Opportunities

To find information on training resources [CLICK HERE](#)

Excellent and **free online stroke brain imaging training resources** at the University of Edinburgh:

- Acute cerebral CT evaluation of Stroke Study (ACCESS)
- BASP CT training lecture
- Acute CTA for thrombectomy in Stroke (ACTATS)

[CLICK HERE](#) to access the training

Free Neurology/Stroke Learning Resource

Neuropodcases is a free, podcast learning resource on clinical neurology and stroke, suitable for students, trainees, consultants and allied health professionals. These have been created by a team of Neurology trainees and consultants.

Podcasts are available to download on Apple/Spotify or via the website <https://www.neuropodcases.co.uk/>
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If you have any suggestions please get in touch with us contact@neuropodcases.co.uk

Online training 'Hyperacute Stroke Treatments Including Thrombolysis & Thrombectomy' - STARS Advancing Module

[CLICK HERE](#) to access this resource for free. A certificate is awarded on successful completion of both the module and the module test.

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