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May 2026

BIASP Exec Message



Dr Louise Shaw
BIASP President

We've had another busy month on behalf of the BIASP membership:

Work in preparation for UKSF 2026 in Liverpool has continued apace with work to pull together the session proposals being at the forefront. BIASP feedback from 2025 has been closely reviewed to ensure we are doing our best to provide an optimal conference experience for our members.

The clinical standards committee have pulled together an excellent new page on the website, where in one place you will find links to all the key UK and European stroke clinical guidelines, as well as Major stroke charity organisations, the 5 Nations policies and strategies, and International guidelines. If you think anything is missing, please let us know. I am very grateful to Jo Kwan and the whole team for developing such a useful resource for us all.

It was a privilege to interview the shortlisted candidate for the BIASP summer bursary prize, alongside Saugata Das, Chair of the T&E committee and Dottie Durkas, Chair of NANSIG. The standard was very high and it was so encouraging to meet some of the current talented medical students who are aiming to pursue careers in stroke medicine. Many congratulations to the 4 successful candidates this time round, and we hope others will reapply next year.

Your executive committee members will be meeting in person in June so we can do some more focussed and in-depth work on a number of key items, including a new workforce report/tool and a proposal to develop stroke podcasts.

If you have an idea, or work you would like to see us take forwards, please do get in touch. Meanwhile I hope you all have some holidays on the horizon to look forward to, let's hope the weather is kind this year

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BIASP Wales Update



Dr Tal Anjum
Executive Lead for Wales

This month Dr Anjum has given an update on the following:

- Thrombectomy
- Pre-hospital Video Triage (PVT)
- Tenecteplase
- Stroke Hub
- Welsh Stroke Conference 2026

[CLICK HERE](#) to read the report

BIASP Sustainability Subcommittee Update

This month Dr Davies has given an update on the following:

- **What we are doing**
- **Commitment 7 – Divest in Fossil Fuels and support the fossil fuel non-proliferation treaty**
- **Watch**
- **Read**
- **Take Action**

[CLICK HERE](#) to read the report



Dr Bethan Davies
Sustainability Subcommittee Chair

Get ready for Clean Air Day – Thursday 18th June 2026.

Share information to educate your teams on the health impacts of air pollution. Consider whether you can reduce air pollution on your own commute, support patients to avoid exposure to air pollution and find out about your trust's green travel plan.

[Take Action for Clean Air Day](#)

BIASP SAS Update



Dr Sohaa Jamil

BIASP Specialty and Associate Specialist
Lead

This month Dr Jamil has given an update on the following:

- Pan London SAS Doctors Conference
- RCP - new SAS priorities in April 2026
- Specialist contract
- Linguistic and Cultural changes

[CLICK HERE](#) to read the report

BIASP Sustainability Subcommittee New Members Wanted

The **BIASP Sustainability Subcommittee** is recruiting new members to help drive our work on **environmental sustainability in stroke care and in BIASP's own activities**.

We welcome applications from **full, associate, affiliate, and medical student members** of BIASP.



You do not need to be a senior clinician or a sustainability expert – enthusiasm and willingness to contribute are most important, and the work is well suited to **students, trainees, and allied health professionals**.

Current priorities include:

- Supporting **sustainable BIASP meetings and events** (e.g. travel guidance, plant-based catering, UKSF and the Trainees' Meeting)
- Updating and implementing BIASP's **sustainability policy** and carbon-footprint work
- Developing **educational and promotional materials** (web content, blogs, short videos/slides) on sustainability and stroke

To apply, please email admin@biasp.org with a brief statement (150 - 200 words) on why you are interested and what you would like to work on.

[CLICK HERE](#) for the application form

If you are not yet a BIASP member, you can **join first**; membership is usually approved within a couple of weeks.

[CLICK HERE](#) to join BIASP

ESOC 2026 - BIASP Stand

The kit was delivered to the venue in Maastricht by two BIASP members.

These couriers were Dr Mathilde Pauls and Dr Eoin O'Brien who managed to fit the kit in the car between (very expensive) bikes!

Thank you both from BIASP.

Prof Mary Joan MacLeod and Dr Anand Dixit, BIASP Honorary Secretaries, were on site to set up the stand.





BIASP Writing Group Award 2026 - OPEN

BIASP Writing Group Application Call 2026 Award is OPEN
Closing date, 09:00 Friday 30 October 2026

We are very pleased to announce the British and Irish Association of Stroke Physicians (BIASP) call to doctors, nurses and allied health professionals to establish writing groups to design studies that for the NIHR RDN Stroke portfolio.

[CLICK HERE](#) for information
[CLICK HERE](#) for the application form

BIASP Medical Student Essay Prize 2026

The Training & Education Chair and subcommittee reviewed the **95** entries received this year.
Here are the **Highly Commended** entries:
[Charlie Richardson](#)
[Martha Griffiths](#)
Click on the each name to read their essay



BIASP Social Media

BIASP are 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 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 2024 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



UK and ROI Acute Stroke Simulation Course – 2025 Update

2025 has been another highly successful year for the UK and ROI Acute Stroke Simulation Course. Over the past year, we delivered 12 courses across England, Wales and Ireland, training 125 healthcare professionals. A particular highlight was the delivery of our first Irish stroke simulation course, held in Waterford in May. We are now working closely with colleagues in both Wales and Ireland to develop a strategy that will support the expansion of further courses in both countries.

Feedback from participants continues to be extremely positive. One recent attendee commented:

"I thought this was wonderful. It has been massively helpful to me and improved my perspective and confidence. This kind of multidisciplinary course, with participants at varying levels of seniority, is exactly what's needed to develop emergency and on-call stroke skills. I was very nervous beforehand as I wasn't sure what to expect, but that wasn't necessary at all. The faculty were incredibly welcoming and skilled at facilitating feedback and discussion — you would think they had been delivering this course for years. Thank you to them all."

Dates for our 2026 courses have now been released, with several already fully booked. We are also hopeful that 2026 will see the delivery of our first Scottish Acute Stroke Simulation Course.

2026 course dates, information and registration links are on the website.

[CLICK HERE](#)

The course is multidisciplinary and open to anyone involved in acute stroke care.

We are also keen to support centres interested in delivering the course locally. If you would like to observe a course or become involved, please contact us at

ukstrokesimulation@gmail.com.

Finally, we are currently seeking regional representatives for the following areas and would welcome expressions of interest:

- East of England
- London
- North West of England
- Northern Ireland
- Scotland



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

In this month's research update, we highlight key advances presented at the European Stroke Organisation Conference (ESOC 2026), held in Maastricht, the Netherlands.

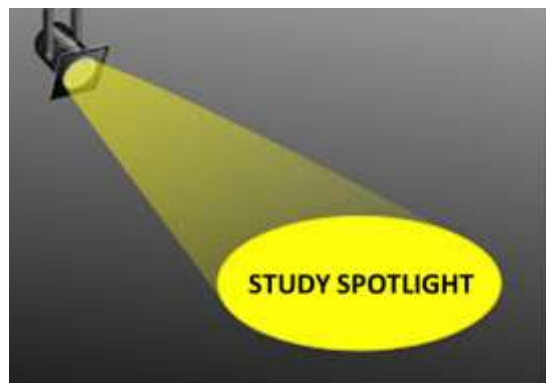
- Expanding the frontiers of thrombectomy
- Expanding insights into stroke risk stratification
- Ethnic and socioeconomic drivers of rising stroke incidence

[CLICK HERE](#) to read the report from Dr Stefania Nannoni

i-CATCHER

International Care Bundle Evaluation in
Cerebral Haemorrhage Research

Intracerebral haemorrhage (ICH) accounts for 10–15% of strokes but causes about half of stroke-related death and disability, with many patients presenting reduced consciousness.



[CLICK HERE](#) to read the report

EASE - Evaluating Antidepressants for Emotionalism after Stroke

EASE is a national clinical trial, evaluating the safety, effectiveness and cost effectiveness of sertraline to treat post stroke emotionalism in the UK NHS.

[CLICK HERE](#) for the flyer
[CLICK HERE](#) for more information

Preventing Another Stroke or Transient Ischaemic Attack (TIA) in Young Survivors Study Recruitment

Are you a health professional or member of a stroke charity or organisation?
Have you worked with or supported young stroke or transient ischaemic attack (TIA) survivors (aged 18-55 years) and/or their families?

If so, we invite you to participate in this interview study.

What Is This Study About?

This study will explore the views and experiences of delivering and promoting secondary stroke prevention to young survivors and their families.

Why Participate?

By sharing your views and experiences, you will provide valuable insights into how to better support the delivery and promotion of secondary prevention to young survivors and their families.

Interested in Participating?

If you would like to participate and/or would like more information [CLICK HERE](#) here or contact j.bennett3953@student.leedsbeckett.ac.uk

Recruitment closes 30th June 2026

NIHR's flagship '[Be Part of Research](#)' campaign

Share your study with thousands of research-ready volunteers

The NIHR Be Part of Research service has over 600,000 research-ready volunteers waiting to take part in research studies. Our free online service matches volunteers to health and care studies taking place across the UK.

The service supports a broad range of research - from lifestyle questionnaires to clinical trials - taking place at local hospitals, GP surgeries, in care or community settings or at home.

Be Part of Research can identify suitable volunteers for your study through a wide range of data including age, ethnic group, sex, location and condition. We can help you find potential participants quickly and effectively - accelerating study recruitment.

Take the hard work out of your recruitment and [add your study to the Be Part of Research service](#)

Surveys

Multinational Survey on Diagnostic and Treatment Challenges in CAA

This survey is being conducted with the support of the European Stroke Organisation, as part of the Emerging Stroke Leader Programme. The survey aims to identify common challenges and barriers that healthcare professionals encounter in diagnosing cerebral amyloid angiopathy (CAA).

[CLICK HERE](#) to complete the survey

CURVE study (Communicating Uncertain RecoVEry in acute care: a survey of physicians' views)

We are inviting UK doctors who work in **acute care** settings (including emergency department, hospital inpatient settings) to complete a short anonymous **online survey** about communicating uncertain recovery.

If this is you, please consider taking part in the survey, and please also share this information with your colleagues and networks so we can gather as many responses as possible.

[CLICK HERE](#) to take part

Closing date 1 June 2026

An Exploration of the Extent and Scope of Advanced Clinical Practice in Stroke

A research study is being conducted at Canterbury Christ Church University (CCCU) by Helen Cooke.

As a trainee Advanced Clinical Practitioner in Stroke, I am completing research as part of my MSc in Advanced Clinical Practice into how widespread Advanced Clinical Practitioners (ACPs) and/or trainee Advanced Clinical Practitioners (tACPs) are in acute stroke units in England, their current scope of practice and areas being considered for development of Advanced Clinical Practice in acute stroke.

If you are:

- A Service Manager, Consultant, ACP or tACP for Stroke
- And based on an Acute and/or Hyper-acute stroke unit in England

Then please consider participating in this research, [CLICK HERE](#) and complete the anonymous electronic survey.

Closing date 30 June 2026

Anosognosia After Stroke - Study Recruitment Support

 Calling all stroke clinicians and researchers!

I am now recruiting participants for my thesis research as part of my Doctorate in Clinical Psychology with The University of Exeter.

The study will explore how anosognosia after stroke is conceptualised and assessed in clinical practice and research.

If you have experience working with stroke patients or have published stroke-related research, I'd love to hear from you!

 Participate in 3 short online questionnaire rounds (20–30 mins each)
 £5 will be donated to The Stroke Association for each person who completes all 3 rounds

Your expertise will help shape future clinical assessment and intervention in the field long-term.

Scan the QR code on the poster, [CLICK HERE](#)

Or for the link [CLICK HERE](#)

Georgia Williams

Trainee Clinical Psychologist

University of Exeter | Somerset Foundation Trust

Opportunities

UK Stroke Research Workshop 2026 Medical & Non-medical Student Bursaries

Are you a medical or non-medical research student with original research to share about stroke, TIA or related vascular brain conditions?

[CLICK HERE](#) for information

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

Rebuilding Lives after Stroke - Report 11 May 2026



We are most grateful to WSO, ESO, Scottish Stroke Research Network, Stroke Association and BIASP for endorsing this event. We are delighted to enclose a report and some photos-the day was a great success!

The report highlights the importance of life after stroke research and opportunities available globally to develop new collaborations.

[CLICK HERE](#) to read the report
[CLICK HERE](#) to view the recording of the event

Stroke Action Plan for Europe (SAP-E)



On European Stroke Awareness Day 2026 (12 May) the Stroke Action Plan for Europe (SAP-E) Stroke Service Tracker (SST) data was published.

Europe's stroke care shows real progress, but persistent gaps and inequality demand urgent action.

[CLICK HERE](#) to read the data
[CLICK HERE](#) to read the press release

ELASF/SAFE Joint Statement

The World Health Assembly has approved the WHO's first ever resolution on stroke.

This will provide a valuable platform to further strengthen our collective advocacy efforts at the European and national level.

[CLICK HERE](#) to read the joint statement

NICE: backing the healthtech that changes lives

[“Fear of a second stroke does not dictate my life anymore. This technology got me back on my feet again.” Peter Hooper, stroke survivor who benefitted from a NICE-](#)

[recommended implantable cardiac monitor to detect atrial fibrillation as the cause of his stroke.](#)

When the right technology reaches the right patient, lives change. The National Institute for Health and Care Excellence (NICE) is sharing stories like Peter's to raise awareness of how their healthtech guidance can support NHS teams who are commissioning, procuring or implementing digital tools, diagnostics and medical devices.

Learn how NICE guidance can support you to make confident healthtech commissioning decisions.

[Explore support](#)

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

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

Together with over 30 leading organisations, we're calling for urgent action to fix the neuro workforce crisis and make it fit for the future.

Ahead of the **10-Year Workforce Plan**, we have endorsed The Neurological Alliance's consensus statement.

The statement brings together professional bodies and national health charities with a united call to strengthen the clinical neuroscience workforce. It sets out solutions to today's challenges and actions needed to secure a workforce fit for the future. Crucially, expanding the workforce is essential to improve services, care and outcomes for people with neurological conditions.

Learn more here: www.neural.org.uk/workforce

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 48

Topic: Resistant Hypertension in Stroke Survivors: From Diagnosis to Emerging Therapies

Date: 17/06/2026

Time: 17:30 - 18:30

Speaker: Dr Luca Faconti & Dr Manish Saxena from
British & Irish Hypertension Society(BIHS)

[CLICK HERE](#) to Register

Dates for your diary, further details will follow:

Upcoming 2026 Webinars
Summer Break July & August

- Webinar 49:** 23/09/2026, CAA-ri - diagnostic pointers, differentials and approach to management, Gargi Banerjee
- Webinar 50:** 14/10/2026, Migraine for the stroke physician - a mimic at the front door and TIA clinic - challenges in diagnosis, management strategies and update, Dheeraj Kalladka
- Webinar 51:** 25/11/2026, Addressing the Post-Stroke painful shoulder, Celine Lakra

Education

Stroke MSc Programme at UCL

We are excited to be looking for applicants from all disciplines (nursing, medicine, therapies) for the **2026 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 2026.

[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



National Undergraduate Neuroanatomy Competition 2026

Date(s): 30 May 2026

Location: University of Glasgow campus

The event bring together medical, neuroscience and anatomy students intrigued by neuroanatomy to showcase their knowledge and passion.

[CLICK HERE](#) for information

Transforming Stroke Care Conference

Date(s): 16 June 2026

Location: University of Lancashire, Preston.

The conference is hosted by Stroke Research Team and Applied Health Research hub.
Lunch, refreshments and conference materials will be provided.

The nominal fee will be charged to secure the place:

Individual attendee - £30

Group of 5 and more attendees from the same organisation – £30 each attendee and 1 extra attendee free

[CLICK HERE](#) for the flyer



Welsh Stroke Conference 2026

Date(s): 25 - 26 June

Location: All Nations Centre, Cardiff

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



UK Stroke Research Workshop 2026

Date(s): 9-10 September 2026

Location: University of Manchester, Roscoe Building, Brunswick Street, Manchester

The British and Irish Association of Stroke Physicians, the Stroke Association and NIHR RDN Stroke National Specialty Group are delighted to support the 2026 UK Stroke Research Workshop at the University of Manchester. This follows highly successful workshops held in Cambridge, Manchester, Leicester, Sheffield, UCL London, Keele and Newcastle.

[CLICK HERE](#) for information and the programme

Registration details to follow

Abstract Submission - closes 7 June

Medical & Non-medical Student Bursaries

Are you a medical or non-medical research student with original research to share about stroke, TIA or related vascular brain conditions?

[CLICK HERE](#) for information

British Geriatrics Society (BGS)
Cardiovascular Health in Older People
Date(s): 24 September 2026
Location: Hybrid - NHS Horizon, Leeds and online
Abstracts: Abstract submissions are open until 5pm on 10 July 2026 - [CLICK HERE](#)



Registration is now open for the BGS Cardiovascular Health in Older People conference. The event will be of interest to professionals working in older people's healthcare, with a particular focus on cardiovascular health, conditions and treatments.

[CLICK HERE](#) to register
Early bird registration closes 24 June 2026.
CPD: 6 CPD credits are available

SBNS100 Anniversary Meeting
Date(s): 16 - 18 October 2026
Location: QEII Conference Centre, London

[CLICK HERE](#) for the flyer



18th World Stroke Congress

Date(s): 21-23 October 2026

Location: Seoul, Korea

[CLICK HERE](#) for information

Stroke Emergency Essentials Educational Event 2026

Date(s): 5 November 2026

Location: Newcastle University Catalyst Innovation Centre

[CLICK HERE](#) for the programme

[CLICK HERE](#) to complete the form to register your place

European Life After Stroke Forum

Date(s): 8-9 March 2027

Location: Krakow

Information to follow

ESOC 2027

Date(s): 19 -21 May 2027

Location: Vienna, Austria

Registration opens 2 November 2027

Abstract Submission Autumn 2026

[CLICK HERE](#)

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.

[Consultant in Stroke Medicine](#), Swindon, closes 3 June

[Consultant \(Stroke\) Physician](#), Lancaster, closes 8 June

[Consultant in Stroke Medicine](#), Carlisle, closes 7 July

[Locum Consultant in Stroke Medicine](#), Carlisle, closes 7 July

[Consultant in Stroke Medicine](#), Kingston-upon-Hull, closes 16 July

Other Job Opportunity

Stroke Consultant
Waitematā District, New Zealand
Closing Date 5 June 2026

[CLICK HERE](#) for information

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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