

## *UK NHS Neuroscience Institutions and their Neuropathology Service*

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This Compendium of Neuropathology Units was collated by telephone and email survey in 2009 as part of submission to the DoH supporting the establishment of a separate CCT in Diagnostic Neuropathology. The information was considered sufficiently useful that, with the agreement of the clinical membership, it has been made available to the public domain via the British Neuropathology Society website. It was also agreed that it would be periodically reviewed and updated. Changes are noted in an update log at the end of this document.

There are 33 NHS neuroscience centres (with neurosurgery) in the UK, including 4 in Scotland and 1 in Wales (the erstwhile second centre in Swansea is in the process of relocating service to Cardiff as of 2010). Three centres (Dundee, Stoke and Coventry) have no internal neuropathology department and rely on geographically proximate neuropathology centres to service their requirements.

The Compendium provides an indication of the consultant/trainee complement, biomedical scientific support, directorate and budget status, areas of particular expertise and multi-disciplinary meeting areas.

There are 8 single handed consultants (Aberdeen, Barts & London, GOSH, Haywards Heath, Hull, Imperial College, St Georges and Middlesborough). The majority of centres are organisationally integrated within cellular pathology departments and do not hold separate budgets. Most have at least one BMS designated to provide neuropathology support. Nearly all centres offer a neuromuscular service and most handle paediatric neuro-oncology and ophthalmic specimens. Sixteen centres offer a forensic neuropathology service. All have regular neuro-oncology and most a neuromuscular MDTs with neuro-clinician involvement.

There are 8 substantive trainees in post at varying stages of training. Several are out-of-program to pursue a higher research degree. There are 5 trainee vacancies.

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Institution	Aberdeen Royal Infirmary Foresterhill <b>Aberdeen</b> AB9 2ZN Tel: 01224 681181
Neuropathology Consultants	Dr James M MacKenzie BSc, MBChB, FRCPath
Neuropathology Trainees	None
BMS with Neuropathology responsibility	Graham McHardy BMS 3, band 8a
Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support	0.5wte BMS 3, 0.5wte BMS 2, 0.5wte BMS 1 0.5wte trainee BMS
Directorate status	Integrated within cellular pathology
Separate budget	No
Specialist areas supported	Forensic neuropathology (JMM) Paediatric neuro-oncology (all consultants) Ophthalmic pathology (all consultants) Adult/paediatric neuromuscular (all consultants)
Neuroscience lead clinician	Mr David Currie (Neurosurgery) Dr Richard Coleman (Neurology)

MDT area	Frequency	Lead Clinician
Neuro-oncology	monthly	Mr David Currie, neurosurgery
Neuromuscular	monthly	Dr Richard Coleman, neurology

Institution	Royal Victoria Hospital Grosvenor Road <b>Belfast</b> BT12 6BA Tel: 028 90240503
Neuropathology Consultants	Dr Meenakshi Mirakhur MD FRCPATH (Head of Service) Dr Brian Herron FRCPATH
Neuropathology Trainees	Dr Estelle Healy (CCT 2011)
BMS with Neuropathology responsibility	John Murray BMS 3, Band 7
Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support	5.5 WTE
Directorate status	Integrated within cellular pathology
Separate budget	No
Specialist areas supported	Forensic neuropathology (all consultants) Paediatric neuro-oncology (all consultants) Adult/paediatric neuromuscular (all consultants)
Neuroscience lead clinician	Mr Stephen Cooke, neurosurgery

MDT area	Frequency	Lead Clinician
Neuro-oncology	weekly	Mr Jaber Nagaria, neurosurgery
Neuromuscular	2 weekly	
Mortality	monthly	
Hirschsprungs	ad hoc	

Institution	Dept of Cell Pathology Level-1 Queen Elizabeth Hospital Mindelsohn Way Birmingham B15 2WB Tel: 0121 371 3326
Neuropathology Consultants	Martyn P Carey FRCPath (Head of Service) 1 vacancy
Neuropathology Trainees	None
BMS with Neuropathology responsibility	None
Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support	All surgical and autopsy work integrated with general pathology Dedicated BMS in muscle biopsy service, Dr EM Curtis and Mr K Poulton
Directorate status	Integrated within cellular pathology
Separate budget	No
Specialist areas supported	Adult/paediatric neuromuscular (all consultants)
Neuroscience lead clinician	Prof Garth Cruickshank

MDT area	Frequency	Lead Clinician
Neuro-oncology (Stoke-on-Trent) (Coventry) (Birmingham)		Mr J Singh, neurosurgery Mr M Chokesy, neurosurgery Prof G Cruickshank, neurosurgery
Neuromuscular		Dr J Winer, neurology

<b>Institution</b>	North Bristol NHS Trust Frenchay Hospital <b>Bristol</b> BS16 1LE Tel: 0117 9701212
<b>Neuropathology Consultants</b>	Prof Seth Love MBBCh, PhD, FRCP, FRCPath (Head of Service) Dr Kathreena Kurian MBBS, MD, FRCPath Dr Nicki Cohen FRCPath BMBCh, DPhil, MMedEd, MRCP, FRCPath
<b>Neuropathology Trainees</b>	Dr Declan McGuone (CCT 2010)
<b>BMS with Neuropathology responsibility</b>	Mr Terence Gradidge, band 8b
<b>Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support</b>	5.95 WTE
<b>Directorate status</b>	Neurosciences Directorate
<b>Separate budget</b>	Yes
<b>Specialist areas supported</b>	Dementia Research Brain Bank (SL) Forensic neuropathology (SL) Paediatric neuro-oncology(all consultants) Adult/paediatric neuromuscular (all consultants)
<b>Neuroscience lead clinician</b>	Dr. Peter Heywood

<b>MDT area</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Lead Clinician</b>
Neuro-oncology (Adult) (Paediatric)	Weekly 2 weekly	Mr Venkat Iyer, neurosurgery Dr Stephen Lewis, paediatric oncology
Neuromuscular (Adult) (Paediatric)	2 weekly monthly	Dr Andria Merrison Dr Arnie Majumdar

<b>Institution</b>	Cambridge University Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust Addenbrooke's Hospital Hills Road <b>Cambridge</b> CB2 2QQ Tel: 01223 245 151
<b>Neuropathology Consultants</b>	2WTE: Dr John Xuereb MD, FRCP, FRCPath (Half-time, Head of Service) Dr Dominic O'Donovan MBChB, FRCPath (Half-time; see Romford) Dr Andrew Dean PhD FRCPath (Full time) Prof V. Peter Collins MD FRCPath FMedSci (Prof. Collins does not contribute significantly to the routine diagnostic neuropathology service)
<b>Neuropathology Trainees</b>	Dr Santhosh Nagaraju (CCT 2011)
<b>BMS with Neuropathology responsibility</b>	Robert Fincham BSc, (Biological); BSc (Biomedical); MSc (Biomedical); Cert. Healthcare Management, band 7
<b>Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support</b>	4 WTE BMS and 1 Assistant Practitioner (includes Cambridge Brain Bank)
<b>Directorate status</b>	Integrated within cellular pathology
<b>Separate budget</b>	No
<b>Specialist areas supported</b>	Paediatric neuro-oncology(all consultants) Ophthalmic pathology (all consultants) Adult/paediatric neuromuscular (all consultants)
<b>Neuroscience lead clinician</b>	Professor D Alistair S Compston (Neurology) Professor John Pickard (Neurosurgery)

<b>MDT area</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Lead Clinician</b>
Neuro-oncology (Adult) (Paediatric)		Dr Sarah Jefferies, neuro-oncologist Dr Mike Gattens, haematology
Neuromuscular (Adult) (Paediatric)		Dr Charlotte Brierley, neurology Dr Alasdair Parker, paediatric neurology
Feto-maternal medicine		Mr Christoph Lees, O&G
Skull base		Mr Robert Macfarlane, neurosurgeon
Neuro/paediatric review		JHX
Ocular pathology		DGOD

Institution	University Hospital of Wales Heath Park <b>Cardiff</b> CF14 4XN Tel: 02920 747747
Neuropathology Consultants	James W Neal DPhil FRCPath G Alistair Lammie FRCPath
Neuropathology Trainees	None
BMS with Neuropathology responsibility	Mrs C Thomas BMS 3, band 7
Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support	2 WTE
Directorate status	Integrated within cellular pathology, Dr DFR Griffiths Head of Service.
Separate budget	No
Specialist areas supported	Forensic neuropathology (GAL) Paediatric neuro-oncology(all consultants) Ophthalmic pathology (all consultants) Adult/paediatric neuromuscular pathology (JWN)
Neuroscience lead clinician	Dr Jerry Heath, neurophysiology

MDT area	Frequency	Lead Clinician
Neuro-oncology	weekly	JWN/GAL
Neuromuscular	monthly	JWN
Ocular pathology	monthly	Mrs C Lane, ophthalmology

Institution	University Hospitals Coventry and Warwickshire Clifford Bridge Road Walsgrave <b>Coventry</b> CV2 2DX Tel: 024 7696 4000
Neuropathology Consultants	None Serviced by Birmingham
Neuropathology Trainees	None
BMS with Neuropathology responsibility	
Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support	
Directorate status	
Separate budget	
Specialist areas supported	
Neuroscience lead clinician	

MDT area	Frequency	Lead Clinician

Institution	Ninewells Hospital Barrack Road <b>Dundee</b> DD1 9ND Tel: 01382 660111
Neuropathology Consultants	None Serviced by Edinburgh.
Neuropathology Trainees	None
BMS with Neuropathology responsibility	
Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support	
Directorate status	
Separate budget	
Specialist areas supported	
Neuroscience lead clinician	

MDT area	Frequency	Lead Clinician

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<b>Institution</b>	Western General Hospital Alexander Donald Building Crewe Road <b>Edinburgh</b> , EH4 2XU Tel: 0131 537 1961
<b>Neuropathology Consultants</b>	Prof James Ironside BMedSci MBChB FRCPath FRCPEdin FMedSci Dr Colin Smith BSc MBChB MD FRCPath (Head of Service)
<b>Neuropathology Trainees</b>	Dr Antonia Torgerson (CCT 2010)
<b>BMS with Neuropathology responsibility</b>	Mr David Elliott, BMS level 4, band 8b
<b>Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support</b>	None
<b>Directorate status</b>	Integrated within cellular pathology
<b>Separate budget</b>	No
<b>Specialist areas supported</b>	Forensic neuropathology (CS) Paediatric neuropathology (all consultants) Ophthalmic pathology (all consultants) Adult/paediatric neuromuscular (all consultants) Creutzfeldt-Jakob Disease (JWI)
<b>Neuroscience lead clinician</b>	Dr Colin Mumford

<b>MDT area</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Lead Clinician</b>
Adult neuro-oncology (Lothian & Borders) (Tayside) Paediatric neuro-oncology	weekly weekly 2 Weekly	Dr Robin Grant , neurology Dr Hannah Lord, oncology  Dr Mark Brougham, paediatric oncology
Neuromuscular	3 monthly	Dr Cheryl Longman, genetics

Institution	Institute of Neurological Sciences Southern General Hospital <b>Glasgow</b> G51 4TF Tel: 0141 201 1100
Neuropathology Consultants	Dr William Stewart BSc, MBChB, PhD, DipFMS, FRCPath (Head of Service) Dr Zoltan Hanzely
Neuropathology Trainees	1 post vacant
BMS with Neuropathology responsibility	Alison Lynch –BMS 3, Neuropathology Technical Manager
Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support	4 WTE plus 2WTE rotational BMS1
Directorate status	Integrated within cellular pathology
Separate budget	No
Specialist areas supported	Molecular Neuropathology (all consultants) Forensic neuropathology (WS) Paediatric neuro-oncology(all consultants) Adult and Paediatric Neuromuscular (all consultants)
Neuroscience lead clinician	

MDT area	Frequency	Lead Clinician
Neuro-oncology	weekly	Dr Allan James, neuro-oncologist Mr Jerome St George, neurosurgeon
Neuromuscular	monthly	Maria Farrugia, neurology
Mortality		WS

Institution	Princess Royal Hospital <b>Haywards Heath</b> West Sussex RH16 4EX Tel: 01444 441881
Neuropathology Consultants	Dr Peter Rose FRCPATH
Neuropathology Trainees	None
BMS with Neuropathology responsibility	Nigel Loaring, Laboratory Manager band 8
Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support	None – all surgical samples handled through general pathology lab in Brighton. Muscle biopsies processed by King's College, London
Directorate status	under Neurosciences division in Specialised Services Directorate
Separate budget	No
Specialist areas supported	Adult neuromuscular (all consultants)
Neuroscience lead clinician	Mr John Norris, neurosurgeon

MDT area	Frequency	Lead Clinician
Neuro-oncology		
Neuro-muscular		

Institution	Hull Royal Infirmary Analby Road <b>Hull</b> Humberside HU3 2JZ Tel: 01482 607807
Neuropathology Consultants	Dr Ian Scott, BSc, MB BS, MD, DPhil, CBiol, FSB, FRCPath
Neuropathology Trainees	None
BMS with Neuropathology responsibility	Catherine Hills, BMS 3, band 8a
Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support	2.5 WTE
Directorate status	Partly integrated within cellular pathology
Separate budget	No
Specialist areas supported	Paediatric neuro-oncology(all consultants) Ophthalmic pathology (all consultants) Adult/paediatric neuromuscular (all consultants)
Neuroscience lead clinician	Mr Kevin Morris (Neurosurgery)

MDT area	Frequency	Lead Clinician
Neuro-oncology	Weekly	Mr S. Achawal, Neurosurgery
Neuromuscular	Monthly	IS, Neuropathology
Neurovascular	Monthly	Dr P. Maliakal, Neuroradiology
Spinal	Monthly	Mr G. Spink, Neurosurgery
Neuroendocrine	Monthly	Mr B. Mathew, Neurosurgery
Neuroscience	Weekly	Dr A. Ming, Neurology
Vertebroplasty	Monthly	Mr G. Spink

<b>Institution</b>	Histopathology Level 5 Bexley Wing St James Hospital Beckett Street Leeds LS9 Tel: 0113 206 0000
<b>Neuropathology Consultants</b>	Dr Aruna Chakrabarty MBBS, MD, FRCPath (Lead Clinician) Dr Azzam Ismail FRCPath
<b>Neuropathology Trainees</b>	1 post vacant
<b>BMS with Neuropathology responsibility</b>	Elizabeth Wakefield, band 8a - responsible for Muscle, Nerve, Autopsy Brains Jane Ramsdale, band 7- responsible for Neurosurgicals
<b>Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support</b>	1 WTE Band 6, 0.5 WTE Band 5 - Muscle Biopsy 1 WTE Band 6 - Autopsy Brains 1 WTE Band 5 - Neurosurgicals 1 WTE Band 7 - Neuro specials, Frozen
<b>Directorate status</b>	Integrated within cellular pathology Dr. Patricia Harnden (Head of Service)
<b>Separate budget</b>	No
<b>Specialist areas supported</b>	Paediatric neuro-oncology(all consultants) Ophthalmic pathology (all consultants) Adult/paediatric neuromuscular (all consultants)
<b>Neuroscience lead clinician</b>	Mr Nick Phillips

<b>MDT area</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Lead Clinician</b>
Neuro-oncology (Adult) (Paediatric) Pituitary	weekly weekly Fortnightly	Dr. Paul Hatfield, neuro-oncology Dr. Sue Picton, paediatric oncology Dr Carmel Loughrey, neuro-oncology
Neuromuscular (Adult) (Paediatric)	monthly monthly	Dr. John Bamford, neurology Dr Anne-Marie Childs
Mortality	monthly	Mr. Towns, neurosurgery

<b>Institution</b>	The Walton Centre NHS Foundation Trust Lower Lane Fazakerly <b>Liverpool</b> Merseyside L9 7LU Tel: 0151 525 3611
<b>Neuropathology Consultants</b>	Dr Daniel Crooks MD MPhil FRCPath (Head of service) Dr Atik Babori MD FRCPath
<b>Neuropathology Trainees</b>	1 post vacant
<b>BMS with Neuropathology responsibility</b>	Miguel Aguirreburualde, BMS 4, Laboratory Manager, band 8a
<b>Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support</b>	6 WTE (1 x Lab Manager, 1 x BMS 3, 3 x BMS 2, 1 x BMS 1)
<b>Directorate status</b>	Diagnostics division Clinical Director Dr Tom Nixon, neuroradiology
<b>Separate budget</b>	Yes
<b>Specialist areas supported</b>	Forensic neuropathology (DC) Paediatric neuro-oncology(DC) Adult neuromuscular (all consultants)
<b>Neuroscience lead clinician</b>	Dr Peter Enevoldson, neurology, Medical Director

<b>MDT area</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Lead Clinician</b>
Neuro-oncology (Adult) (Paediatric)		Mr Andrew Brodbelt, neurosurgery Dr Barry Pizer, paediatric oncology
Neuromuscular		Dr Bryan Lecky, neurology
Pituitary		Mr Mohsen Javadpour, neurosurgery

Institution	Great Ormond Street Hospital NHS Trust Great Ormond Street <b>London</b> WC1N 3JH
Neuropathology Consultants	Dr Thomas Jacques BA MA PhD MB Chir MRCP FRCPath
Neuropathology Trainees	Dr Simon Paine (CCT 2014) plus regular visiting attachments
BMS with Neuropathology responsibility	Nigel Weaving, band 7
Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support	1 WTE but much of the service is provided by paediatric histopathology
Directorate status	Integrated within cellular pathology
Separate budget	No
Specialist areas supported	Forensic neuropathology (all consultants) Paediatric neuro-oncology(all consultants) Epilepsy (all consultants) Paediatric post-mortem neuropathology (all consultants) Ophthalmic pathology (all consultants) Neuromuscular (all consultants) Plus a separate neuromuscular service provided through the Dubowitz centre
Neuroscience lead clinician	Dr Carlos DeSousa

MDT area	Frequency	Lead Clinician
Neuro-oncology	Weekly	Dr Anthony Michalski, neuro-oncology
Epilepsy		Prof. Helen Cross, neurology Mr William Harkness, neurosurgery
Ophthalmology		Alki Liasis

Institution	Neuropathology Unit - Imperial College Charing Cross Hospital Fulham Palace Road <b>London W6 8RF</b> Tel: 020 8846 1234
Neuropathology Consultants	Dr Federico Roncaroli FRCPath (Head of Service)
Neuropathology Trainees	None
BMS with Neuropathology responsibility	None
Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support	None
Directorate status	Integrated within cellular pathology with Dr Robert Goldin Head of Service. Independent academic unit headed by Dr Steve Gentleman.
Separate budget	No
Specialist areas supported	Adult/paediatric neuromuscular (all consultants)
Neuroscience lead clinician	No clinical neuroscience

MDT area	Frequency	Lead Clinician
Neuro-oncology		vacant
Neuromuscular		FR
Pituitary		Dr Karim Meeran, endocrinolog)

<b>Institution</b>	Clinical Neuropathology King's College Hospital Denmark Hill <b>London</b> SE5 9RS Tel: 020 2991954
<b>Neuropathology Consultants</b>	Dr Safa Al-Sarraj FRCPATH (Head of Service) Dr Istvan Bodi FRCPATH Dr Tibor Hortobyagi FRCPATH Dr Andrew King FRCPATH
<b>Neuropathology Trainees</b>	Dr Nuria Teran-Villagra, Visiting SpR in Neuropathology
<b>BMS with Neuropathology responsibility</b>	Mr Lawrence Doey, Laboratory Manager, band 8b
<b>Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support</b>	8 WTE
<b>Directorate status</b>	Separate directorate – Clinical Neuropathology under Clinical Neuroscience, King's College Hospital NHS Foundation Trust
<b>Separate budget</b>	Yes
<b>Specialist areas supported</b>	Forensic neuropathology (SAS, IB) Paediatric neuro-oncology(all consultants) Adult/paediatric neuromuscular (all consultants)
<b>Neuroscience lead clinician</b>	Dr Jo Jarosz, Clinical Director Mrs Ann Wood, Neuroscience Manager

<b>MDT area</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Lead Clinician</b>
Neuro-oncology (Adult) (Paediatric)		SAS SAS
Muscle		SAS
Nerve		IB
Epilepsy		IB
Pituitary		AK
Neuroradiology		SAS

<b>Institution</b>	The National Hospital for Neurology and Neurosurgery/ University College London Queen Square <b>London</b> WC1N 3BG Tel: 0845 155 5000
<b>Neuropathology Consultants</b>	Prof Sebastian Brandner MD FRCPath (Head of Service) 0.5 WTE Prof Tamas Revesz MD FRCPath 0.6 WTE Dr Jan Holton MB ChB PhD FRCPath 0.5 WTE Dr Maria Thom BSc MB BS MD FRCPath 0.3 WTE Dr Caroline Sewry PhD FRCPath (also at Wolfson Centre, Oswestry and Great Ormond Street Hospitals) 2 WTE Dr Rahul Phadke MBBS MD FRCPath 1 WTE
<b>Neuropathology Trainees</b>	1 vacancy Lilla Reiniger, Locum SpR 1 visiting SpR Estelle Healy Plus regular visiting attachments
<b>BMS with Neuropathology responsibility</b>	Mrs Linda Herbert, BMS 4
<b>Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support</b>	8 WTE BMS (including 1x BMS 4, 1x BMS 3, 3x BMS2) 1 WTE Trainee BMS + 1 WTE Trainee BMS vacancy 2 WTE MLA 1 WTE MTO
<b>Directorate status</b>	Integrated within cellular pathology
<b>Separate budget</b>	Partial, devolved from histopathology
<b>Specialist areas supported</b>	Dementia research Brain Bank Paediatric muscle (CS at Dubowitz Centre and RP at QS)) Adult muscle (JH) Adult/paediatric peripheral nerve (All consultants) Prion disease Brain bank (SB) Adult peripheral nerves (SB and RP) Brain tumour tissue bank (SB) Molecular brain tumour diagnostics
<b>Neuroscience lead clinician</b>	Professor Alan Thompson, Dean UCL IoN

<b>MDT area</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Lead Clinician</b>
Neuro-oncology	weekly	Dr Susan Short, oncology Dr Jeremy Rees, neurology
Muscle		

(Adult)	weekly	Prof M Hanna, neurology
(Paediatric)	weekly	Dubowitz Centre
Peripheral nerve	weekly	Dr Mary Reilly, neurology
Pituitary	weekly	Dr M Powell, Neurosurgery Dr S Schorge, Neuroendocrinology
Epilepsy	monthly	Prof S Sisodiya, neurology

Institution	The Royal Free Hospital Pond Street <b>London</b> NW3 2QG Tel: 020 7794 0500
Neuropathology Consultants	Dr Malcolm Galloway BSc MB BS FRCPATH Dr Rahul Phadke MBBS MD FRCPATH (also at Queen Sq.)
Neuropathology Trainees	None
BMS with Neuropathology responsibility	Surgicals and autopsy via histopathology Muscle – Jane Workman, plus vacant post Nerve – Rosalind King
Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support	Muscle & Nerve – 2 WTE
Directorate status	Integrated within cellular pathology
Separate budget	No
Specialist areas supported	Forensic neuropathology (all consultants) Adult neuromuscular (all consultants)
Neuroscience lead clinician	Dr Tony Schapira, neurology

MDT area	Frequency	Lead Clinician
Neuro-oncology	weekly	Mr Bob Bradford, neurosurgeon
Neuromuscular	2 weekly	

Institution	Cellular Pathology and Blizard Institute of Cell and Molecular Science Barts and The London NHS Trust 80 Newark Street <b>London E1 2AT</b> Tel: 020 7377 7000
Neuropathology Consultants	Prof. Silva Marino MD FMH-Path
Neuropathology Trainees	None
BMS with Neuropathology responsibility	Mary Baithun, BMS 2, band7
Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support	1 WTE
Directorate status	Integrated in Histopathology (NHS) and Neuroscience (Academic)
Separate budget	No
Specialist areas supported	Neuromuscular (All consultants)
Neuroscience lead clinician	Dr. Charles Cockerell, neurologist, associate clinical director

MDT area	Frequency	Lead Clinician
Neuro-oncology		Mr. Andrew Elsmore, neuro-oncology
Neuromuscular		Dr. Aleksandar Radunovic, neuromuscular

Institution	St George's Hospital Blackshaw Road <b>London</b> SW17 0QT Tel: 020 8672 1255
Neuropathology Consultants	Dr. Leslie R. Bridges, BSc, MBBS, MD, FRCPath, FRCPA, FHEA (Head of Service)
Neuropathology Trainees	None
BMS with Neuropathology responsibility	Mrs. Carmeta McHale BMS 2
Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support	1 WTE
Directorate status	Integrated into Cellular Pathology
Separate budget	No
Specialist areas supported	Paediatric neuro-oncology (LRB)
Neuroscience lead clinician	Dr. Andrew Clifton

MDT area	Frequency	Lead Clinician
Neuro-oncology (Adult) (Paediatric)		Mr. Simon Stapleton, neurosurgery Mr. Simon Stapleton
Pituitary		Mr. Simon Stapleton

Institution	South Tees Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust Marton Road <b>Middlesbrough</b> Cleveland TS5 3BW Tel: 01642 850850
Neuropathology Consultants	Dr David James Scoones, MA MB BChir FRCPath (Head of Service)
Neuropathology Trainees	None
BMS with Neuropathology responsibility	Mrs Jaquie Richards, Cellular Pathology Laboratory Manager, BMS 4, band 8b
Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support	None – integrated within histopathology
Directorate status	Integrated within cellular pathology
Separate budget	No
Specialist areas supported	
Neuroscience lead clinician	Prof PJ Kane, Consultant Neurosurgeon

MDT area	Frequency	Lead Clinician
Neuro-oncology		Prof PJ Kane
Pituitary		Prof PJ Kane
Spinal		Prof PJ Kane

<b>Institution</b>	Department of Cellular Pathology, Royal Victoria Infirmary, Queen Victoria Road, <b>Newcastle upon Tyne</b> , NE1 4LP Tel: 0191 233 6161
<b>Neuropathology Consultants</b>	Dr Tuomo Polvikoski, Licentiate in Medicine, Specialty in Pathology, Specialty in Neuropathology, Doctor in Medical Sciences Helsinki University, Finland) Dr Johannes Attems, Doctor medicinae universalis, Venia docendi (Ass. Prof.) Otto Wagner Hospital, Vienna Dr Abijit Joshi MD FRCPath
<b>Neuropathology Trainees</b>	None
<b>BMS with Neuropathology responsibility</b>	Bill McMeekin, BMS 4, band 8a
<b>Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support</b>	6.5 WTE (of which 2.5 WTE on research) including, Andrew Brown, BMS 2, band 7 Janet Thompson, BMS 2, band 7  Dr Evelyn Jaros (MSc, PhD) is Clinical Scientist (band 8a) whose responsibilities include diagnostic work regarding peripheral nerve biopsies and neurodegenerative diseases (diagnostic work = 0.5 WTE, research work = 0.5 WTE)
<b>Directorate status</b>	Integrated within cellular pathology
<b>Separate budget</b>	No
<b>Specialist areas supported</b>	Dementia research Unit Neuromuscular (all consultants)
<b>Neuroscience lead clinician</b>	Dr A R Gholkar (neuroradiology)

<b>MDT area</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Lead Clinician</b>
Neuro-oncology (Adult) (Paediatric)	weekly 2 weekly	Mr John Crossman, neurosurgery Dr Simon Bailey, paediatric oncology
Muscle	monthly	Prof Kate Bushby, genetics
Nerve	2 monthly	Dr Evelyn Jaros
Dementia	monthly	Dr Alan Thomas, old age psychiatry

Institution	Nottingham University Hospitals NHS Trust Derby Road <b>Nottingham</b> NG7 2UH Tel: 0115 924 9924
Neuropathology Consultants	Prof James Lowe BMedSci BM BS DM FRCPath FHEA Dr Keith Robson BM BS FRCPath (Head of Service)
Neuropathology Trainees	Vacancy
BMS with Neuropathology responsibility	Mrs Janet Palmer, band 8a
Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support	1 WTE 1 WTE on rotation 1 MLA [Contribution from specialist EM technical staff and IHC staff]
Directorate status	Integrated within cellular pathology within clinical support Directorate
Separate budget	No
Specialist areas supported	Paediatric neuro-oncology(all consultants) Ophthalmic pathology (all consultants) Skeletal muscle (all consultants) Peripheral nerve (all consultants)
Neuroscience lead clinician	Mr Iain Robertson

MDT area	Frequency	Lead Clinician
Neuro-oncology	weekly	Paul Byrne, neurosurgeon
Paediatric Neuro-oncology	Weekly	Prof Richard Grundy, oncologist
Neuromuscular	2 weekly	Paul Maddison & Adrian Wills, neurology

<b>Institution</b>	Department of Neuropathology, West Wing Level 1, John Radcliffe Hospital <b>Oxford OX3 9DU</b> Tel: 01865 231434
<b>Neuropathology Consultants</b>	Dr Olaf Ansorge MD FRCPath (Head of Service) Prof Margaret Esiri DPhil FRCPath Dr Waney Squier FRCP FRCPath Dr James Morris DPhil FRCPath Dr Brendan McDonald FRCP FRCPath
<b>Neuropathology Trainees</b>	Dr Monika Hofer (CCT 2013)
<b>BMS with Neuropathology responsibility</b>	Hilary Brown CSci FIMBS, BMS 4
<b>Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support</b>	5.6 WTE BMS 1.83 WTE MLA
<b>Directorate status</b>	Neurosciences directorate, separate from histopathology
<b>Separate budget</b>	Yes
<b>Specialist areas supported</b>	Dementia brain bank, MRC network Forensic neuropathology (WS) Paediatric neuro-oncology(WS) Ophthalmic pathology (BMcD) Adult/paediatric neuromuscular (WS)
<b>Neuroscience lead clinician</b>	Prof Christopher Kennard (Univ), Dr David Hilton-Jones (NHS)

<b>MDT area</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Lead Clinician</b>
Neuro-oncology (Adult) (Paediatric)	weekly weekly	Dr Claire Blesing, oncology Dr Chris Mitchell, oncology
Pituitary	monthly	Prof John Wass
Neuromuscular	monthly	Dr David Hilton-Jones, neurology
Epilepsy	quarterly	Dr Yvonne Hart

Institution	Derriford Hospital Derriford Road <b>Plymouth</b> Devon PL6 8DH Tel: 01752 777111
Neuropathology Consultants	Dr David Hilton FRCPath FRCP MD (Head of Service) Dr Aditya Shivane FRCPath
Neuropathology Trainees	None
BMS with Neuropathology responsibility	Phillip Edwards BMS 3, band 8a
Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support	3 WTE
Directorate status	Integrated within cellular pathology
Separate budget	Yes
Specialist areas supported	Forensic neuropathology (all consultants) Adult/paediatric neuromuscular (all consultants)
Neuroscience lead clinician	Dr Francis Luscombe

MDT area	Frequency	Lead Clinician
Neuro-oncology		Dr Steve Kelly, oncology

<b>Institution</b>	Lancashire Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust Fulwood <b>Preston PR3 9HT</b> Tel: 01772 716565
<b>Neuropathology Consultants</b>	Prof. Timothy P Dawson BSc(hons) MB BCH PhD FRCPath Dr Jacob Joseph MD FRCPath
<b>Neuropathology Trainees</b>	Dr Tony Shukla (rotate with Manchester, CCT 2014)
<b>BMS with Neuropathology responsibility</b>	Mrs Angela Clayton, band 8
<b>Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support</b>	1 WTE BMS 3 1 WTE BMS 2 1 WTE BMS 1 0.5 WTE MLA
<b>Directorate status</b>	Integrated within cellular pathology
<b>Separate budget</b>	No
<b>Specialist areas supported</b>	Forensic neuropathology (TPD) Ophthalmic pathology (all consultants) Adult/paediatric neuromuscular (all consultants)
<b>Neuroscience lead clinician</b>	Dr David Shakespeare

<b>MDT area</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Lead Clinician</b>
Neuro-oncology	weekly	Mr Charles Davis, neurosurgery
Neuromuscular	monthly	Dr John Nixon, neurology
Skull base & pituitary	monthly	Mr G Roberts, neurosurgery
Neuroradiology	weekly	

<b>Institution</b>	Queen's Hospital Rom Valley Way <b>Romford</b> Essex RM7 0AG Tel: 0845 130 4204
<b>Neuropathology Consultants</b>	Dr Ute Pohl PhD FRCPath Dr Dominic G O'Donovan MBChB FRCPath (with Cambridge)
<b>Neuropathology Trainees</b>	None
<b>BMS with Neuropathology responsibility</b>	Mr S Botwright BMS 3
<b>Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support</b>	2 WTE neuropathology BMS 3 and BMS 2 0.5 WTE neuropathology BMS 1
<b>Directorate status</b>	Integrated within cellular pathology Head of Service: Dr Geraldine Soosay, histopathology and Clinical Director in Pathology
<b>Separate budget</b>	No
<b>Specialist areas supported</b>	Neuromuscular (all consultants)
<b>Neuroscience lead clinician</b>	Mr S Bavetta, Consultant Neurosurgeon

<b>MDT area</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Lead Clinician</b>
Neuro-oncology	weekly	Mr S Bavetta, neurosurgery
Neuromuscular	3 monthly	UP & DGOD

<b>Institution</b>	Department of Cellular Pathology Salford Royal Hospital NHS Foundation Trust Stott Lane <b>Salford</b> Greater Manchester M6 8HD Tel: 0161 206 5013
<b>Neuropathology Consultants</b>	Dr Daniel du Plessis BSc(hons) MB BCH MmedPath FRCPath Dr Pyali Pal MD FRCPath
<b>Neuropathology Trainees</b>	Dr Tony Shukla (rotate with Preston)
<b>BMS with Neuropathology responsibility</b>	Richard Mathias, BMS 3, band 8a
<b>Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support</b>	2 WTE BMS 1 WTE MLA
<b>Directorate status</b>	Integrated within cellular pathology
<b>Separate budget</b>	No
<b>Specialist areas supported</b>	Forensic neuropathology (DduP) Adult neuromuscular (all consultants)
<b>Neuroscience lead clinician</b>	Dr Mark Kellett, Neurology

<b>MDT area</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Lead Clinician</b>
Neuro-oncology	weekly	Dr Rao Gattamaneni oncology
Neuromuscular	2 weekly	Dr Mark Roberts, neurology
Pituitary	monthly	Dr Tara Kearney, endocrinologist
Skull base	monthly	Mr Andrew King, neurosurgeon

<b>Institution</b>	Sheffield Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust Glossop Road <b>Sheffield</b> Yorkshire 10 2JF Tel: 0114 2711900
<b>Neuropathology Consultants</b>	Prof P Ince FRCPath Dr S Warton FRCPath
<b>Neuropathology Trainees</b>	Dr Valerie Critcher (CCT 2012)
<b>BMS with Neuropathology responsibility</b>	Lucinda Goult, BMS2
<b>Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support</b>	None – serviced by general pathology
<b>Directorate status</b>	Integrated within cellular pathology
<b>Separate budget</b>	No
<b>Specialist areas supported</b>	Forensic neuropathology (PI) Paediatric neuro-oncology (all consultants) Adult/paediatric neuromuscular (all consultants)
<b>Neuroscience lead clinician</b>	Prof Graham Venables

<b>MDT area</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Lead Clinician</b>
Neuro-oncology	weekly	Mr David Jellinek, neurosurgery
Pituitary		Dr Newell Price, endocrinology
Neuromuscular		PI & SW
Mortality		PI & SW

<b>Institution</b>	Wessex Neuro Centre Level E, South block Southampton General Hospital Tremona Road <b>Southampton</b> SO16 6YD Tel: 02380 796793
<b>Neuropathology Consultants</b>	Prof James AR Nicoll BSc MBChB MD FRCPath (Head of Service) Dr Mark Walker MB ChB MSc FRCPath Dr Ingrid Mazanti FRCPath
<b>Neuropathology Trainees</b>	1 vacant
<b>BMS with Neuropathology responsibility</b>	Mrs Jean Buontempo BMS 2, band 7)
<b>Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support</b>	2 WTE
<b>Directorate status</b>	Integrated with histopathology in Division of Diagnostics and Therapeutics
<b>Separate budget</b>	Partial
<b>Specialist areas supported</b>	Forensic neuropathology (All consultants) Paediatric neuro-oncology(All consultants) Ophthalmic pathology (MW) Adult/paediatric neuromuscular (MW & IM)
<b>Neuroscience lead clinician</b>	Miss Dorothy Lang

<b>MDT area</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Lead Clinician</b>
Neuro-oncology (Adult) (Paediatric)		Dr Grundy Dr Nicolin
Skullbase		Mr Mathad, Mr Shenouda
Pituitary		Dr Belli
Epilepsy		Mr Gray
Neuromuscular		Dr Hammans

Institution	North Staffordshire Hospital Princes Road Harts Hill <b>Stoke on Trent</b> Staffordshire ST4 7PA Tel: 01782 715444
Neuropathology Consultants	None Serviced by Birmingham
Neuropathology Trainees	None
BMS with Neuropathology responsibility	
Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support	
Directorate status	
Separate budget	
Specialist areas supported	
Neuroscience lead clinician	

MDT area	Frequency	Lead Clinician

Institution	Morrison Hospital Heol Maes Eglwys <b>Swansea</b> SA6 6NL Tel: 01792 702222
Neuropathology Consultants	None. The neuroscience unit has been relocated to Cardiff.
Neuropathology Trainees	None
BMS with Neuropathology responsibility	
Dedicated Neuropathology BMS support	
Directorate status	
Separate budget	
Specialist areas supported	
Neuroscience lead clinician	

MDT area	Frequency	Lead Clinician

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