

Job of the Week

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NEUROLOGIST

Neurologists diagnose, treat and manage patients with diseases, disorders or problems linked to their brains. They work as part of a wider team to improve a patients wellbeing and practice. Neurologists work in emergency situations as well as dealing with on-going health issues relating to the brain.

Skills

- Emotional Resilience / calm temperament
- Ability to work well under pressure
- Critical Thinking
- Teamwork & ability to lead teams
- Social Perceptiveness
- Excellent Communication Skills
- Problem Solving / Diagnostic Skills
- Outstanding organisational ability
- Effective decision making skills
- Excellent interpersonal (people) skills
- Time & Resource management
- Relationship Management

Key Info



Salary

Ave starting: £27,000-£32,000
 Trainee Specialists: up to £48,000
 Consultants up to £115,000



Qualifications

5yr Medical Degree
 2 years as a Jnr Dr in hospital
 + 7yrs as a Trainee Specialist



Routes

Medical Degree at University
 Junior Doctor Foundation Prog.
 General Medical Training
 Academic Clinical Fellowship



Labour Market

Health Professionals:
 UK: 371,136 Gateshead: 1,243
 UK Growth: +14.9% (2027-27)
 NE Growth: +17.1%(2017-27)



Working Hours

Typical Working week = 40hrs +
 Unsociable hours/bank holidays
 Weekends & on-call shifts



Related Careers

General Practitioner
 Psychiatrist
 Emergency Doctor

