i) the number of neurology NTNs commissioned, (posts in neurology ST3+)

	Training Posts				
	North	Midlands & East	London & South East	South	Total
April 2016	75	64	107	46	292
October 2015	79	63	112	43	297
April 2015	71	63	104	42	280

The posts provided above are those at ST3 +, this does not include any trainee that may be specialising in another area with a rotation in Neurology. Please not that this many not equate to actual reductions or increases in training provision during this period but reflects how the data is collected.

ii) the number of neurology NTNs that were not filled through national recruitment or inter-deanery transfer (or by other means),

	2015		2014		2013	
	Posts Advertised	Posts Filled	Posts Advertised	Posts Filled	Posts Advertised	Posts Filled
North	12	11	15	13	9	9
Midlands & East	7	7	8	8	7	7
London & South East	12	12	14	14	12	12
South	10	9	6	5	7	7

the number of trainees holding a neurology NTN who were out of programme for research, training, career break or experience, or on maternity leave,

	Out of programme	Maternity	Long term sick	Suspended
April 2016				
North	13	3	0	0
Midlands & East	15	2	0	0
London & South East	32	8	0	0
South	14	3	0	0
October 2015				
North	16	4	0	0
Midlands & East	19	2	0	0
London & South East	31	7	0	0
South	8	0	0	0
April 2015				
North	19	5	0	0
Midlands & East	15	0	0	0
London & South East	29	5	0	0
South	9	1	0	0

The figures above are a snapshot in time and are only accurate at the time of the stock take. The variation in figures for these posts is in line with expected fluctuations.

iv) the number of trainees holding a neurology NTN who were "in programme" i.e. normally engaged in full time or less than full time clinical work (i.e. NOT those out of programme for research, training, career break or experience, or on maternity leave).

	Full Time	Less than full time
April 2016		
North	47	4
Midlands & East	37	7
London & South East	53	13
South	27	1
October 2015		
North	46	5
Midlands & East	35	6
London & South East	59	12
South	25	3
April 2015		
North	42	3
Midlands & East	39	6
London & South East	52	14
South	16	10