

Engagement Report for Clinical Commissioning Policies	
Unique Reference Number	1711
Policy Title	Neurosurgery Service Specification
Lead Commissioner	Jacque Kemp
Clinical Reference Group	Neurosciences
Which stakeholders were contacted to be involved in policy development?	Society of British Neurological Surgeons (SBNS) Neurological alliance Spinal CRG chair Neuroscience CRG members Neurosurgery GIRFT clinical lead
Identify the relevant Royal College or Professional Society to the policy and indicate how they have been involved	Society of British Neurological Surgeons (SBNS) Members of the working group who developed the specification
Which stakeholders have actually been involved?	As above plus the registered stakeholders for the neuroscience CRG and the Spinal CRG
Explain reason if there is any difference from previous question	Stakeholders were asked to comment on whether the draft specification requires consultation and whether it changes the current service based on the published specification
Identify any particular stakeholder	All appropriate stakeholders were engaged

<p>organisations that may be key to the policy development that you have approached that have yet to be engaged. Indicate why?</p>	
<p>How have stakeholders been involved? What engagement methods have been used?</p>	<p>Sharing of the draft, extended working group for comments, sent for two weeks feedback to registered stakeholders</p>
<p>What has happened or changed as a result of their input?</p>	<p>Some change in wording to document and the link with spinal services was clarified as requested by the Chair of the spinal CRG</p>
<p>How are stakeholders being kept informed of progress with policy development as a result of their input?</p>	<p>Working group informed of feedback and next steps.</p>
<p>What level of wider public consultation is recommended by the CRG for the NPOC Board to agree as a result of stakeholder involvement?</p>	<p>Four week public consultation – all stakeholders who responded answered ‘yes’ to question suggesting consultation of up to one month (POC Board recommended two months if over summer holidays)</p>