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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST FOI/014634 – Sick leave, staff committing crimes

Please could I make the following request under the Freedom of Information Act?

- How many medical staff (doctors and nurses) were off sick in 2018 due to mental health reasons? - 217 Individuals
- Please could I have a breakdown of the figures for both doctors and nurses separately? - 9 Doctors & 208 Nurses
- How many days in total were taken off due to mental health reasons in 2018? - 17475.7 FTE Days
- How many medical staff (doctors and nurses) were off sick ten years earlier (2008) due to mental health reasons? - 65 Individuals
- Please could I have a breakdown of the figures for both doctors and nurses separately for 2008? - 5 Doctors & 60 Nurses
- How many days in total were taken off due to mental health reasons in 2008? - 1974.4 FTE Days
- Please could I also request a break down of what categories comes under 'mental health' - eg stress etc .
  - No, mental health issues are a group reason and are included in the ESR (NHS standard) absence reason "Stress/Anxiety/Other mental health Reason".
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