

Freedom of Information Act 2000 - Request Reference Fol/20/335
Staff Sickness – Covid-19

Request details

Under the freedom of information act, please provide me with data for the following in relation to your health board / area from 1st March 2020 to date.

- 1. The number of staff who have notified you of suspected or confirmed COVID-19 infection. Please provide a breakdown by roles – for example doctors, nurses, admin staff, porters etc.**
- 2. How many days lost (for example via sick leave) was recorded for the above? (again please list by job role if possible)**
- 3. How many staff members died from COVID-19?**

Response details

Question 1 & 2

There have been 2,318 periods of sickness absence recorded in ESR between 1st March and 31st August attributed to COVID-19, and 37,590 calendar days lost, as follows:

Staff Group	No. Absences	Calendar Days Lost
Add Prof Scientific and Technic	101	1,321
Additional Clinical Services	560	11,322
Administrative and Clerical	257	4,215
Allied Health Professionals	193	2,130
Estates and Ancillary	252	3,359
Healthcare Scientists	65	801
Medical and Dental	77	803
Nursing and Midwifery Registered	798	13,344
Students	15	295
Total	2318	37,590

Question 3

5 members of staff have died from COVID-19.