

**Reference Number:** FOI202223/492  
**From:** Private Individual  
**Date:** 23 December 2022  
**Subject:** Staff affected by COVID-19

Q1 What data does the trust collect on COVID-19 infections and related illness in its staff?

A1 We are able to record covid related absences as follows:

- Coronavirus (COVID-19)
- Coronavirus (COVID-19) – Household Member Symptoms
- Coronavirus (COVID-19) – Post Travel Quarantine
- Coronavirus (COVID-19) – Shielding
- Coronavirus (COVID-19) – Test and Trace Contact

The information we collect includes standard absence information, dates absent and date returned to work

Q2 Please disclose the total number of trust staff, to date, who have taken sickness absence due to COVID-19

- a. If the trust has digital data that it can break down easily, please give a breakdown of by staff group
- b. If the trust has digital data that it can break down easily, please give a breakdown by staff age and sex

A2 a.

Staff Group	Count
Add Prof Scientific and Technic	135
Additional Clinical Services	289
Administrative and Clerical	238
Allied Health Professionals	105
Estates and Ancillary	147
Healthcare Scientists	77
Medical and Dental	82
Nursing and Midwifery Registered	777
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>1850</b>

b.

Age	Count
<=20 Years	8
21-25	193
26-30	235
31-35	299
36-40	262
41-45	223
46-50	175

51-55	173
56-60	157
61-65	97
66-70	23
>=71 Years	5
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>1850</b>

<b>Gender</b>	<b>Count</b>
Female	1614
Male	236
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>1850</b>

Q3 Please disclose the total number, to date, of days of staff sickness due to COVID

A3 Calendar days in total - 34,189

No working patterns in ESR therefore working days not available

Q4 Please advise of the total number of staff, to date, who have had long COVID

A4 Information not held – there are no long covid reporting options in ESR

Q5 Please disclose the total number of days, to date, of staff sickness due to long COVID.

A5 Information not held – there are no long covid reporting options in ESR