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Thank you for your request concerning staff suffering with stress.

Your request has been considered and processed in accordance with the requirements of the Freedom of Information (FOI) Act 2000.

- I would like to request data on the number of NHS staff on long-term stress leave during the last year for which figures are available, as well as the total number of days they were on stress leave for, both broken down by staff category?**

Staff Group	Number of staff off sick with Stress	Number of Calendar Days Lost
January 2017 to December 2018		
Add Prof Scientific and Technic	20	1319
Additional Clinical Services	54	3138
Administrative and Clerical	28	1993
Allied Health Professionals	*	113
Estates and Ancillary	*	332
Medical and Dental	*	218
Nursing and Midwifery Registered	38	2369
Grand Total	146	9482

* Due to the small numbers involved we have applied Exemption Section 40 (2) to this part of your request. This is because entries of 5 or less are considered sufficiently small enough to be potentially identifiable data. On this basis, this information is exempt from the duty to publish.

Should you require further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Please find enclosed an information sheet regarding copyright protection and the Trust's complaints procedure in the event that you are not satisfied with the response.

Yours sincerely

Sue Smith

Sue Smith
Information Rights Officer

Enc: Copyright Protection and Complaints Procedure Information Leaflet.

If you would like to complete a short survey in relation to your Freedom of Information request please scan the QR code below or click [here](#).

