

Ref. No: FO11284  
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Subject: Sickness absences for Pharmacists

## REQUEST

Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, I am requesting the following information on recorded sickness absences for pharmacists employed by your Trust.

- 1) How many days of sick leave, recorded as being due to “Anxiety/Stress/Depression/Other Psychiatric Illnesses”, in line with [NHS recording of sickness absence](#), were taken by pharmacy staff in your trust in each of the following years:
  - a) 2024/25
  - b) 2023/24
  - c) 2022/23
  - d) 2021/22
  - e) 2020/21
  - f) 2019/20
  - g) 2018/19
  - h) 2017/18

**NB:** For each year, please give one figure for all pharmacists combined with these three staff codes: SAP - Consultant Pharmacists; S0P - Chief Pharmacists and S2P - Pharmacists (trained).

## RESPONSE

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Please note 2024/2025 is up to and including Oct 2024

	2024/25	2023/24	2022/23	2021/22	2020/21	2019/20	2018/19	2017/18
<b>SOP</b>	16							96
<b>S2P</b>		360	196	44	61	208	203	60
<b>SAP</b>								
<b>Total</b>	16	60	196	44	60	208	203	156