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Freedom of Information Act 2000

I am writing in response to your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 in relation to junior doctor's sickness due to psychiatric illness in 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014 and 2015.

- 1. How many junior doctors employed in hospitals covered by your Trust were signed off work because of anxiety/stress/depression or other psychiatric illnesses in each of the following years: a) 2011, b) 2012, c) 2013, d) 2014 and e) 2015 (If the same employee was off over a period where it changes years, please count them once in both years)*
- 2. Please give the total number of working days lost through junior doctor absence because of anxiety/stress/depression or other psychiatric illnesses in each of the following years: a) 2011, b) 2012, c) 2013, d) 2014 and e) 2015*

To clarify, the term 'junior doctor' refers to all doctors working for your Trust, who are NOT consultants. This includes:

*Foundation Year 1
Foundation Year 2
Specialist Trainee Year 1-8
Junior Clinical Fellow
Senior Clinical Fellow
Educational Fellow
Research Fellow*

- 1.*
 - A) 2011 – 2*
 - B) 2012 – 3*
 - C) 2013 – 2*
 - D) 2014 – 2*
 - E) 2015 - 2*

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- A) 2011 – 249
- B) 2012 – 236
- C) 2013 – 116
- D) 2014 – 17
- E) 2015 – 26.3