

2<sup>th</sup> December 2015

Ref: FOI 2172

Dear Sir/Madam,

Thank you for your recent Freedom of Information request relating to Junior Doctors leave on the grounds of sick leave, stress anxiety and depression.

The Trust can provide the following information:

**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 - 0
- b) 2012 - 0
- c) 2013 - 0
- d) 2014 - 1
- e) 2015 so far? - 1

**(If the same employee was off over a period where it changes years, please count them once in both years)**

**2. Please break down the yearly totals given in 1 by a) grade of junior doctor and b) department of junior doctor.**

2014 = Specialty Registrar  
2015 = Specialty Registrar

2014 = A&E  
2015 = A&E

**3. 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 - 0
- b) 2012 - 0
- c) 2013 - 0
- d) 2014 - 170
- e) 2015 so far - 60

**N.B** Please note these numbers relate to calendar days.

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Yours sincerely

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