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Subject:	No of staff absent on sick leave, no of work days lost in total and for mental health reasons

Q1 How many NHS staff in your Trust were absent on sick leave in the calendar years?
2018
2019
2020

A1 2018 – 1,626
2019 – 1,836
2020 – 1,830

Q2 How many work days were lost in each period (as above) through sickness leave?

A2 2018 – 23,482 days
2019 – 29,668 days
2020 – 26,801 days (all calendar days)

Q3 For each year (calendar or financial) how many of those staff were absent through mental health issues?

A3 2018 – 152 episodes
2019 – 214 episodes
2020 – 281 episodes

Q4 How many work days were lost in each period through mental health conditions including depression, anxiety, PTSD?

A4 2018 – 5,942 days
2019 – 9,307 days
2020 – 8,538 days (all calendar days)