

**I am requesting a freedom of information please regarding the following questions.**

- 1. Can the health board provide the number of staff employed by the health board that had any sickness due to a Covid-19 diagnosis, either diagnosed by medical staff or via self-testing, between 1st April 2020 and 31st March 2021? Please include all staff on permanent, temporary, fixed term and bank contracts.**

Please find below the information requested for the period April 2020 to March 2021:

Sickness absence reasons	Heads
Coronavirus (COVID-19)	1153
Coronavirus (COVID-19) - Test and Trace Contact	20
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>1173</b>

- 2. Can the health board provide the number of staff employed by the health board that had any sickness due to a Covid-19 diagnosis, either diagnosed by medical staff or via self-testing, between 1st April 2021 and 31st March 2022? Please include all staff on permanent, temporary, fixed term and bank contracts.**

Please find below the information requested for the period April 2020 to March 2021:

Sickness absence reasons	Heads
Coronavirus (COVID-19)	1937
Coronavirus (COVID-19) - Test and Trace Contact	13
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>1950</b>

- 3. Can the health board provide the number of staff employed by the health board that had any sickness due to a Covid-19 diagnosis, either diagnosed by medical staff or via self-testing, between 1st April 2022 and 31st March 2023? Please include all staff on permanent, temporary, fixed term and bank contracts.**

Please find below the information requested for the period April 2022 to March 2023:

Sickness absence reasons	Heads
Coronavirus (COVID-19)	2602
Coronavirus (COVID-19) - Test and Trace Contact	2
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>2604</b>

- 4. For each of the periods above, how many of those diagnosed with Covid-19 on the balance of probability contracted it in the course of their work for the health board?**

The Health Board is unable to confirm how COVID-19 was contracted.

- 5. For each of the periods above, how many of those incidents of staff who had a period of sickness due to Covid-19 were reported through the datix incident reporting system?**

April 2020 – March 2021 = 15

April 2021 – March 2022 = 0

April 2022 – March 2023 = 0

- 6. For each of the periods above, how many episodes of Covid-19 that were determined to be contracted in work on the balance of probability, were reported to RIDDOR?**

April 2020 – March 2021 = 0

April 2021 – March 2022 = 0

April 2022 – March 2023 = 0