

Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002

DATE RECEIVED	01/02/2022	SUBJECT	COVID-19 - Long Covid		
PASSED TO	Occupational Health Public Health HR	DATE PASSED		RESPOND BY	
CATEGORY	Press	FoI NUMBER	2022-045		

Question/s to be Answered

Please can you answer the following questions as an FOI request.

- 1) How many staff have made the service aware that they have Long Covid?
Please break the figure down to show any categorisations of staff (i.e. nurses, consultants, etc.) who have Long Covid to date.

NHS Shetland does hold this information (s16(1)(a)). This information is exempt (s16(1)(b)) under section 38(1)(b) as read with section 38(2)(a)(i).- As the number is less than 5 it is felt that to give any more detailed information would potentially identify individuals.

- 2) How many of these staff have been signed off work by their doctor for any period of time due to Long Covid.

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