

Table THORGP01

Top level data from THOR GP, annual average in 2013 to 2015 - Number of diagnoses and associated sickness absence by broad diagnostic category of work-related ill-health

	*Estimated number of new diagnoses of work-related ill-health made by THOR-GPs	% of total diagnoses	% of diagnoses issued with sickness certification	** Estimated average number of days sickness absence per case	% of total days sickness absence certified
Musculoskeletal	1036	50	36	21	34
Mental ill-health	724	35	72	50	57
Skin	124	6	7	6	1
Respiratory	80	4	35	29	4
Other diagnoses	120	6	37	27	5
Total diagnoses	2084	100	-	31	100
Total cases	2040	-	48	31	-

* This estimate has an adjustment applied for sample reporting, but not an adjustment for the response rate. This is because there is no evidence indicating that non-responding GPs would report, on average, the same number of cases as those who responded.

** Annual days certified absence is adjusted by the estimate of under-reporting according to THOR-GP audit data.

"-" Not applicable.

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Certified sickness absence for cases with more than one diagnosis are counted in all diagnostic categories that apply.

See <http://www.hse.gov.uk/statistics/calculation-thor-gp-data.pdf> for more details.