COVID-19 related and other sickness absences - up to 2 April 2021

Chart 1 shows a snapshot of the number of absent employees as at 2 April 2021.

Chart 1

Directorate	COVID-19	Iso-working	Iso-non-working	Other sickness
Adult Services	3	1	0	36
Children's Services	4	3	0	49
CDAI	0	1	2	10
Environment & Place	0	1	2	11
Community Safety	2	2	2	18
CODR	2	6	1	26
Public Health	0	0	0	1
Growth Deal	0	0	0	0
OCC Schools	9	21	25	53
Grand Total	20	35	32	204

During the whole of Q4, 39 directorate employees reported an absence related to covid-19, this represents 0.77% of the Directorate workforce.

Chart 2 shows the weekly absence rate compared to the same period last year for all Directorates and OCC Schools

In 2020, the main peak is towards the end of March with rates reducing in April until there is a second peak towards the end of May which reduces during June and starts to climb again significantly in November, reduces over the holiday period and increases again during Q4. Overall, absence rates for 2020/21 were significantly lower than those reported for 2019/2020.

Chart 2

