



HSE RIDDOR Statistics 2024



- **1.7 million** workers are currently suffering with some form of work-related ill health, with **609,000** experiencing a new case of ill-health
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- **29.6 million** working days lost.
- **13,000** deaths attributed to past exposure to chemicals and dust at work.
- **776,000** workers suffer from work-related stress, anxiety and depression.
- **300,000** new cases of work-related stress, anxiety and depression.
- **16.4 million** working days lost.
- **543,000** workers are currently experiencing a musculoskeletal disorder or condition as a direct result of their work
- **12,000** deaths from lung disease each year on average.
- **2,257** mesothelioma deaths and estimated similar lung cancer numbers because of past asbestos exposure.
- **20,000** estimated cases of breathing and lung problems, because of or worsened by work.
- **138** workers killed because of work-related accidents.
- **61,663** non-fatal employee injuries reported to RIDDOR.
- **4.1 million** working days lost due to non-fatal workplace injuries.
- **£21.6 billion** in annual costs of workplace injury and new cases of work-related ill health in 23/24. (excludes long latency illnesses, like cancer).
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- **£7.1 billion** in annual costs of workplace injury.