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Table 24 - Sick Leave Days (Paid and Unpaid) Taken for the Period July 2007 to June 2008 *

Public Sector Organisations	Average FTE's for Period	Total Sick Leave Taken	Average Total Sick Leave Taken Per FTE
Administrative Units			
Attorney-General's ⁽¹⁾	1,283.5	9,950.0	7.8
Auditor-General's	105.2	727.5	6.9
Correctional Services	1,446.6	15,082.6	10.4
Defence SA ⁽²⁾	22.0	67.1	3.0
Education and Children's Services	20,257.1	119,992.0	5.9
Environment and Heritage	1,026.5	7,057.1	6.9
Environment Protection Authority	220.3	1,874.4	8.5
Families and Communities ⁽³⁾	4,726.8	55,700.4	11.8
Further Education, Employment, Science & Technology ⁽⁴⁾	3,473.1	26,491.0	7.6
Health, Department of	704.5	5,827.8	8.3
Police, SA ⁽⁵⁾	5,207.6	42,518.3	8.2
Premier and Cabinet	1,294.8	9,927.3	7.7
Primary Industries and Resources SA ⁽⁶⁾	1,558.5	9,042.9	5.8
State Electoral Office	21.5	167.3	7.8
Trade and Economic Development	176.1	1,022.9	5.8
Transport, Energy and Infrastructure	2,976.0	23,808.3	8.0
Treasury and Finance ⁽⁷⁾	1,002.5	8,787.2	8.8
Venture Capital Board, Office of the	4.6	35.3	7.7
Water, Land and Biodiversity Conservation ⁽⁸⁾	539.0	3,804.8	7.1
Zero Waste SA ⁽⁹⁾	16.9	117.7	7.0
Total Administrative Units	46,063.0	342,001.7	7.4
Other Public Sector Organisations **			
Adelaide and Mount Lofty Ranges NRM Board	61.1	327.9	5.4
Adelaide Convention Centre ⁽¹⁰⁾	N/A	N/A	N/A
Adelaide Entertainments Corporation ⁽¹¹⁾	95.3	0.8	0.0
Adelaide Festival Centre Trust ⁽¹¹⁾	154.4	985.0	6.4
Ambulance Service, SA	1,032.4	8,783.7	8.5
Country Arts, SA	51.3	250.9	4.9
Country Fire Service, SA	98.4	417.8	4.2
Court Administration Authority ⁽¹²⁾	704.4	6,000.7	8.5
Electorate Offices ⁽¹³⁾	190.8	1,121.3	5.9
Fire and Emergency Services Commission, SA	104.7	722.2	6.9
Forestry SA	210.0	1,123.0	5.3
Health Units ⁽¹⁴⁾	24,074.6	239,923.4	10.0
HomeStart Finance	89.1	599.8	6.7
Judiciary ⁽¹⁵⁾	83.0	252.1	3.0
Land Management Corporation	89.3	416.2	4.7
Legal Services Commission	182.5	1,405.8	7.7
Legislature (Excluding Members) ⁽¹⁶⁾	107.8	690.6	6.4
Lotteries Commission of SA	78.2	514.3	6.6
Metropolitan Fire Service, SA	858.1	9,948.0	11.6
Murray Darling NRM Board	76.1	449.4	5.9
Senior Secondary Assessment Board	78.7	480.7	6.1
Tourism Commission, SA	176.2	1,108.0	6.3
TransAdelaide	590.0	3,737.7	6.3
Water Corporation, SA ⁽¹⁷⁾	1,412.9	8,974.1	6.4
West Beach Trust	47.9	313.2	6.5
WorkCover Corporation	287.2	1,977.5	6.9
Remainder of Other Public Sector Organisations	716.3	3,690.6	5.2
Total Other Public Sector Organisations	31,650.8	294,214.6	9.3
Total South Australian Public Sector	77,713.8	636,216.3	8.2

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* Total Sick Leave includes all absences due to illness, whether paid or unpaid, and those on account of Family Carer's Leave. It should be assumed that the figures derived in this table are an estimate unless evidence is provided that it is an exact measure.

** Only other public sector organisations with 50.00 active/paid FTEs or greater have been listed individually.

- (1) Includes the Office of the Public Trustee of South Australia and the Department of Justice.
- (2) The Port Adelaide Maritime Corporation was dissolved with effect from 1 September 2007. The operations of the Corporation have been assumed by the new Administrative Unit, Defence SA.
- (3) Includes employees transferred from Domiciliary Care SA 1 July 2007, formerly reported under Health Units.
- (4) Excludes Bio Innovations SA, these are reported separately under Other Public Sector. For reporting purposes excludes TAFE84 employees as they do not meet the definition of a SA Public Sector employee.
- (5) Includes Police Security and Police Band.
- (6) Excludes the Office for Volunteers transferred to Attorney-General's Department January 2007. Excludes SA Local Government Grants Commission, who are reported separately from 2007 under Other Public Sector.
- (7) Includes Super SA and SAFA. Excludes Electorate Offices. These are reported separately under Other Public Sector. Includes employees of Shared Services SA, created on 15 October 2007.
- (8) Includes employees formerly reported separately under South Eastern Water Conservation and Drainage Board, incorporated 2008.
- (9) Formerly named Office of Zero Waste
- (10) The Adelaide Convention Centre (ACC) did not supply detailed employee data for June 2008.
- (11) The number and type of functions managed determines the amount of casual work available in each pay period. The figure provided is only representative of this organisation's workforce as at June 2008 and should not be considered an accurate reflection of the overall workforce for the 2007-2008 period.
- (12) Excludes persons employed under Special Acts and the Judicial Administration Act. These employees, including five statutory appointments, are now reported separately under 'Judiciary'.
- (13) Includes all persons employed under the Personal Assistants to the Members of the Parliament Enterprise Agreement.
- (14) These figures represent the total workforce of the Health Units incorporated under the SA Health Commission Act and the Institute of Medical and Veterinary Science Act. Excludes Domiciliary Care SA employees transferred to Department for Families and Communities 1 July 2007. Includes employees associated with transfer of management of Modbury Hospital back to the government of South Australia from 1 July 2007.
- (15) Does not include persons employed under Special Acts and the Judicial Administration Act who work in the Industrial Court System. Although Judicial Officers are not public sector employees, they are included in this report because they receive remuneration from the State of South Australia according to decisions made by the Remuneration Tribunal.
- (16) For the purposes of sick leave all members and casuals are removed from the average FTE for the period.
- (17) This organisation trades as SA Water.