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Disabled people are more likely to be off work sick

FACT: This is not true. There is no evidence that tells us that disabled people are more likely to miss work.

Being off work because of

a disability is not the same as time off for 'being sick'. Discounting disabilityrelated absence from sickness absence triggers and making separate provision for disability leave are forms of 'reasonable adjustments' that your employer can make to prevent discriminating against you.

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