

## RMG win health at work award for occupational health service delivered by Atos Healthcare

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Atos Healthcare, the number one occupational health provider in the UK<sup>1</sup> and a business division of Atos Origin, today announced that one of its clients – Royal Mail Group (RMG) - won the award for Health at Work at the Personnel Today Awards this week. Key to winning this award is the [employee assistance](#) and [occupational health](#) programmes delivered by Atos Healthcare.

RMG won this award in recognition of its health and wellbeing programme delivered with support from Atos Healthcare. The objective was to reduce avoidable absence - which was estimated at 5%, equating to a direct cost of £200 million - to the lowest practicable level and sustain this through an intensive period of operational and organisational change.

Working with Atos Healthcare, RMG is implementing new strategies including, return to work discussion training, expanding functional restoration and physiotherapy programmes as well as delivering health screenings for all. All these programmes have delivered good results with overall a more engaged and healthier workforce. For example, among the employees participating in the programmes for functional restoration and physiotherapy, [sickness absence](#) has reduced by 71%.

**Stephen Weston at RMG said:** Our people are our business which is why we place such importance and focus on their wellbeing. Working very closely with Atos Healthcare, our strategy is to touch and engage all employees to deliver better work experiences with tangible benefits to colleagues and RMG. We are delighted to win this award and confirm our commitment to continue our health and wellbeing programme.”

The Personnel Today Awards is the most prestigious event in the HR calendar and is set up to recognise and reward those teams making an impact with their people policies, successfully managing change and delivering great bottom-line business benefits.

### Notes

#### About Atos Origin

Atos Origin is an international provider of IT services. The company transforms the vision of the client into results by using hi-tech transaction services, advice, system integration and implementation

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<sup>1</sup> Based on market share and according to the latest UK Occupational Health Market Development Report, Market and Business Development 2008, published by MBD.





management. The company has an annual turnover of 5.1 billion Euros and employs 49,000 staff. Atos Origin is the worldwide partner of the Olympic Games and has a client base made up of countless internationally renowned companies across all sectors. Atos Origin is registered in the Paris Eurolist Market and operates under the names Atos Origin, Atos Wordline and Atos Consulting.

### **About Atos Healthcare**

Atos Healthcare, a division of Atos Origin, combines the Company's expertise in consulting, technology and healthcare to improve the way care is delivered. Services range from lean service transformation, commissioning, hosting and software development, through to disability assessments, occupational health and front line primary care. Atos Healthcare has over 3,000 staff, of whom around two-thirds are medical professionals. For more information, visit [www.atoshealthcare.com](http://www.atoshealthcare.com)

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