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Low pay, high workloads and understaffing are huge stressors in the workplace. UNISON negotiates with employers to improve pay, terms and conditions at work – which can improve stress levels and mental health for staff.





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Health and safety doesn't only mean slips and trips – it also includes risks to your mental health. Our health and safety representatives make sure that workplaces are safe, healthy and secure for you and your colleagues.





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UNISON reps support our members at work when they need some extra help – whether that is time off due to mental health problems or agreeing reasonable adjustments to support them to work as normal.





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Everyone is entitled to be treated with respect and dignity – but racism, sexism, disability discrimination, homophobia and transphobia in the workplace can have a huge effect on mental health. UNISON fights for equality for all workers, and we support our members to challenge unfair and unequal treatment, including all forms of prejudice and discrimination.





We campaign for the Right to Disconnect



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The Right to Disconnect is the right not to receive or respond to work-related messages, phone calls and emails outside of work hours. UNISON is campaigning for this to become the law – as it already is in other countries.





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We all have tough times occasionally
– and UNISON's welfare charity,
There For You, provides confidential
advice and support services for
members and their dependants.
We support members with financial
assistance, debt advice – or simply
someone to talk to about things that
are worrying you.

