



Statistics about mental health  
within the UK veterinary profession

**4**  
**1**  
**in**

***people in the UK have  
experienced a mental health  
problem in the last year***

**VETS**  
**are**



**more likely than the general  
population to die by suicide**



**75.5%**

**of vet students** wouldn't want anyone to know  
if they were suffering from a mental health  
problem, compared to



**41%**

**of the general population**



***38.7%***

of **vet students** have experienced  
**suicidal thoughts**