



SEVEN STEPS TO SUSTAINABLE HEALTHCARE

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Introduction to Sussex Community Trust

- > Formed in October 2010
- > Main provider of specialist community healthcare services in Brighton & Hove and West Sussex
- > £180M turnover
- > 4,300 staff & 9,000 patient interventions per day
- > 80 buildings over 825 square miles
- > Strategic partnership with Capita plc

Performance 2010 – 2014

INDICATOR	KPI	2015 Target	BASEYEAR Value	2013-2014 Value	2015 Target Value
 Carbon Footprint	tonnes CO2e	15%	6,273	5,318	5,332
 Energy Efficiency	kgCO2e/m2	15%	47.9	41.3	40.7
 Water Efficiency	m3/m2	15%	1.10	0.65	0.93
 Trust Vehicle Emissions	gCO2/km	15%	151.0	136.2	128.3
 Grey Fleet Mileage	miles claimed	15%	5,053,738	4,876,707	4,295,677
 General Waste Recycled	% recycled	65%	50%	62%	65%
 Clinical & Offensive Waste	% offensive	35%	0%	36%	35%



“we can all do something to make a difference.”



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Sustainability in action!

Why this is one of the Trust's top priorities is to reduce our carbon footprint. We know that the actions we take will have a positive impact on the environment and our health. We are committed to reducing our carbon footprint and we are looking for ways to do this. We are looking for ways to reduce our carbon footprint and we are looking for ways to do this. We are looking for ways to reduce our carbon footprint and we are looking for ways to do this.

- All our simple measures... (text about energy saving)
- Check water and PC... (text about energy saving)
- Use your existing... (text about energy saving)
- Answer questions... (text about energy saving)
- Use common... (text about energy saving)
- Energy saving... (text about energy saving)
- Communication... (text about energy saving)
- Travel week... (text about energy saving)



Frequently Asked Questions

- Q Can a contract... (text about energy saving)
- Q What should a... (text about energy saving)
- Q And please... (text about energy saving)

Travel week update

The week was a success with 7... (text about travel week)



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ADAPTATION

Ensuring our infrastructure and operations are resilient to climate change



PROCUREMENT

Creating an ethical and resource efficient supply chain



WELLBEING

Enhancing the wellbeing of our workforce



BUILDINGS

Reducing the environmental impact of our estate



CULTURE

Informing, empowering and motivating people to achieve sustainable healthcare



JOURNEYS

Minimising the health and environmental impact of travel



GOVERNANCE

Embedding sustainability in corporate governance structures

Seven steps to sustainable healthcare – Key Success Measures

- > By 2020 - absolute CO2 reduction from buildings energy consumption, transport & procurement of 34% reduction against our baseline;
- > 100% of Trust staff to receive training on sustainability in healthcare
- > Reduce sickness rate to below 4% & reduce the percentage of staff reporting work related stress;
- > Annual climate change adaptation risk assessment undertaken
- > To be recognised as the leading NHS service provider for sustainable development policy & practice.

Success factors & lessons learned

- > Keep it simple
- > Make the focus today with one eye on tomorrow
- > Get monitoring and reporting right
- > Needs strong leadership and a board level advocate
- > Involve staff wherever possible & get the language right
- > Look for opportunities to link sustainability to corporate objectives, strategies & targets
- > **Most importantly** - don't give up!

Questions?