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1. **Does your Trust measure its total carbon footprint? If yes, what is the carbon footprint of your Trust? (Please provide in tCO₂e and specify the date of measurement)**

Yes. NHS Wales produced a Carbon Foot-printing Report based on 2018/19 data through Carbon Trust Wales and Welsh Government Energy Service. The Health Board emissions account for 14% of the NHS Wales total of 1,001,378tCO₂e (140,193tCO₂e) – the date of measurement is 2018/2019.

2. **What steps has your Trust taken towards meeting the Greener NHS target of Net Zero by 2045?**

Welsh Government has published the NHS Wales Decarbonisation Strategic Delivery Plan which set out actions/objectives to be taken by Health Boards in order to make progress towards the 2030 net zero objective in Wales. The Health Board will be using this Strategy as a basis for our continued actions

3. **What percentage of your Trust energy consumption comes from fossil fuels?**

99% of space heating and DHW fuel is gas (1% is biomass based on 20/21 data)

4. **What steps is your Trust taking to reduce its fossil fuel consumption?**

Boiler upgrades, BMS controls upgrades

5. **How many vehicles are in your Trust's fleet?**

94

6. **How many of your Trust's fleet uses:**

A. Petrol/Diesel 92 (7 Petrol 85 Diesel)

B. Hybrid 0

C. Electric 2

7. **Does your Trust have a policy on reducing the use of single-use plastics (including for clinical and/or non-clinical items)? If yes, please provide details of this policy and the reduction achieved to date.**

NHS Wales Shared Services Partnership (NWSSP) and Procurement Services currently have the **Sustainable Procurement Code of Practice** in place which directs them to look to incorporate sustainable products and services across the supply chain and to work with suppliers to ensure they are focussed on this too. On the topic of single use plastics the code of practice dictates:

Our Aim: To reduce the amount of waste produced as a result of Procurement Services activities by encouraging the reduction, reuse and recycling of materials wherever possible.

What We Will Do:

The Welsh Government has set a target for all organisations to recycle at least 70% of waste by 2025. In accordance with NWSSP's Environmental Objectives, set for reporting period 2016-2017, we have committed to reducing the amount of waste sent to landfill by 5% year on year, working towards a Zero Waste Strategy. NWSSP is undertaking the following activities to support the delivery of these targets:

- Waste prevention/reduction – including a ban on the purchase of avoidable and problematic single use plastics, unless for hygiene and/or clinical procedures.*

- 8. Has your Trust received funding to spend specifically on sustainability and decarbonisation? If yes, please provide details on how much and over what time period.**

Welsh Government £1.9m decarbonisation funding for 2021/22

- 9. How much has your Trust spent in 2021 (including specific funding received and any other expenditure) on activities related to sustainability and decarbonisation?**

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