

Carbon Reduction Plan

Supplier name: Premiere Healthcare Limited

Publication date: 31st March 2024

Commitment to achieving Net Zero

Premiere Healthcare Limited is committed to achieving Net Zero emissions by **2040**.

Baseline Emissions Footprint

Baseline emissions are a record of the greenhouse gases that have been produced in the past and were produced prior to the introduction of any strategies to reduce emissions. Baseline emissions are the reference point against which emissions reduction can be measured.

Baseline Year: 01 January 2023 to 31 December 2023	
Additional Details relating to the Baseline Emissions calculations.	
This is our first report. Our baseline year is our fiscal year ending 31/12/2023.	
Baseline year emissions:	
EMISSIONS	TOTAL (tCO₂e)
Scope 1	66
Scope 2	4.3
Scope 3 (Included Sources)	637.3
Total Emissions	707.5

Current Emissions Reporting

Reporting Year: 01 January 2023 - 31 December 2023	
EMISSIONS	TOTAL (tCO₂e)
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Scope 3 categories: 01 January 2023 - 31 December 2023		tCO ₂ e
Cat 1	Purchased goods	604.6
Cat 2	Capital goods	20.6
Cat 3	Fuel transmission & distribution	0.4
Cat 4	Upstream transport & distribution	0.0
Cat 5	Waste	1.5
Cat 6	Business travel	2.1
Cat 7	Employee commuting	3.1
Cat 8	Upstream leased assets	0.00
Cat 9	Downstream transportation & distribution	0.00
Cat 15	Investments	5.00
Scope 3 Total		637.3

Emissions reduction targets

In order to continue our progress to achieving Net Zero, we have adopted the following carbon reduction targets:

- o We project that carbon emissions will decrease by 25% by the end of 2030 i.e., *** tCO₂e. We aim to achieve a:
 - 50% Scope 1 decrease in emissions by 2035 i.e., *** tCO₂e.
 - 40% Scope 2 decrease in emissions by 2040 i.e., *** tCO₂e.
 - 25% Scope 3 decrease in emissions by 2040 i.e., *** tCO₂e.
- We aim to achieve Net Zero by 2050.

Carbon Reduction Projects

In 2024 we will aim to implement further measures such as:

Reducing our premises footprint

- Continued energy efficiency measures across the property portfolio
- Switch to renewable energy where reasonable terms are available.
- Reducing waste to landfill through in-house recycling of packaging and the initiatives of our waste contractors.
- Install PVC curtains to contain heat within warehouses when external shutter doors are open.
- Upgrade our current 2x washing machines and 2x dryers to a larger modern energy efficient capacity single washer and a single dryer.
- Switch to low temperature detergent and de-stainer liquids – reducing our standard wash temperature from 60°C to 30°C
- Upgrade warehouse lighting systems from halogen & fluorescent fittings to LED units with PIR switching to turn of lighting when spaces are unoccupied.
- Upgrade the 20+ year-old gas powered air heating systems in the warehouse with modern energy efficient climate control systems.

Reducing emissions from business travel

- Reducing emissions from business travel by planning appointment times / dates in close locations to minimise mileage driven where possible
- Review the electrification of our fleet upon expiry of current leases / where appropriate

Influencing emissions reductions in our supply chain

- We recognise that we have limited control over our scope 3 emissions as over 80% is associated with product we buy and re-sell. We intend to engage with our supply chain to drive down the emissions and work with their specific data when it becomes available (rather than national / general data).
- Addressing “hot spots” in our supply chain e.g. encourage bulk deliveries where appropriate.
- Developing specific Scope 3 reduction targets aligned with net zero ambition

Governance, capacity building and culture

- Launch new emission reduction initiatives for all our businesses
- Responsible business training for all employees, including carbon reduction plan

Declaration and Sign Off

This Carbon Reduction Plan has been completed in accordance with PPN 06/21 and associated guidance and reporting standard for Carbon Reduction Plans.

Emissions have been reported and recorded in accordance with the published reporting standard for Carbon Reduction Plans and the GHG Reporting Protocol corporate standard¹ and uses the appropriate Government emission conversion factors for greenhouse gas company reporting².

Scope 1 and Scope 2 emissions have been reported in accordance with SECR requirements, and the required subset of Scope 3 emissions have been reported in accordance with the published reporting standard for Carbon Reduction Plans and the Corporate Value Chain (Scope 3) Standard³.

This Carbon Reduction Plan has been reviewed and signed off by the board of directors (or equivalent management body).

Signed on behalf of the Supplier:



Jessica Fairhurst
Managing Director
Date: 31st March 2024

¹ <https://ghgprotocol.org/corporate-standard>

² <https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/government-conversion-factors-for-company-reporting>

³ <https://ghgprotocol.org/standards/scope-3-standard>