

Paper 4

Recommendation	Trust Board		
☑ DECISION	is asked to NOTE the Good Corporate Citizen Annual Report 2017/18		
☑ NOTE			
Reporting to:	Trust Board		
Date	30 August 2018		
Paper Title	Good Corporate Citizen Annual Report		
Brief Description	The Trust has a strong reputation and has received national recognition for our sustainability initiatives over the last five years. In addition to the responsibility we take for the safety and health of our patients, visitors and staff, we are committed to the protection of the environment and improving the quality of life of the population we serve, so they may become the Healthiest Half Million on the planet.		
	The Good Corporate Citizen Annual Report (available in supplementary Information Pack) describes how we aim to create sustainable value with everything we do, and highlights our achievements over 2017/18; alongside the presentation being provided by the Director of Corporate Governance.		
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Recommended / escalated by	Workforce Committee		
Previously considered by	Workforce Committee		
Link to strategic objectives	All		
Link to Board Assurance Framework	If we do not develop real engagement with our staff and our community we will fail to support an improvement in health outcomes and deliver our service vision (RR 1186).		
Outline of	Public representation at GCC Group.		
public/patient involvement	Public engagement programmeVolunteering programme		
Equality Impact Assessment	Stage 1 only (no negative impacts identified) Stage 2 recommended (negative impacts identified) * EIA must be attached for Board Approval C negative impacts have been mitigated		
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Good Corporate Citizen

Annual Report 2017/18



NHS



Our Sustainable Future

Julia Clarke
Director of Corporate Governance and
Good Corporate Citizen Lead

The responsibility that we as a health care service have towards our patients, visitors, our people and society as a whole, has shaped the Trust. In conducting our business, we want to create sustainable value through innovative solutions. This conviction is the foundation on which the strong engagement of our people and the long-term successful development of SaTH is built. Our ambition to operate sustainably not only throughout the Trust but along our entire value chain. This can help to improve our efficiency, and reduce risks.

With its global sustainability and climate protection goals, the international community has made enormous progress toward a common understanding of the priorities. We want to actively contribute to the implementation of these goals. To achieve this, however, sustainability must also be firmly embedded throughout business and society. In playing our part, we are engaging with our people, utilising their knowledge and expertise, developing partnerships in all areas of our activities, and finally relying on the strength of our reputation as a sector leader in sustainability matters.

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We are immensely proud of our sustainability programme; we aim to create sustainable value with everything we do together with our staff, partners and stakeholders. The Trust has a strong reputation and has received **national recognition** for our sustainability initiatives over the last five years. In addition to the responsibility we take for the safety and health of our patients, visitors and staff, we are committed to the protection of the environment and improving the quality of life of the population we serve, so they may become the **Healthiest Half Million** on the planet. In 2017, SaTH was again a finalist across five categories at the NHS Sustainability Awards, **winning the Travel and Transport award outright**, and confirming our excellent performance among the leading healthcare organisations and our commitment to leadership in sustainability. We have achieved success through focusing our efforts through a five-year Sustainable Development Management Plan (SDMP) which commenced back in 2014.

We are always delighted to receive comments and suggestions regarding sustainability matters which can be directed via our dedicated email: **sath.sustainability@nhs.net**

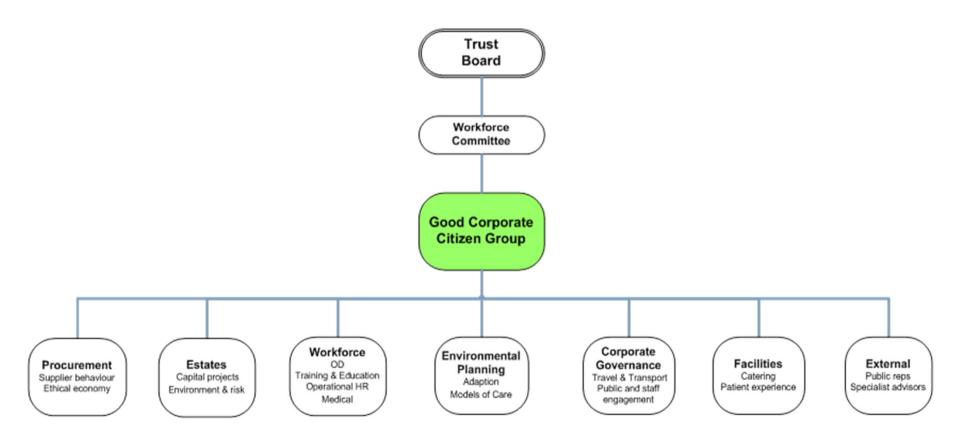
Aims of our programme



Reporting and Governance

The Good Corporate Citizen Group has multi disciplinary representation in its membership. The Group reports directly to Workforce Committee and a summary of Group activity goes to the Trust Board six-monthly.

Sustainable Development Governance Framework



How do we drive Sustainability at SaTH?

We are facing immense challenges: The global environmental footprint of humankind is already greater today than the planet's resources can sustain. For this reason, we need our ensure our services enhance the quality of life while consuming less input materials.

We aim to use our experience in sustainability to develop and implement solutions that are fit for the future together with our partners.

We aim to strengthen our foundation, boost employee engagement, and maximise our impact. To reflect the growing importance of sustainability for our stakeholders and our long-term sustainability, we are focusing on three key drivers:

1. Consolidate and improve

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2. Meaningful engagement



3. Focus on key areas



Overview of our Sustainability Strategy

What are our sustainability aspirations?

We are committed to leadership in sustainability – this is one of our corporate objectives. As sustainability leaders, we aim to pioneer new solutions while developing our services responsibly.

What strategy are we pursuing?

Our ambition is to achieve more with less. This means we create more value for our service users, for the communities we serve, and for our organisation – with a reduced environmental footprint.

What targets have we set ourselves?

Our 20-year goal for 2030 is to double the value we create for the footprint made by our operations and services. To achieve this, our ambition is to become twice as efficient.

What are our priorities for the coming years?

1. Consolidate and improve

We already have a strong foundation with a successful track record. On the road to our long - term goal, we intend to further improve our performance over the coming years.

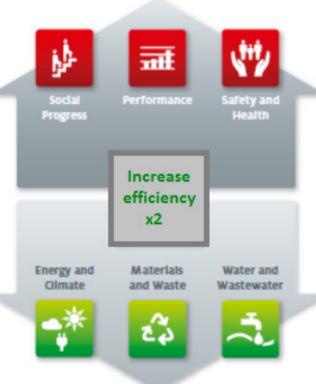
2. Meaningful engagement

We want to further develop and foster the commitment of our staff to sustainability. Our staff make the difference – with their dedication, skills and knowledge.

3. Focus on key areas

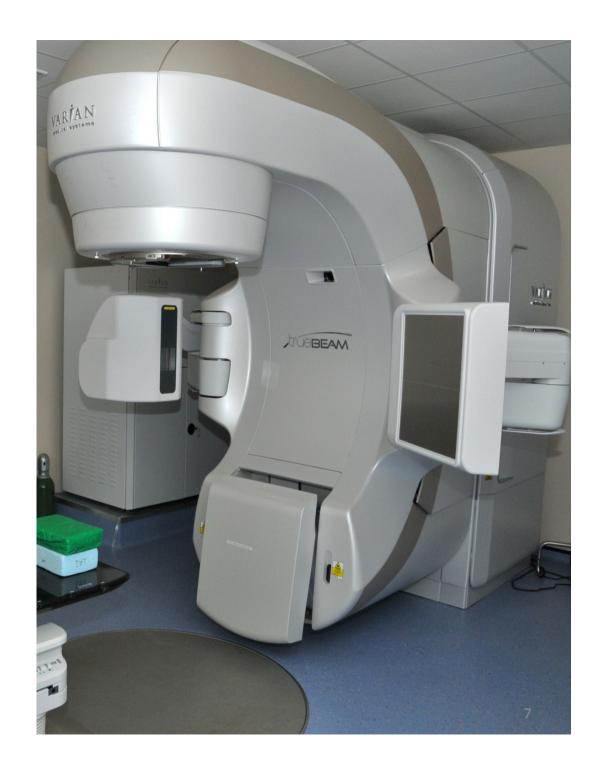
We want to strengthen our contributions to addressing major global challenges and minimise the impact of our services on the environment.

Deliver more value



at a reduced footprint

Our performance

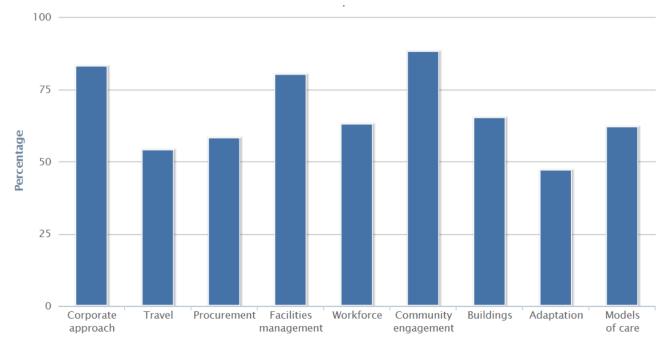


Sustainable Development Assessment

SDU 'Good Corporate Citizen' assessment framework (Feb-17)

- Introduced in 2008, the GCC framework was designed to help NHS organisations assess their sustainable development
- Identifies how local action is contributing to the UN Millennium Goals (to 2015, since replaced with UN Sustainable Development Goals)
- Supports design of Sustainable Development Management Plan
- Contains 448 statements within nine core areas we self assess our progress against each statement

SaTH's GCC self assessment 2017 - we scored 65% overall



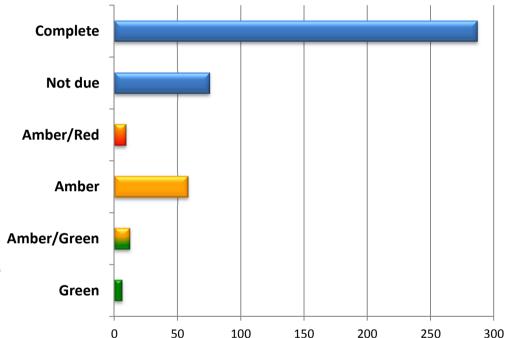
How we have performed

Since our SDMP was launched in 2014, we have achieved a great deal

We assess our performance over nine core areas:

- Corporate Approach
- Travel
- Procurement
- Facilities Management
- Workforce
- Community Engagement
- Buildings
- Adaption
- Models of care

At the end of 17/18, of the **448** statements with the GCC assessment we:



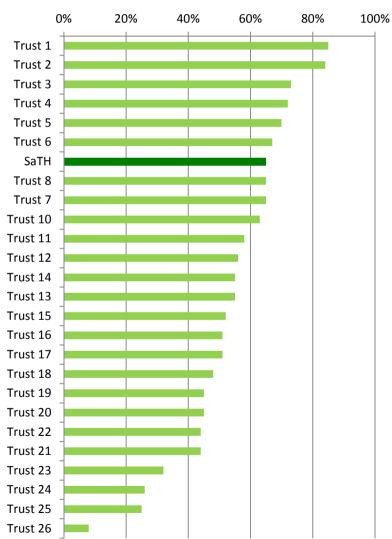
SDMP - 2017/18 closing position

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Being a Good Corporate Citizen

Measured against the GCC tool, SaTH is a leading light

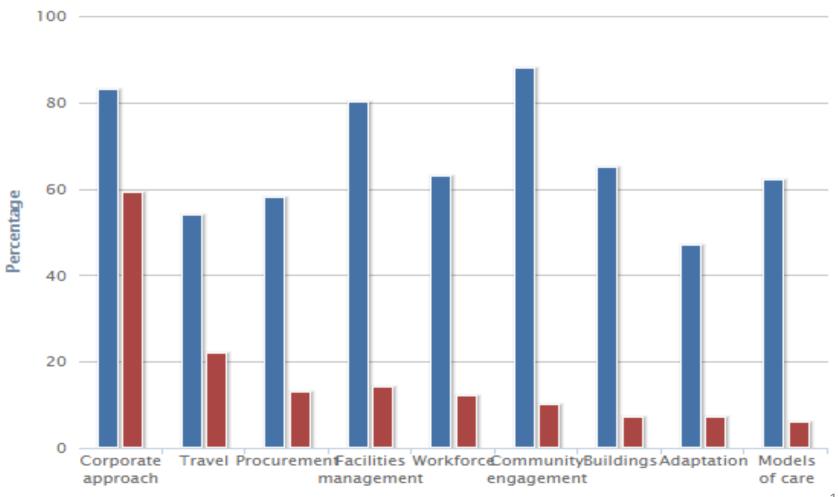




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Benchmarked performance

How SaTH (blue bars) compared with the combined scores of 26 other NHS organisations which submitted a self—assessment against the GCC tool. In 17/18, SaTH was the **ninth best performing Trust** in England.



NHS Sustainability Awards 2017

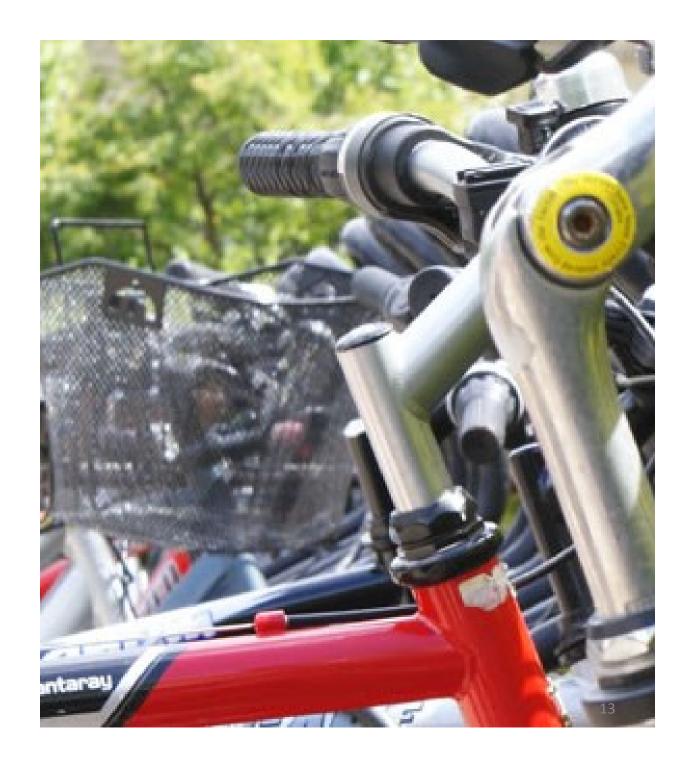
For the fourth year in succession, the Trust was a finalist in the national NHS Sustainability Awards. The Awards were announced at a presentation event held at Imperial College, London in May 2017.

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Pictured L-R: Tony Holt (Sustainability Programme Manager), Paul Adams (Procurement), Dame Barbara Hakin, Julia Clarke (Director of Corporate Governance), Charlotte Hill, (Procurement), Alex Ford (Sustainable Travel Plan Coordinator), Chris Bennett (Sustrans - sponsor)

Our progress



Headline achievements



Energy

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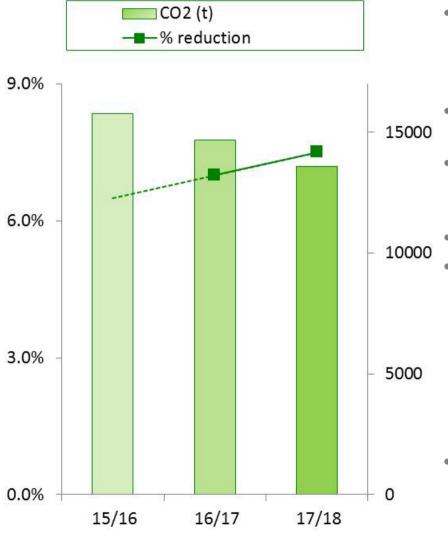


Reuse

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Carbon reduction

SaTH participates in the national CRC Energy Efficiency Scheme (formerly known as the "Carbon Reduction Commitment") - a levy for each tonne of CO₂ emitted by the organisation



- CO₂ emissions reduced by 1,107 tonnes (approx. 7.5 %) compared with the previous year (when we made a reduction of 1,112 tonnes (7%) against the year before
- This is a reduction of c.£12k in 'Allowance' costs compared with the previous year
- Achieved with significantly reduced CHP* output, owing to major technical problems with the PRH unit
- Winter was c.5% colder than previous year
- Overall energy usage (gas and electricity) increased by only 1% when compared to previous year due to:
 - LED lighting installation
 - steam trap repairs
 - waste food digesters (reducing hot water usage)
 - theatre ventilation controls (RSH)
 - adjustments to the heating control system
- The annual cost of the CRC was £240k (£252k in previous reporting year)

^{*} CHP - combined heat and power. A cogeneration system that produces heat and electrical power from gas simultaneously

Procurement and supply - our value chain

This is how, together with our partners, we are improving sustainability along our value chain which benefits our environment as well as promoting health and wellbeing







- What we buy and who we buy from
- Encouraging innovation



Encouraging ethical practices



- Preference to local suppliers
- Promoting healthy food options



Improving environmental impact



- Reuse
- Circular economy

Health and wellbeing

To ensure we stay connected with the world around us, to focus on why sustainability is important



Key partnerships with Shropshire Wildlife Trust, NHS Forest and Praise Bee Charity to attract and conserve wildlife, reintroduction of native species, tree planting and pollinators

Reducing and avoiding pollution, improving air quality, up-keep of our outdoor spaces for the benefit and enjoyment of patients, visitors and staff

To help with maintain mental and physical health, keeping fit and well and connecting with our external environment

Sustainable Development Charter - On A Page

The SaTH Sustainability Charter shows a commitment by the Trust to place the principles of social, environmental and economic sustainability at the foundation of the decisions we make. It is about taking the right choices and doing the right things.



Our Vision

How we can build a Sustainable Future for the Trust

- To be an organisation that values and supports sustainable development, and recognises the important contribution it
 makes to our community
- Move towards "triple-bottom line" accounting as a standard corporate practice and develop an Action Framework based on:
 - Social, Economic and Environmental factors
 - Spheres of Control and Influence
 - Short, Medium and Long Term Time Frames

Our Objectives

Building on the foundations of our Sustainable Development Management Plan

- SaTH values and protects its natural environment through **stewardship of its estate**, enhancement of its natural areas and biodiversity
- We lead the way in **sustainable design**, "green" buildings and "green" infrastructure
- We provide **transportation solutions**, with a focus on the efficient movement of people and goods, not just vehicles
- We incorporate and encourage **sustainable energy sources**, and strive for carbon neutrality and minimal net impact from waste
- We are an organisation that fosters local employment opportunities and favours "green" businesses including a sustainable agricultural base and local food security
- In addition to a range of excellent health services, SaTH has a network of recreational and cultural opportunities that
 promote active living and enhance physical and emotional wellbeing
- We embrace our cultural diversity and promote tolerance, linking directly with our organisational values

Our Outcomes

How we will know we are being successful

- **Develop and monitor indicators** clearly related to our vision and objectives which are:
 - Measurable and easily understood
 - Comprised of data that is readily available and will remain available over time
 - Able to measure current performance against past performance; and
 - Achievable within a reasonable time frame with available resources
- To achieve national recognition for our success in sustainability initiatives



SaTH at a glance 2017/18

Nearly

£360m

Turnover

Nearly

£3m

Energy costs

Over

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Around

£0.75m

Waste disposal, recycling, recovery and preparing for re-use costs

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830,000

Business miles

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Our people

Making a contribution

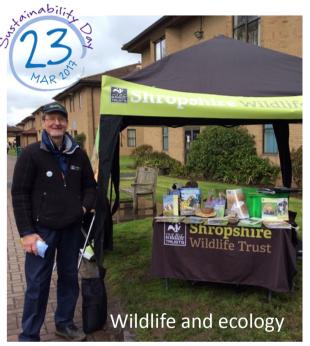
We want to do more than just communicate information about sustainability to our staff. We also want to motivate them to become involved in sustainability. We have leaders with the skills and knowledge not only to make a contribution but also to act as our ambassadors to encourage others to engage with the topic of sustainability.

- We have a clear process to ensure we engage with staff on issues of sustainable development policy.
- Our staff induction and training refers to more holistically sustainable (clinically, socially, environmentally as well as financially) care models.
- We conduct regular staff surveys and report back on their findings. We have used this data to develop an action plan on staff wellbeing.
- We have developed a Transforming Care Institute which spearheads significant changes to our organisational design through our Sustainable Services Programme
- We have developed a Leadership Academy to help us develop an organisational culture that is innovative, safe and kind





Staff Engagement



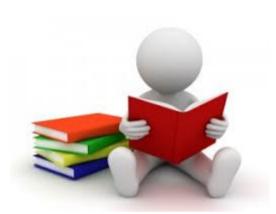








Community Engagement



Reader Panel



Staff Recruitment



Service Development





Volunteering



Patient Experience

Partnership development

We have developed key partnerships with stakeholding organisations to really drive sustainability throughout the organisation. Although some are commercial organisations, we have benefited from their understanding of wellbeing benefits which go hand-in-hand with a healthy environment.

We have nurtured our green spaces with expert help from our partners, to protect and respect our natural environment, promote biodiversity and safeguard natural resources.











Next steps

The Trust is using the new SDU Sustainable Development Assessment Tool (SDAT) from March-18. There are four cross cutting themes that cut across the ten modules within the new assessment framework, and are linked to the UN Sustainable Development Goals:

1. Core responsibilities

Eg Carbon/CHGs, Corporate Approach, Capital Projects

2. Governance and policy

Eg Travel and Logistics, Adaption

Procurement and supply chain

Eg Asset management and utilities, Sustainable use of resources

4. Working with staff, patients and communities

Eg Our People, Green Spaces and biodiversity, Sustainable Care Models





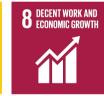
































Strategic Plan 18/19





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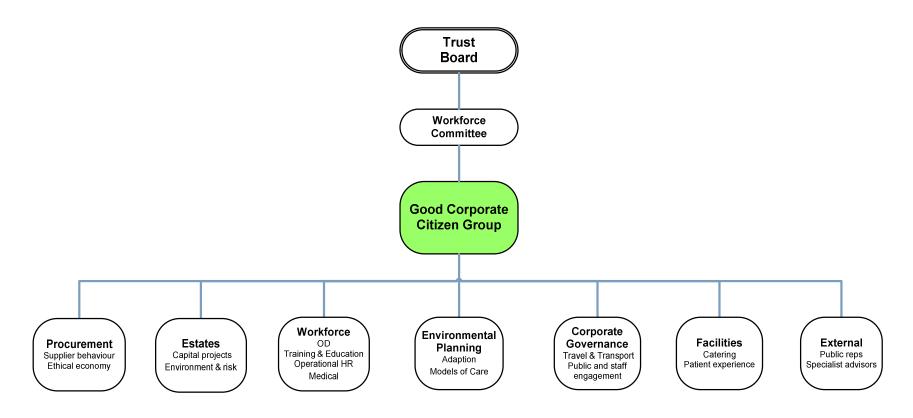
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Julia Clarke Summary presentation July 2018



Reporting and Governance

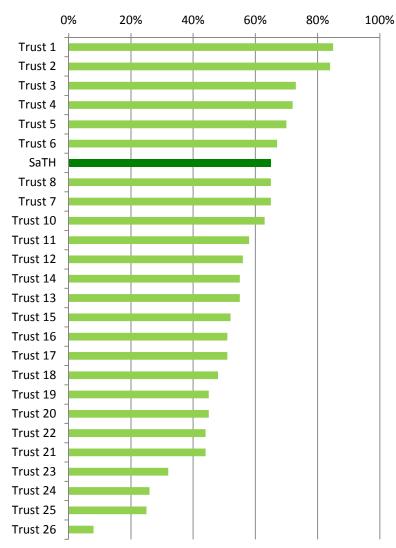
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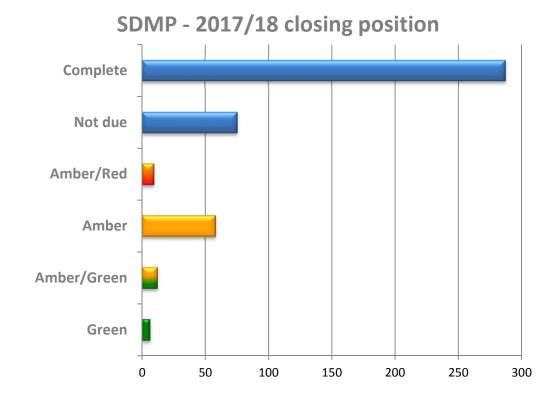


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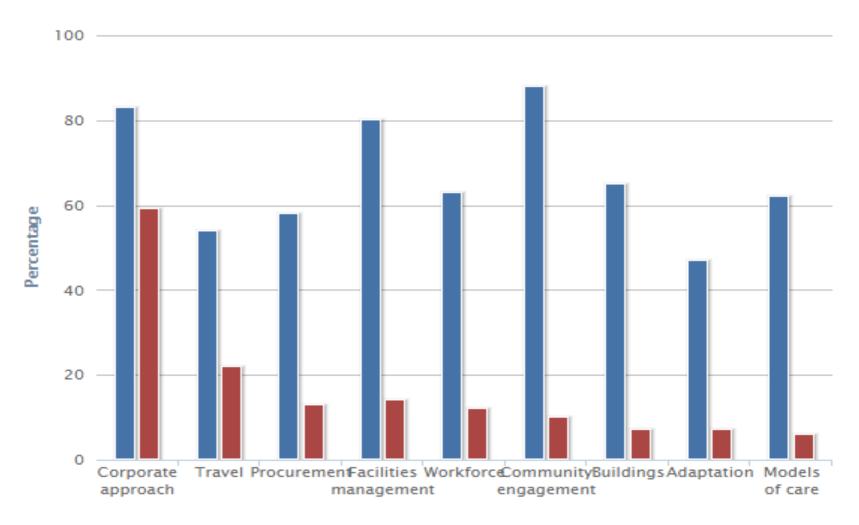
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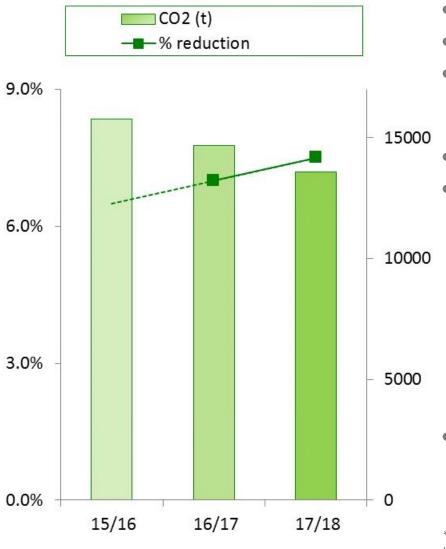
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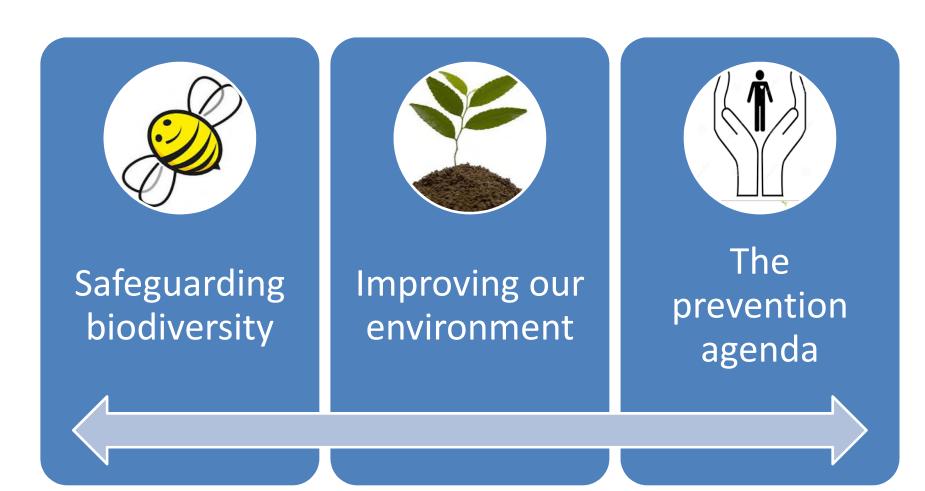
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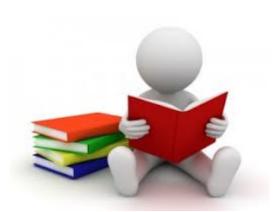








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- 4. Working with staff, patients and communities eg: Our People, Green Spaces and biodiversity, Sustainable Care Models
- 5. Shortlisted in five categories in National SDU Awards November 2018
- 6. Strategic Plan 2018/19



New Hospitals









Carbon Work



