



Public Procurement Notice (PPN) 06/21)

NECS Carbon Reduction Plan (CRP) 2021/22

NECS within the supplier's organisation has demonstrated a clear commitment to reducing carbon emissions at the highest level.

In accordance with public procurement notice (PPN) 06/21, the following link illustrates the NECS Carbon Reduction Plan (CRP) 2021/22, which details NECS carbon footprint and how it will achieve NetZero carbon emissions.

[NECS Carbon Reduction Plan](#)

NECS is committed to achieving the following NHS Net Zero targets:

1. To achieve Net Zero for carbon emissions it can control (the NHS Carbon Footprint) by 2040
2. To achieve Net Zero for carbon emissions it can influence (NET Zero Footprint Plus) by 2045.

The NECS Carbon Reduction Plan meets the PPN 06/21 requirement for suppliers on CCS frameworks (which includes NECS) for the bidding of relevant contracts.

The Carbon Reduction Plan has been developed by the NECS Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) Group in partnership with CSU colleagues and the NHSE/I CSR Manager to drive forward the organisational approach to achieving NET Zero.

The Carbon Reduction Plan 2021/2022 was approved by Executive Directors and the NECS Strategic Board on 24th September 2021 and the plan will be reviewed annually.

A NECS CRP "Task & Finish Group" comprising of key stakeholders will progress the plan and incorporate this into the NECS CSR Delivery Tool.

CSR Delivery Tool updates will be presented to the Corporate Social Responsibility Group, the Integrated Governance Risk Committee for monitoring, assurance & review and then subsequently to Executive Group for review and approval.