

## Sustainability

**Blacks Vets Hospital acknowledges that operations affect the environment in many ways. As such, are committed to the continual improvement of our environmental performance with our services and operations.**

Blacks Vets are proud to have Bronze accreditation from Investors in the Environment (iE) for the last four years and currently now hold Silver accreditation.

**We have identified the following key environmental aspects that contribute to our carbon footprint:**

- Consumption of electricity, gas, water and other fuels
- Use of anaesthetic gases
- Waste generation
- Transport emissions
- Use of raw materials, including prescribed drugs and medicines
- Procured goods and services with their environmental impact

**Our environmental commitment can be demonstrated in our established objectives and goals below:**

- Compliance with applicable environmental regulations and public/customer expectations
- Monitoring our key resource usage and implementing conservation techniques to achieve our environmental targets
- Implement a waste/recycling policy
- Minimising unsustainable transport use
- Working with suppliers to ensure they acknowledge and decrease the environmental impact of their products and transportation

The introduction and implementation of the Environmental Policy is a commitment of Blacks Vets management and shared responsibility with our Associates. Tracey Tripicchio is the Sustainability Champion and has designated responsibility for the day-to-day implementation of this policy.

As part of the Black Vets' overall environment management planned, the policy will be reviewed annually.

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