

FOI REF: 26/014

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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT

I am responding to your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act. The answers to your specific questions are as follows:

Please provide a response to the following questions about East Sussex Healthcare NHS Trust:

1. Does the trust have a published 'Green Plan'?

Yes

This should be the document that was produced as part of the requirements in the 2021/22 NHS Standard Contract. This is the advice provided by NHS England describing it's production.

a. If so, when was this published?

2021, this is currently being refreshed inline with NHS England requirements and will be published in the spring of 2026.

b. If so, please provide a copy of it.

The current Green Plan can be found on our Website via the following link: - [ESHT Green Plan 02.indd](#)

2. Does the trust have a named sustainability lead?

The Trust has engaged the Care Without Carbon Team of Sussex Community Foundation NHS Trust to provide our sustainability and energy services.

3. Is the trust a member of a procurement hub?

Yes, NHS Commercial Solutions.

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If I can be of any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me.

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Yours sincerely

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