

# Sustainability – What can be done in our clinics?

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# Objectives:

By the end of the presentation, the participants will be able to:

1. Define sustainability in the healthcare setting.
2. Demonstrate knowledge regarding the environmental impact of the healthcare system.
3. Identify strategies for resource efficiency in the clinical setting.
4. Integrate sustainable alternatives for frequently used materials in daily clinical practice.

Climate change is the greatest global health threat facing the world  
in the 21st century.

Sustainability in healthcare means ensuring future generations have their health needs addressed.

Within the healthcare system, clinics contribute a significant proportion of emissions.

Look for opportunities to swap for sustainable alternatives.

Often, best practice aligns with resource efficiency (deprescribing when appropriate and choosing wisely)