

# Sustainability and Social Value (SSV)

**Workstream Key Objectives** 





## NHS PiP SSV Workstream Key Objectives:

The key objectives for the NHS PiP Sustainability & Social Value workstream are to:

#### • Establish an NHS PiP SSV presence and visibility

- There is currently an SSV representative sitting in each of the other NHS PiP workstreams to ensure:
  - SSV is considered in all decision-making
  - information on key SSV focus areas is shared with other workstreams
  - workstreams are aware of national SSV policy e.g. PPN 06/20 and PPN 06/21 and how NHS PiP are approaching this
  - Hub webpages to be developed to show our NHS PiP SSV offer with agreed consistent message

### • Develop a SSV proposition/offer

- o The NHS PiP SSV team to maximise its impact in the following focus areas:
  - Sustainability Working with national/regional teams to deliver a net zero NHS by 2045
  - Social Value Levelling up communities
  - Modern slavery Tackling Modern Slavery and uphold labour standards
- Ensure strong relationships are developed with relevant stakeholders from the national Central Commercial Function (CCF) team
  - A representative from the CCF Sustainable Procurement team has been invited to attend NHS PiP SSV workstream meetings

#### NHS PiP SSV Workstream Key Areas of Focus:

- Sustainability Net Zero Targets
  - Identify their regional Greener NHS teams to work with them to deliver against the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) targets for Net Zero which for 23/24 include:
    - Supporting NHS trusts and ICSs to adopt PPN 06/20 so that all new NHS procurements include a minimum 10% net zero and social value weighting from April 2022
    - Ensuring procurement teams have identified suppliers requiring a carbon reduction plan to qualify for NHS contracts from April 2023 (contract over £5M annually)
    - Ensuring procurement teams have identified suppliers requiring a carbon reduction plan from April 2024 onwards (contracts over minimum procurement thresholds)
    - Achieving a 50% reduction in use of office paper by 2025 compared to baseline
    - Ensuring ICSs and constituent NHS trusts only purchase 100% recycled content paper for all office and non-office-based functions by 2025



# Procurement in Partnership

The Collaboration of NHS Procurement Hubs

- 65% of trusts in the region (where relevant) to operate walking aid refurbishment schemes, with at least a 20% return rate, by end of March 2023
- Engage with innovative suppliers in the pursuit of sustainable solutions to support the NHS in their goal to reach Net Zero.
  - NHS PiP has created a register for supplier offers which can be used in workshops and planning discussions with workstreams/members

# Social Value- Levelling up communities

- Review the outputs of the NHS LPP pan-London approach to Social value including a tracking and monitoring tool to establish whether this would work in other regions to create a standardised approach across the membership.
  - NHS LPP will share regular insight reports from the tool with NHS PiP to facilitate this
- Develop "How to" guides for large scalable projects e.g. two areas (these are just examples, need to develop a range of how to guides) NHS LPP are involved with:
  - collaborative Power Purchase Agreements (PPAs)
  - EV telematics pilots
- Ensure its portfolio is Social Value compliant by completing the following actions:
  - Each hub to review supplier list by framework to identify which agreements are (i) compliant (ii) enabled and (iii) non-compliant;

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- Tag agreements on hub websites;
- Issue communications to suppliers/members to highlight the change

#### Modern Slavery

 Align with the work the CCF are doing in this area to ensure we can create a standardised approach to Modern Slavery (PPN 02/23) regionally and will share developments as they emerge