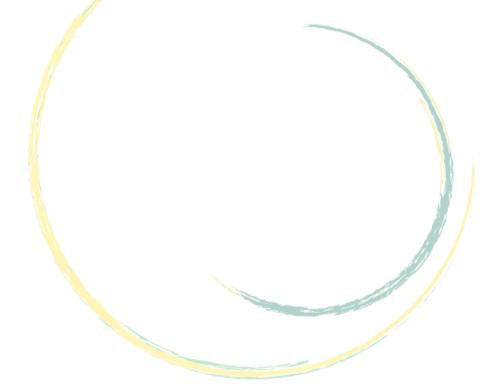


EEAST Monthly Update June 2021

Report Period: June 2021



Key Highlights

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Final call to complete the sustainability staff surveys

There is still time to share your thoughts. Thought May we have posted a series of sustainability surveys to hear your thoughts on all thing's sustainability. We have had great ideas so far, but you still have time to share your thoughts with us. We would like to thank everyone who has taken the time to respond. If you missed any, please find the series of surveys linked later on in this report.



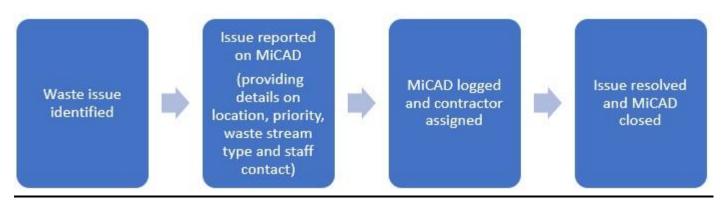
Sustainable Paper

Through the use of procuring paper from a Carbon Neutral supplier, in June 2021 alone 32 trees were saved and 1,025g of CO2 compared to using a non-sustainable supplier.



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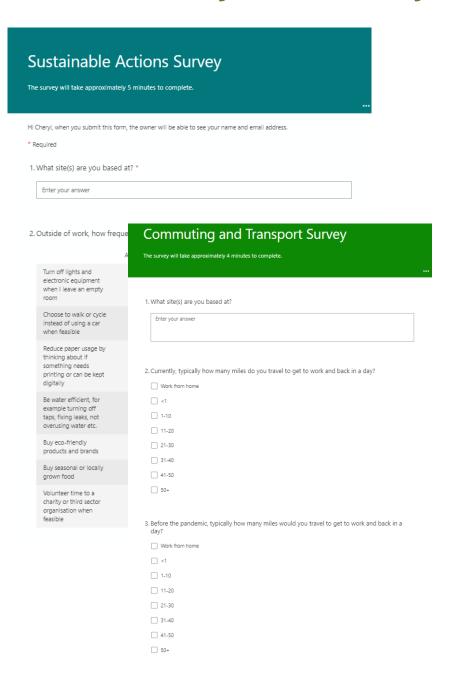


Please ensure that MiCAD is used to log issues onsite relating to all waste streams including:

- Clinical
- Mixed recycling & general
- Battery
- Waste electric and electronic equipment (WEEE)
- Metal
- Wood
- General items (furniture etc.)

You can log on to MiCAD here.

Sustainability Staff Surveys



During May, the sustainability team have published a short survey every week with each survey covering a different topic surrounding matters of sustainability. We know a lot of our staff already consider sustainability to be a really important topic, many of our colleagues are already green at home and have ideas about how this could translate in the workplace. The surveys are a great way of getting a clearer picture of staff habits and opinions and the results will help us to understand where we should be focusing future sustainability projects.

If you missed any of the surveys please find them below:

Electric Vehicles and Active Travel Survey

Sustainable Actions Survey

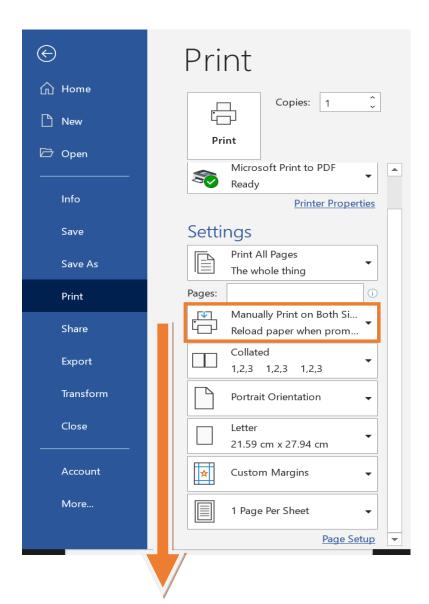
Waste and recycling survey

Commuting and Transport Survey



Energy Management

Each month we will be giving a quick and easy tip to reduce energy consumption in the workplace!



Think before you print: only print when you have to and always try to print double-sided.

Clinical Waste

It is clear the impact of COVID-19 has had on the volume of clinical waste being generated through our day-to-day operations. When comparing data between 2019/20 and 2020/21, in every month the Trust has generated more tonnes of clinical waste this year compared to the previous. However, April 2021 goes against this trend having a lower rate of collected tonnes than April 2020.



Upcoming Sustainability Dates – July

Why not get involved in some of the upcoming sustainability days?

Mon	Tues	Weds	Thurs	Fri	Sat	Sun
			1 Plastic Free July	2	3 International Plastic Bag Free Day	4
5	6	7	8	9	10 Don't step on a bee day	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23 Love Parks Week	24 National Marine Week	25
26	27	28 World Nature Conservation Day	29 International Tiger Day	30	31	

What do you think?

Let us know what you think of the latest EEAST monthly news update, or what you would like to see more of: sustainability@eastamb.nhs.uk