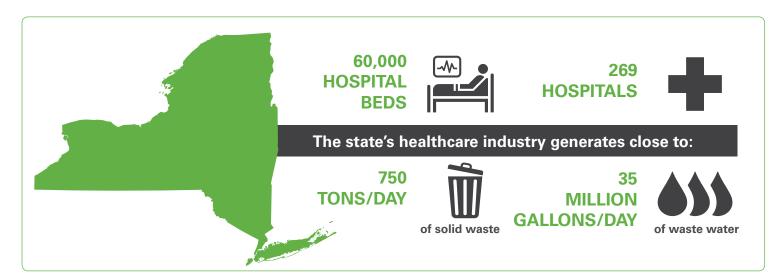
NEW YORK STATE HEALTHCARE INDUSTRY





Hospitals are under increasing pressure to provide high quality care while reducing costs. In addition to improving the environmental health of their communities, healthcare institutions in New York State and around the country are realizing the value of adopting sustainable practices as a means to reduce costs without compromising quality care.

Learn how healthcare facilities are reducing costs and operating more efficiently.

Actions	Outcomes
 Create a sustainability team Conduct simple regulated medical waste audits Observe and measure food waste Implement environmentally preferable purchasing (EPP) Train staff on proper disposal methods Implement continuous improvement practices 	 Spend less on purchasing products Save cost on waste disposal Create a healthier environment for patients and staff Divert food from landfill and out of your MSW stream Improve communication with suppliers Drive demand for sustainable alternatives to products

How can New York State healthcare facilities benefit?

New York State Pollution Prevention Institute (NYSP2I) will work to identify relevant operational data and conduct on-site observations of processes and material handling. After identifying opportunities for improvements and/or savings, NYSP2I can also perform detailed technical and economic feasibility analyses of the improvement options identified and provide expected cost savings and anticipated environmental benefits.

Learn more about what NYSP2I has done in this sector.

Clients









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