

Green Procurement at Medi Assist

Medi Assist is aligned to its commitment towards sustainable growth; Medi Assist is keen to incorporate environmental considerations in its purchasing decisions to minimize the environmental impact across the lifecycle of the products and services which it procures. In line with Medi Assist sustainability objectives, the key pillars of our green procurement philosophy comprise of reduced use of toxic substances, conservation of natural resources, minimizing waste generation & release of pollutants/emissions and maximizing reusability and recyclability across the value chain of the product/service. Medi Assist encourages use of products or services which adopt the cradle-to-cradle approach and design for environment principles which are essential for long-term sustainability.

Medi Assist ranks environmental sustainability as one of its top priorities and is committed to following responsible business practices by contributing to environmental protection and enhancing people performance by green procurement and services while ensuring business growth for its supply chain.

Medi Assist shall strive to include the following considerations into procurement decisions for capital assets as well as consumable supplies for its establishments:

- Compliance to all relevant international/national/local regulatory compliance requirements
- Minimum/no use of hazardous or toxic substances
- Intrinsically safe designs including all safeguards and controls to prevent any health and safety risks to people
- Reusability, recyclability and use of recycled content involve or encourage lesser consumption of resources like energy, water and other natural resources
- Encouraging suppliers to deliver products/services with minimal negative impact on environment and adopt safe practices in the cycle from production to delivery.
- Compliance to all relevant international/national/local regulatory compliance requirements
- Preferring products that are eco-friendly, energy efficient and less polluting,
- Disposing goods to authorized agencies in environmentally friendly manner.
- Procuring products and services that have a minimal negative impact on the environment
- Compliance to all relevant international/national/local regulatory compliance requirements
- Minimum/no use of hazardous or toxic substances
- Intrinsically safe designs including all safeguards and controls to prevent any health and safety risks to people
- Monitor, evaluate sustainability performance and identify improvement opportunities
- Reduce environmental footprint by means of material, energy & water conservation
- Promote sustainability within their own supply chain