**Carbon Reduction Plan**

Supplier name: **Edge Health Ltd**

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# **Commitment to achieving Net Zero**

# **Edge Health** is committed to achieving Net Zero emissions by **2040, 10 years ahead of the UK Government’s Net-Zero target.**

# **Baseline Emissions Footprint**

Baseline emissions are a record of the greenhouse gases that have been produced in the past and were produced prior to the introduction of any strategies to reduce emissions. Baseline emissions are the reference point against which emissions reduction can be measured.



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| **Baseline Year: 2023** | |
| **Additional Details relating to the Baseline Emissions calculations.** | |
| *Add commentary regarding your Baseline Emissions as required: e.g. historic baseline which deviates from the requirements under this measure (e.g. no prior Scope 3 emissions reporting), where there is no previous reporting and the creation of a new baseline due to substantial organisational change or restructuring.*  **We have no previous emissions reporting for Scope 3. Our assumptions for Scope 3 emissions include business travel and employee commuting (see inline spreadsheet above for working of Edge Health Carbon Emissions 2022).** | |
| **EMISSIONS** | **TOTAL (tCO2e)** |
| **Scope 1:**  *Direct GHG emissions occurring from sources that are owned or controlled by the company. E.g. emissions from combustion in owned or controlled boilers or vehicles, fleet vehicles, air conditioning.* | **0** *Note: Edge Health rents office space and does not own appliances or fleet vehicles that emit GHG emissions.* |
| **Scope 2**  *Accounts for indirect GHG emissions from the generation of purchased or acquired electricity, steam, heating or cooling consumed by the company.* | **8.27 tCO2e** |
| **Scope 3**  *Accounts for all other indirect emissions. These emissions are not a consequence of the activities of the company, but occur from sources not owner or controlled by the company. Examples include:*   * *Purchased goods and services* * *Business travel* * *Employee commuting* * *Waste disposal* | **7.28 tCO2e** |
| **Total Emissions** | **15.55 tCO2e** |

**We have reported our emissions for 2022/23 but have moved offices since, and our electricity, heating and cooling is now 100% green energy. We have therefore not previously assessed or reported emissions based on our new environment and full working and assumptions are included in the following excel spreadsheet.**



**Current Emissions Reporting**

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| **Reporting Year: 2024 (1st December YTD)**  **We plan to use utility bills to track our Scope 2 & Scope 3 emissions to compare against our baseline.** | |
| **EMISSIONS** | **TOTAL (tCO2e)** |
| **Scope 1** | **0**  *Note: Edge Health rents office space and does not own appliances or fleet vehicles that emit GHG emissions.* |
| **Scope 2** | **0**  *Note: Based on our use of 100% green energy from Octopus (REGO-backed) and the UK Government 2024 GHG Conversion Factors, using the Market-based method.* |
| **Scope 3**  **(Included Sources)** | **10.76**  *Note: We use First mile for waste disposal and waste management. First Mile ensures zero waste goes to landfill.* |
| **Total Emissions** | **10.76** |

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# **Emissions reduction targets**

# In order to continue our progress to achieving Net Zero, we have adopted the following carbon reduction targets: **net-zero by 2040**.

# We project that carbon emissions will decrease from 10.76 t CO₂e in 2024 to 0.0 t CO₂e by the year 2040, in line with our last reporting projection (Refer to: 2022 Baseline Projections).

# Progress against these targets can be seen in the graph below:

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# **Carbon Reduction Projects**

The following environmental management measures and projects have been completed or implemented since the 2022 baseline.

We have plans to record the carbon emission reduction achieved by these schemes equate to and measure these against the 2022 baseline and the measures will be in effect when performing the contract – **it is important to note that we have carbon reduction schemes to put in place in the new calendar year (2024) detailed below.**

Edge Health to improve our environmental performance with our latest ISO 14001 Environmental Management System certification, and undertake the various carbon reduction actions outlined below:

* We will continue to deliver projects hybridly with online meetings through Microsoft Teams and insist on digital outputs to reduce our carbon footprint.
* For on-the-ground engagement, we will continue to use venues close to public transport links to encourage participants to use the most resource-effective travel methods.
* In our offices, we use LED lighting, and enable energy-saving and battery-saving modules on all work devices. The lighting is on sensor through your space to ensure these are not on when not needed, in addition we added timers to the heating controls to again ensure the heating is not left on when not in use.
* We use First mile for waste disposal and waste management, our cleaners ensure the recycling is sorted/managed correctly this ensures the maximum amount of waste is recycled. For any general waste First Mile ensures zero waste goes to landfill.
* We use recycled resources such as second-hand office furniture and use sustainable suppliers like our stationary provider.
* We encourage staff to use public transport, cycling, walking, and limiting car use. We offer the cycle to work scheme and no employee currently reports driving to work. Taking a hybrid approach for attendance in our office, we split home working and office attendance and maximise use of online meetings.
* We communicate with our office lease manager to track emissions and energy usage, to better understand our power usage.

In future, we will explore initiatives to reduce and/or offset our carbon emissions

* We aim to offset Carbon emissions through funding solutions using a tree-planting scheme. A tree-planting scheme could be carried out through donations to the National Trust UK.

# **Declaration and Sign Off**

This Carbon Reduction Plan has been completed in accordance with PPN 006 and associated guidance and reporting standard for Carbon Reduction Plans.

Emissions have been reported and recorded in accordance with the published reporting standard for Carbon Reduction Plans and the GHG Reporting Protocol corporate standard[[1]](#footnote-1) and uses the appropriate [Government emission conversion factors for greenhouse gas company reporting](https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/government-conversion-factors-for-company-reporting)[[2]](#footnote-2).

Scope 1 and Scope 2 emissions have been reported in accordance with SECR requirements, and the required subset of Scope 3 emissions have been reported in accordance with the published reporting standard for Carbon Reduction Plans and the Corporate Value Chain (Scope 3) Standard[[3]](#footnote-3).

This Carbon Reduction Plan has been reviewed and signed off by the board of directors (or equivalent management body).

#### Signed on behalf of the Supplier:

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Name: Edward Bramley-Harker

Role: Director, Edge Health

Date: 1st April 2025

1. <https://ghgprotocol.org/corporate-standard> [↑](#footnote-ref-1)
2. <https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/government-conversion-factors-for-company-reporting> [↑](#footnote-ref-2)
3. <https://ghgprotocol.org/standards/scope-3-standard> [↑](#footnote-ref-3)