EN 16: Hospital Network

1 point available

A. Credit Rationale
This credit recognizes institutions that are participating in health care networks to improve the sustainability performance of hospitals.

B. Criteria
Institution’s affiliated hospital or health system is a member of the Global Green and Healthy Hospitals Network, the Healthier Hospitals Initiative and/or Practice Greenhealth.

This credit includes hospitals and health systems that are formally affiliated with a higher education institution (sometimes called “university hospitals”). Other types of health care providers (e.g. insurers through which an institution obtains health care for its employees) are not included.

C. Applicability
This credit applies to institutions with affiliated hospitals or health systems. Institutions with affiliated hospitals or health systems may pursue this credit regardless of whether the hospital is included its institutional boundary or not.

D. Scoring
Institutions earn 1 point by being a member of the Global Green and Healthy Hospitals Network, the Healthier Hospitals Initiative and/or Practice Greenhealth. Partial points are not available for this credit.

E. Reporting Fields

Required

- An indication of whether the institution is a member of the following:
  - Global Green and Healthy Hospitals Network
  - Healthier Hospitals Initiative
  - Practice Greenhealth
- An affirmation that the submitted information is accurate to the best of a responsible party's knowledge and contact information for the responsible party. The responsible party should be a staff member, faculty member, or administrator who can respond to questions regarding the data once submitted and available to the public.
Optional

- A brief description of the hospital’s sustainability initiatives
- The website URL where information about the hospital’s sustainability initiatives is available
- Notes about the submission

F. Measurement

Timeframe
Report on current participation status.

Sampling and Data Standards
Not applicable