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Environmental Sustainability Policy and Procedure

Aim

Healthy Living NT is committed to providing a quality service in a manner that ensures a safe and healthy workplace for our employees and customers. We seek to minimise our potential impact on the environment. To achieve this Healthy Living NT operates in compliance with all relevant environmental legislation and encourages responsible environmental behaviour amongst staff, volunteers, and users at all levels. We aspire to minimise our impact on the environment and maximise the effective use of resources through pollution prevention and environmental best practices in all we do.

Procedure

To minimise our environmental foot print on a daily operational basis Healthy Living NT urges all staff to work in an environmentally sensible manner by adopting the following work practices:

- Paperless work practice and/or double sided printing whenever practical
- Recycling of cardboard and paper by utilising the cardboard and confidential waste bin hired through NT Recycling Solutions. Please advise Front Counter staff when bins are full.
- All electrical appliances, lights and air conditioning are to be turned off when not in use and at the end of the day.
- Printer cartridges and toners are recycled through 'Cartridges 4 Planet Ark'. The cardboard bin is located in the storage room and Front Counter staff to be advised when the bin is full.
Alice Springs to hand in printer cartridges and toners at Australia Post.
- Management is to be advised of any water leakage in the office buildings.
- Recycling of cardboard boxes by reusing them for Product Orders is encouraged.
- Medical waste bins are available in both Darwin and Alice Springs offices and clients are encouraged to hand in their sharp containers to minimise medical waste in general rubbish.

Administration

The following companies are utilised:

NT Recycling (NTRS) 8987 1500

Cleanaway 13 13 39

Cartridges 4 Planet Ark 1800 242 473

(full cartridge bags can be handed into Australia Post – please call hotline for ordering new plastic bags only)

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