



Eco-SharpTMs

Flatten your carbon footprint



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What is Eco-Sharps?

Eco-Sharps is a brand new, more sustainable flat pack card sharps bin from G&N.



Eco-Sharps flatpack components

Assembly

Ensure the two cartons and bag are in the positions shown

1: Lay **FLAT** on the table and then push the sides to pop open

2: Tear off the square pad and insert it into the inner carton, whilst pulling the bag up

3: Push the top, side walls inwards, and pull the top of the bag so it is neat

4: Fold the top of the bag over and tuck the large flap into the front slot. Push the **'LOCK'** button

5: Firmly apply Label 'A' as shown [DO NOT REMOVE LABEL ONCE APPLIED]

6: Open the two doors and tear out the plastic window. **READY FOR USE** ✓

7: For **TEMPORARY CLOSURE**, tuck the semicircular tabs into the aperture

Carry handle

Final closure

F1: Close the small door

F2: Close the long door

F3: Apply Label 'B' to seal the flaps shut

F4: Ready for disposal

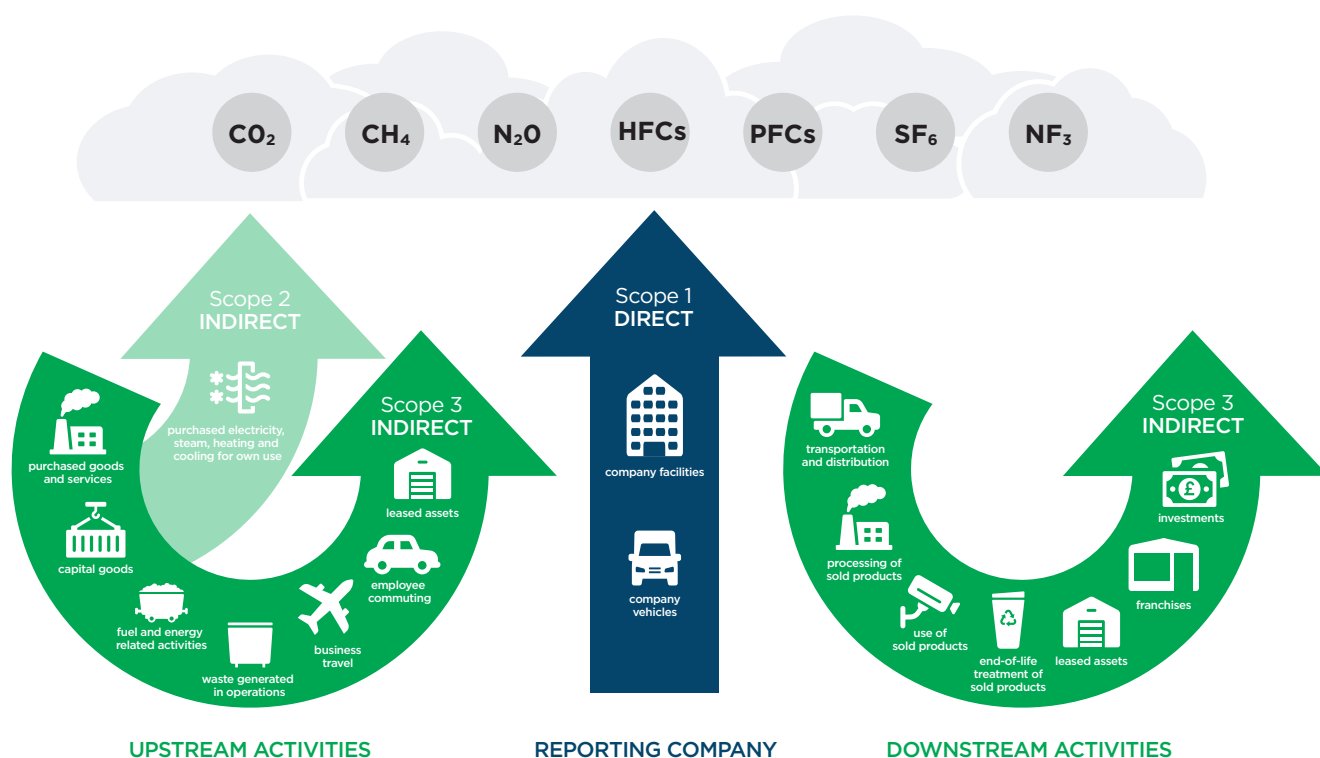
Features & benefits of Eco-Sharps

This product has been developed by clinicians from numerous NHS trusts where safety is paramount. We believe this is the safest sharps container on the market.

Eco-Sharps is:

- Made using 95%+ lower carbon materials
- Flat packed for efficient storage and transportation
- Quick and easy assembly
- Sharps proof
- Water resistant
- Equal cost price at volume
- Conforms to ISO 23907-1:2019
- Made from board which can have up to 53% lower associated GHG emissions*
- Initial launch product has a 5.3 litre volume
- Approved for Regulated Medical Waste UN3291

Sustainability in the NHS



Current situation

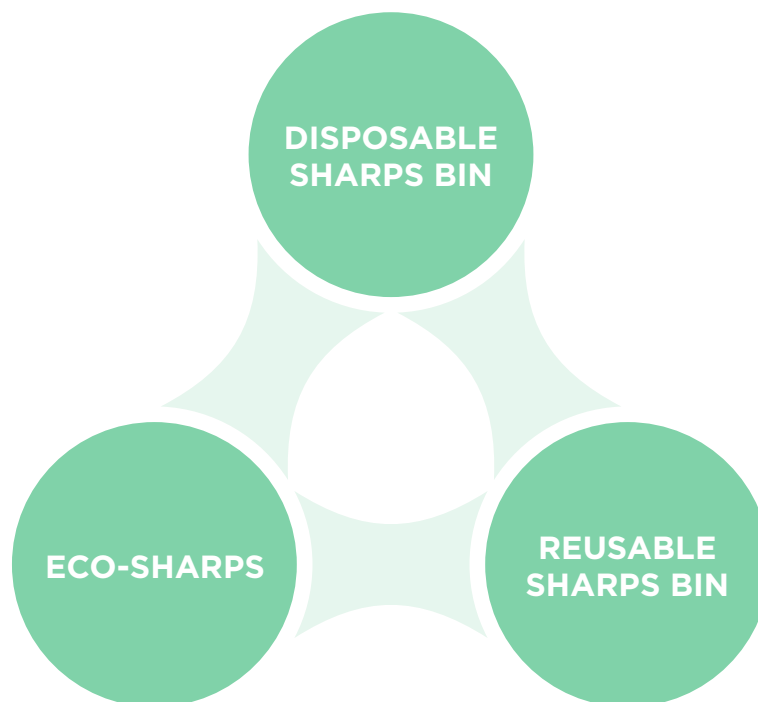
- The NHS is the largest user of single use plastics in Europe¹
- 23% of all NHS waste is plastic²
- 130,000 Tonnes of plastic waste is disposed of per year by the NHS³
- In 2019 8.4 Million sharps containers consumed - this equals around 3000 tonnes of single use plastic sharps bins incinerated per year⁴

Specification comparison

	 Eco-Sharps™	5 LITRE PLASTIC EQUIVALENT
Capacity	5 litres <i>Other sizes available soon</i>	5 litres
Closure type	Flap	Lid
Height	330mm	285mm
Width	157mm	176mm
Depth	157mm	176mm
Opening size	36 x 53mm <i>Height x width</i>	77 x 45mm <i>Height x width</i>
Certification/ compliance	ISO 23907-1:2019 UN3291	BS 7320: 1990, ISO 23907-1:2019
Colour	Yellow, purple and orange <i>Blue available soon</i>	Yellow
Material	95% FSC certified board	Polypropylene

Comparison of category USPs

- Eco-Sharps is the **perfect solution** where reprocessing of sharps bins is not possible
- Flat pack delivery and card material saves on;
 - fuel costs
 - shipping costs
 - storage space
 - plastic (53% lower associated GHG emissions*)
- Easy assembly
- Eco-Sharps easily integrates with any existing reusable plastic sharps bin protocols as it allows trusts to increase sustainability with fewer demands on storage & shipping





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