



# The Clinician's Eco-Vetting Card

## Side A: Corporate Policy

☐ Does [your company] have greenhouse gas emissions reduction targets?

☐ What year are you aiming to achieve zero or net-zero emissions?

☐ Do you externally verify your targets? perhaps through the Science-Based Targets Initiative (SBTi)?



SCIENCE  
BASED  
TARGETS

☐ Are your Environmental-Social-Governance (ESG) Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) tied to executive pay?



☐ Where can I access your latest Sustainability Report?

☐ What % of your Scope 3 emissions are managed?

☐ Do you require your key suppliers to meet sustainability standards (like ISO 14001 or EcoVadis)?

☐ What is the primary way you help health systems decarbonize?



Answer is...	Red Flag	Good Sign
<i>Vague:</i>	"It's eco-friendly"	"It has 25% recycled plastic"
<i>Unverified:</i>	"We're committed"	"We completed an LCA"
<i>Avoiding:</i>	"We don't know"	"We have a take-back program"

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## Side B: Product-Specific DATA

- ☐ Has this [device/product] had a full Life Cycle Assessment (LCA) or carbon footprint?
- ☐ What percentage of this [device/product] is post-consumer recycled content?
- ☐ Is this [plastic device/product] certified free of PVC, BPA, and Phthalates? How are materials sourced to ensure there are no conflict minerals or deforestation risks?

## DESIGN (for sustainability or circularity)

- ☐ [For energy-consuming devices] How is it designed to minimize energy consumption?
- ☐ Can this device be easily [reused / reprocessed / recycled]? Do you offer a take-back or reprocessing program for this device?
- ☐ Can the packaging for this device be easily [reused / recycled]?
- ☐ [For implants and drugs] Do you offer electronic instructions (eIFUs) to reduce paper waste?

## CREDIBLE CERTIFICATIONS

