

Reducing the carbon footprint of health research

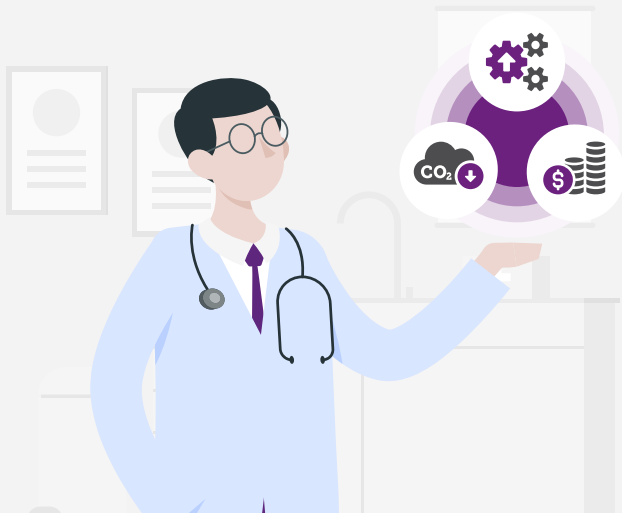
Did you know that the health care system is responsible for about 5% of total global emissions (the equivalent of around 2.4 gigatons of CO₂ per year)?



If it were a country, this would make it the fourth largest emitter after China, the US, and India.

Research and development represent 5% of all carbon emissions related to health

with clinical trials producing the equivalent of around 100 million tons of CO₂ per year



Careful study design, conduct and monitoring **can reduce the carbon footprint** and improve efficiency, productivity and cost savings.