

# **Green Audit Report**

Shri B.M.Patil Medical College Hospital & Research Centre - Bijapur



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# **Executive Summary**

BLDE invited LG Professional services to conduct Green audit at its institution. LGPS with its professional experience of one and half decade established a framework through which the institution was assessed for Green audit.

The site was rated for various elements which defines the commitment of the institution to Greener institution to enhance the experience of the stakeholders such as management, faculty, students and the patients. It is found that the institution has high commitment to environment and it is very much evident from the greenery maintained in the campus and practices such as energy audit, water audit, carbon foot print, rain water harvesting, awareness sessions and biomedical waste management, treatment of waste water evidenced in the site during the audit.

A brief of the environmental commitment in each of the element of the framework developed by LGPS for Medical Institution and performance is given below.

# The elements rated for the green audit were 13 in number and each element had sub elements.

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Natural Undulation in the topography is maintained well, which gives the campus sufficient heat, light, rains and shade

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Institution has been strongly committed to energy conservation and has conducted energy audit through TERI and also reconducted the audit this year.

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The institution has set up a system for biomedical waste, solid waste management and has created awareness among the whole institutions staff to implement the hygiene practices and manages the waste as per bio medical waste management handling rules.

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The commitment on solar power would make it possible for the whole institution to be made as carbon positive.

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Several initiatives on health and safety has been implemented as hospital is attached such as pharmacy is run with software for expiry medicines tracking, posters for education on hospital safety, contractor safety. Implementation of OHSAS 18001 will enable address this element with policy, objectives and systematic approach.

# VIII) Awareness

A survey was conducted on environmental awareness for students on the campus and the response on various matters related to environment was found very good.

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# IX) Participation

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# XI. Policy, Strategy, Objectives

Institution has high commitment towards environment – it is evident in preservation of some of the trees in the campus for more than 50 years. The institution seems to be following the practices more from a routine practice, It is suggested that having a policy for environment and implementing ISO 14001 – environmental management system will be of help to the organization.

There may be objectives set up which help the institution monitor the performance of environment such as energy, water, waste, paper conservation, plastic reduction etc which enable not only the management and faculties but also the student community to have a practical experience of green commitment in the place where they are moulded and formed.

# XII. Monitoring & Measurement

The institution may procure and install monitoring and measuring equipments such as energy meters, water meters and initiate log book on monitoring the waste generated to take a stock of the situation on how much of environmental data generation. This would enable measurement and monitoring with accuracy and knowing of the status on continuous basis where the institution can know the deviations and initiate corrective actions.

# **AUDIT MINUTAE**

# **AGENCY CONDUCTING THE GREEN AUDIT**

M/s. LG Professional Services

# **CONDUCTED ON**

10, 11 & 12<sup>th</sup> of Aug 2015

# Auditors Keerthi D' Souza

# **BACK GROUND**

B.E & M Tech. In Environmental Engineering & PGDHRM

### **EXPERIENCE**

10 Years' Experience in the Field of Health, Safety & Environment

# M. V. Nagabhushan

**BACK GROUND** 

B.E, Electrical Engg

# **EXPERIENCE**

37 years in Manufacturing Operations.

# M. Mohamed Batcha

# **BACK GROUND**

Bachelor of Electrical & Electronics Engg

# **EXPERIENCE**

38 years of experience out of which energy audit of 25 years' experience, Accredited energy auditor from BEE

# Madhuri Subbarao

**BACK GROUND** 

MSc Psychology
EXPERIENCE
12 yrs of experience

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# Ravi Uppin

**BACK GROUND** 

B.E in Chemical Engineering & M E in Environmental Engineering

**EXPERIENCE** 

6 Years' Experience in the Field of Health, Safety & Environment

# R. Ramarajiv

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M.Tech (Energy Conservation & Management)

**EXPERIENCE** 

3 Years Experience in Energy Audit

# J. Venkatesh

**BACK GROUND** 

DEEE ( Diploma in Electrical & Electronics Engg) **EXPERIENCE** 

2 Years Experience in Energy Audit:.

# **Danny Mathew**

**BACK GROUND** 

Masters in Hygiene and Environment

**EXPERIENCE** 

2 years in hygiene auditing

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**BACK GROUND** 

M.Tech in Water Engineering & Management

**EXPERIENCE** 

6 month in water auditing

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# **DEDICATION**

This study is dedicated to **Shri B.M. Patil Medical College Hospital & Research Centre, Bijapur** Management for their commitment to be the best in adapting the sustainable development like Go Green best practices and its measures as a proactive approach for protecting Environment, human life and property.

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# **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

A proactive approach such as a Green audit is taken up to understand the gaps of the organization in the Green best practices initiatives and is an instrumental exercise to build a platform to upgrade the Organization to the sustainability & business vision. Green audits identify the Positive Point, weakness and areas needing improvement in accordance with the present status of the organization. It is instrumental in recognizing the threats to success and recommends goals for critical success factors (CSF). Audit is the heart of successful accident-prevention programs fostered by forward-thinking Green management.

This report describes the Vision, mission, Policy, Objectives, Topography of the site, Conservation of Energy, conservation of water, Hygiene, Employee Participation, Consultation, safety consciousness of the organization in the activities carried out at Hospital. All activities such as waste handling, emergency provisions, Legal Compliances, Hazards associated with the operations carried out, unsafe working practices which are potential hindrances for the organization towards the Environment, safety performance in the organization & records associated therewith were audited.

The observations are classified as Recommendation, Gap and those which are positive observations and some of them are marked area wise photographs with comment in Red, orange and green respectively. Red indicates immediate action, Orange indicates need improvement and green indicates positive points.

Audit Scoring was done with the intent of evaluating the each element considered in the report.

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# **ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS**

LG professional Services convey hearty thanks to the management of **Shri B.M.Patil Medical College Hospital & Research Centre, Bijapur** for having chosen us to carryout this in-depth assessment towards Green audit.

We express our sincere gratitude towards the interest, co-operation and hospitality throughout the assessment extended to us by the Site Doctors, auditees and Management. The awareness and commitment towards Green concept implementation and understanding and compliance is immense and appreciated.

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# PROGRAM OBJECTIVE

• The audit determines whether the goals of the organizations are made and adequate, is sufficient if not then it sets the direction of filling the gap to go move in the direction of the sustainable and Business vision.

- Analyzing conditions and work practices that lead to violation of Sustainable environment
- Documentation verification for compliance and completeness and comprehensive
   Green programs, audits or reviews.
- Legal compliance status
- Systematic evaluation of the Green elements like Site observation, surrounding, landscaping green transport, Night light pollution, water foot print, waste management, Carbon footprint, Hygiene, Health and safety, Employee awareness, Monitoring and measurement.

# **AUDIT METHODOLOGY**

The approach used is

- Site survey for identification of conformance to Legal & present work practice.
- Interacting with Management, staff & interviewing working personnel
- Looking at the Green elements of the company as defined in the audit criteria
- Collecting objective evidences (E.g. Interaction with workers, documents etc.)
- Evaluation of the Green elements in the organization through scoring
- Auditing the legal compliances
- Suggestions/Recommendations

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# **AUDIT CRITERIA**

- The audit is conducted based on the following criteria:
  - Site (10 Marks)
    - 1. Surrounding
    - 2. Pest control
    - 3. Soil environment
    - 4. Landscaping
    - 5. Incident
    - 6. Chemical Management
    - 7. Internal Habitat
    - 8. Heat Island effect
    - 9. Night Light Pollution
    - 10. Basic Amenities and Employee facility
  - Water Foot print (8 Marks)
    - 1. Source of water
    - 2. Quality for various usage
    - 3. Waste water source, treatment and reuse
    - 4. Rainwater harvesting storage, treatment and usage
    - 5. Specific water consumption
  - Energy Foot print (8 Marks)
  - Waste Management (10 Marks)
    - 1. Solid waste
    - 2. Hazardous waste
    - 3. E-Waste
    - 4. Bio-Medical waste
  - Carbon Foot print (5 Marks)
  - Green Procurement (5 Marks)
  - Hygiene (8 Marks)
  - Health and safety (8 Marks)
  - Awareness (8 Marks)
  - Participation (4 Marks)
  - Legal Compliance (10 Marks)
  - Policy, strategy, Objectives (8 Marks)
  - Monitoring and Measurement (8 Marks)

# **AUDIT REPORT**

The audit report is made in to different chapters the overview of each is as described below.

Chapter I – Executive summary

Chapter II - Gives the Introduction to the Green audit, defining the scope, objective and audit criteria

Chapter III - Gives the overall picture of the organization with its background

Chapter IV – Audit Score, Audit Element Observation

In a nutshell the report informs management of the "Green status" of the organization Legal compliance status and opportunities for improvement in ensuring the facility more Greener.

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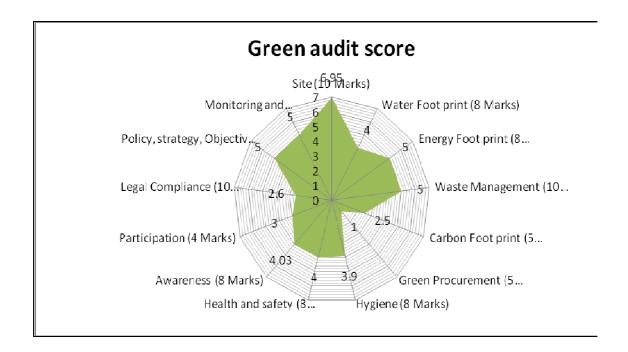
# SITE BACKGROUND

Organization Name	Shri B.M Patil Medical College Hospital &
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Location	Bijapur
Audit Site	Shri B.M Patil Medical College Hospital &
	Research Centre Bijapur
Nature of Project	Hospital and Research Centre
Site In charge from Hospital	Dr. Yellikar
Project Start up date	11 <sup>th</sup> Aug 2015
Any special mention	Project selected for preparation of Green
	Audit from NAAC Committee
Requirements defined by client	Progress towards green elements
	implementation to improve organization
	towards Sustainable development.

# AUDIT OBSERVATIONS, SCORE WITH GRAPH

Site Green audit rating and scores are as in the following table.

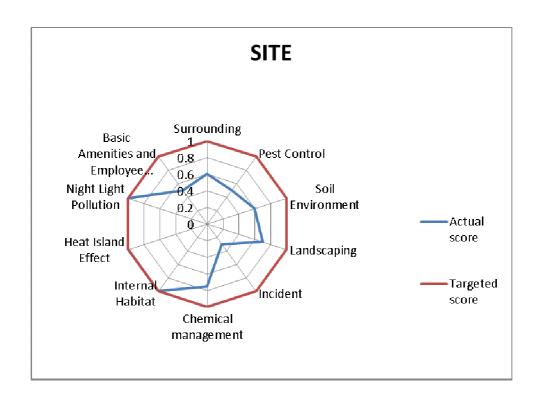
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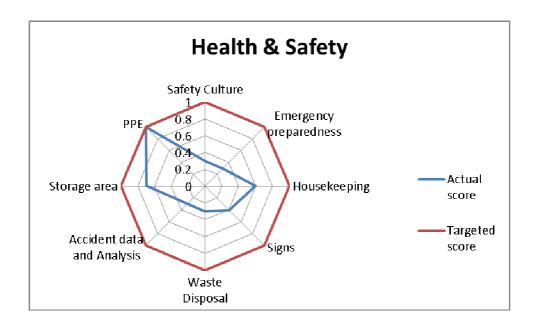
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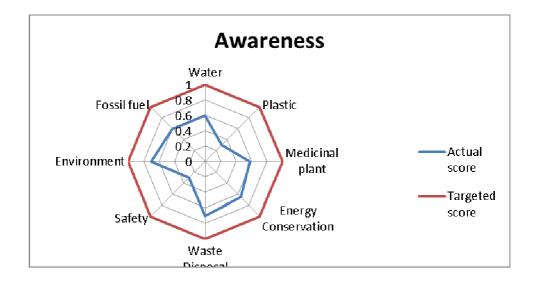
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<b>Emergency preparedness</b>	0.3
Housekeeping	0.6
Signs	0.4
Waste Disposal	0.3
Accident data and Analysis	0.3
Storage area	0.7
PPE	1



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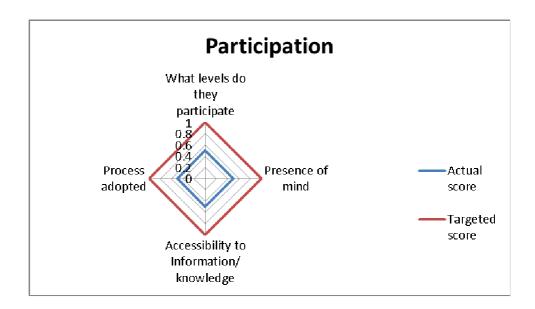
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Water	0.6
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