# GIVE YOUR CLINIC AN ENERGY CHECK-UP

We realize nothing is more important than keeping your patients healthy. Let FOCUS ON ENERGY® help put your business on a path to better health.

Specialized equipment and unique operating conditions set your facility apart from traditional commercial spaces. Along with typical lighting and HVAC systems, energy-intensive needs add up on your bill month after month.

# A routine checkup keeps your space healthy

Below are no- or low-cost strategies to save energy and extend the life of equipment.

#### 1 Set back to save up

Turn off or set back HVAC systems during unoccupied times to save up to **10**% on heating and cooling costs.<sup>1</sup>

#### 2 Take a load off

Even when plugged-in equipment is turned off, it can consume energy. If your facility operates during normal business hours, your equipment could be idling up to 16 hours a day. Installing smart power strips can stop equipment from drawing energy when not in use.

#### 3 See how you measure up

Establish your baseline energy usage and see how it compares to similar facilities by using ENERGY STAR® Portfolio Manager (portfoliomanager.energystar.gov).

#### 4 Let the sunshine in

Allowing (or blocking) sunlight from windows and skylights can make the space more comfortable while saving on HVAC or lighting costs.



#### Sources





 $<sup>^1{\</sup>rm Focus}$  on Energy Technical Reference Manual, assumptions based on 10,000 sq ft facility for RTU Optimization - Programmable Thermostat (MMID 3120)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> www.energystar.gov

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> www.pnl.gov/main/publications/external/technical\_reports/PNNL-22656.pdf

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> business.directenergy.com/understanding-energy/industries/healthcare/energy-saving-checklist-for-dentists

## Adopt an energy wellness plan

There are many opportunities for your facility to save energy and reduce costs. See a faster payback by taking advantage of incentives available through Focus on Energy!

#### 1 LED lighting

Uses up to **75**% less energy<sup>2</sup> and lasts longer than traditional light sources.

#### 2 Advanced rooftop controllers

Save up to **50**% of your rooftop unit's heating<sup>3</sup> and cooling energy.

#### 3 Smart thermostats

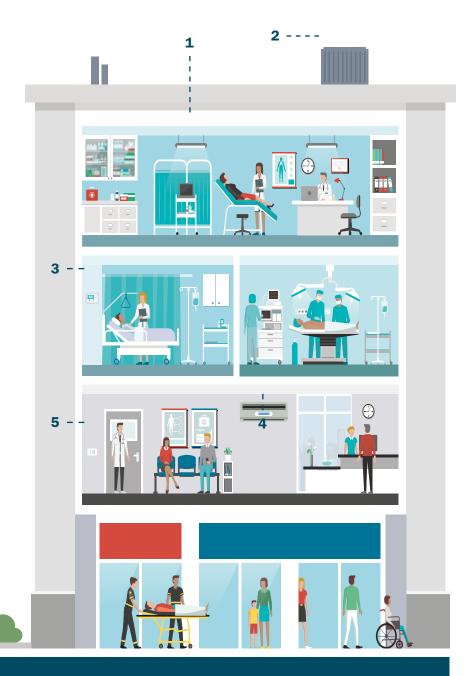
Control temps during unoccupied periods. A 10,000 sq. ft. space can save over \$500 annually by setting the temperature back for just six hours a day.<sup>1</sup>

#### 4 Plan for equipment failure

Don't wait for your heating or cooling equipment to fail to replace it. Proactively replacing equipment near the end of its useful life ensures you'll have energy-efficient options that will pay for itself well within the equipment's lifetime.

#### 5 Lighting controls

Reduce your lighting operating hours by as much as **40**%.<sup>4</sup> Daylight or occupancy sensors dim or turn off light fixtures depending on natural light or space occupancy, saving energy and maintaining the ideal ambient lighting.



### Keep your equipment happy and healthy. We can help.

Contact **800.762.7077** or visit **focusonenergy.com/business** to learn more about incentive opportunities available to your business. Check the website for full eligibility and participation requirements.

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