



# NET ZERO STATEMENT



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Dentrain Professionals Ltd are a responsible dental nurse training provider, we are committed to reducing our carbon footprint and achieving net zero carbon emissions. We recognise our role in fostering a sustainable future and are taking steps to minimise our environmental impact. Our journey toward net zero includes the following initiatives:

- 1. Reduced Travel and Practice Visits:** In October 2023 Dentrain Professionals Ltd became accredited with the NEBDN which allowed delivery of the apprenticeship to be delivered online only. Apprentices registered with City & Guilds require workplace visits for the trainers to sign off skills competencies on a number of occasions throughout the duration of the apprenticeship. Dentrain Professionals Ltd recognise that not only are skilled mentors within the workplace the most appropriate persons to sign off skills competencies but that this move contributes to our aim towards net zero. We aim to reduce visits to dental practices to 3% of learners progressing on an apprenticeship by 2030, allowing practices to sign off on trainees' skill competencies. This approach reduces travel-related emissions and encourages a more sustainable training process.
- 2. Minimisation of Hard Copy Documents:** We are committed to reducing paper waste by using digital storage solutions such as Office 365 / OneDrive. Learners progressing on the apprenticeship will be provided with digital copies of all learning resources apart from learners learning needs and require hard copies to aid with readability. This transition will significantly decrease our reliance on printed materials, contributing to waste reduction.
- 3. Improved Energy Efficiency in the Workplace:** By installing more efficient boilers and equipment within our facilities, we aim to reduce energy consumption and lower our carbon emissions.
- 4. Carbon Awareness Training:** We will conduct training to educate employees and trainees on how they can minimise their carbon footprint in daily activities. This initiative empowers everyone within our organisation to contribute to a sustainable future.
- 5. All staff will partake in adding to a sustainability plan on a bimonthly basis during staff meetings.** Again This initiative empowers everyone within our organisation to contribute to a sustainable future.

Our commitment to net zero is an ongoing journey, and we are continually exploring additional measures to reduce our environmental impact. Together, we can make a meaningful difference and contribute to a greener, more sustainable world.