

# GOOD THINGS HAPPEN WHEN YOU BLUE RENEW.\*

## DID YOU KNOW?

According to Practice Greenhealth,

**5.9 Million tons**

of waste are generated each year from more than<sup>1</sup>

**5000 hospitals**

in the U.S. alone.<sup>2</sup>

**85%**

of hospital waste is composed of non-infectious materials.<sup>3</sup>



**Over 20%**

of hospital waste is plastic packaging and products.<sup>4</sup>

## O&M HALYARD DEVELOPED THE BLUE RENEW\* PROGRAM

to assist our customers in recycling used, clean HALYARD\* Sterilization Wrap.



Thanks to BLUE RENEW\* more than

**250 Hospitals**

in North America are diverting over

**4 million pounds**

of wrap from landfills each year<sup>5</sup> saving U.S. hospitals over \$280K.<sup>6</sup>



O&M Halyard has supported more than

**750 hospitals**

with wrap recycling initiatives.<sup>5</sup>

## WHAT SETS BLUE RENEW\* APART FROM OTHER RECYCLING PROGRAMS?

- BLUE RENEW\* is not a "one size fits all" program. It is customized to YOUR needs so you can actively **ACHIEVE YOUR GOALS**.
- O&M Halyard provides complimentary professional on-site consulting services to educate and train your staff as well as monitor and report annually on your BLUE RENEW\* performance. These value added services are worth over \$6,000<sup>7</sup> per facility.

## WE HELP YOU...

**CONNECT** with local waste haulers and recyclers.

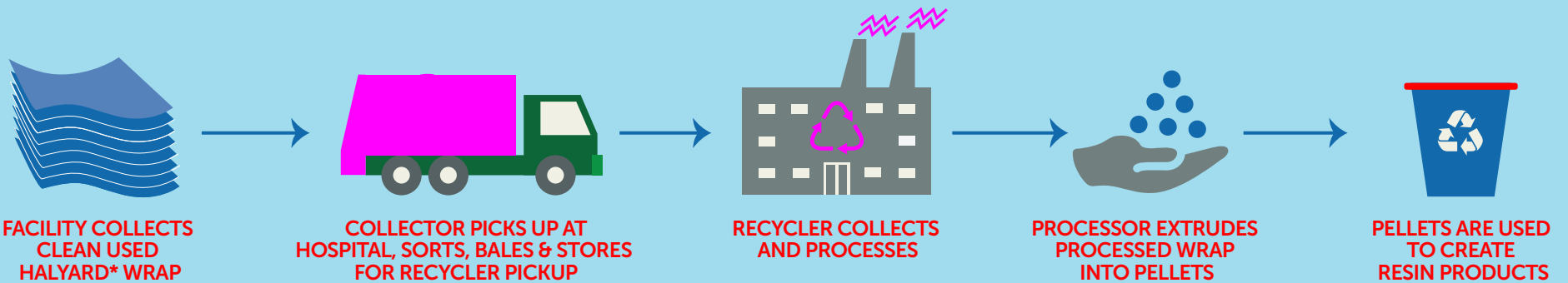
**EDUCATE** your OR staff on the critical factors to success with the Blue Renew program.

**ACHIEVE YOUR GOALS** by sharing our recycling expertise.

**TRACK AND MEASURE** recycling performance by providing metrics to include in your sustainability report.



## HERE'S HOW BLUE RENEW\* WORKS:



## INSTEAD OF CLOGGING LANDFILLS,

your recycled HALYARD\* Wrap is ready to begin a second life as resin products derived from O&M Halyard's BLUE RENEW\* Recycling Program.

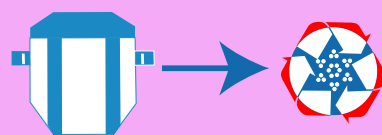


Resin products include distribution and product totes, garbage cans, bedpans and wash basins.

## AT O&M HALYARD, WE SHARE YOUR CONCERN ABOUT THE ENVIRONMENT.



In 2016, we diverted **99.6%** of our manufacturing waste from landfills.<sup>5</sup>



## ARE YOU READY TO BLUE RENEW?

- It's a great way to demonstrate your facility's commitment to the community and the environment!
- Just let your O&M Halyard Representative know you'd like to establish a BLUE RENEW\* Program in your facility.

If you'd like to know more about BLUE RENEW\*, visit: [www.halyardhealth.com/sustainability](http://www.halyardhealth.com/sustainability)

Or call 1-844-HALYARD (1-844-425-9273) in the United States and Canada.



**Blue Renew\***  
WRAP RECYCLING



<sup>1</sup> "More Needs To Be Done To Prioritize Climate Change," Health Affairs Blog, February 25, 2016. DOI:10.1377/hblog20160225.053279

<sup>2</sup> [http://www.aha.org/aha/resource-center/Statistics-and-Studies/REGISTRATION\\_FY\\_08.pdf#registered](http://www.aha.org/aha/resource-center/Statistics-and-Studies/REGISTRATION_FY_08.pdf#registered)

<sup>3</sup> Grogan, Terry. "Solid Waste Reduction in US Hospitals." Hospital Engineering & Facilities Management (2003): 88-91.

<sup>4</sup> Lee, B., M. Ellenbecker, and R. Moure-Eraso. "Analyses of the Recycling Potential of Medical Plastic Wastes." Waste Management (2002): 461-470.

<sup>5</sup> Data on File. 2016 O&M Halyard.

<sup>6</sup> Assumes estimated \$0.07 per pound for collection, transport and disposal fees.

<sup>7</sup> Data on File. 2017 O&M Halyard.

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