

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH: UNSEEN, ESSENTIAL & COST EFFECTIVE

WHAT DOES ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH DO FOR...

THE NHS?

TACKLES CAUSES OF CHRONIC CONDITIONS

- Promotes healthy lifestyles
- Enforces tobacco control
- Enforces alcohol control
- Monitors and enforces air quality
- Prevents diseases of occupational exposure
- Promotes health and wellbeing

ALLEVIATES BED BLOCKING

- Implements home adaptations

REDUCES ACUTE ADMISSIONS

- Reduces outbreaks of food poisoning
- Reduces outbreaks of infectious disease
- Tackles causes and effects of excess heat and excess cold

REDUCES ADMISSIONS TO A&E

- Promotes and enforces Health and Safety at Work
- Promotes home adaptations
- Promotes child and home safety

REDUCES DEMAND

INCREASES CAPACITY



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