



Link to your institution's sustainability/climate action policy.

In 2021, Bahria University has developed “**Health, Safety and Environment Policy**”. The policy includes all sustainability/climate action, the extract of BU policy is given at Annex ‘A’.



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BAHRIA UNIVERSITY
Discovering Knowledge



Health, Safety and Environment Policy

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6.1 **Importance.** Environment plays an important role in healthy living and the existence of human life. Earth is a home for different living species. We all are dependent on the environment for food, air, water, and other needs. Therefore, every individual needs to save and protect our environment. This chapter aims to formulate and implement policies that improve the environment at various Bahria University Campuses/ CUs. An attempt has been made to raise the level of understanding about the environment putting in place a framework where everyone joins hands to produce a healthy environment not only at BU but in various other places.

6.2 **Bahria University Environment Policy.** The Environment Policy sets the high-level objectives for the Environmental Management Plan which include:

- a. Minimizing the carbon/ environmental foot-prints via conservation of natural resources for future generations through improvements in energy efficiency.
- b. Developing effective material management (from raw to waste).
- c. Increasing awareness of environmental responsibility among staff, students and visitors to the University.
- d. Having an environmental management system that ensures the University complies with national environmental standards.
- e. Taking into account environmentally sustainable initiatives in new construction projects and renovations.
- f. Maintaining the University premises in an environmentally sensitive way, having regard to the protection of natural habitats and local wildlife.
- g. Promoting and encouraging sustainable forms of mass travel and transport by staff and students to reduce carbon emission.
- h. Striving to continually to improve the University's environmental performance.
- j. Ensure provision of clean and safe potable water at the university.