

# DrugWise

a sustainable approach towards reducing medicine waste in the operating rooms

## 5 STEP APPROACH

The approach is aimed for the Green Team Anaesthesia OR and is structured around five crucial steps:

1. **Measuring Waste:** Quantifying the scale of waste for informed decision-making.
2. **Setting Priorities:** Determining key areas for intervention based on the measurement results.
3. **Raise Awareness:** Educating on the significance of the problem and the necessity for change.
4. **Taking Action:** Implementing specific, practical measures to reduce waste.
5. **Evaluating:** Assessing the impact of the implemented actions and making necessary adjustments.



## TEMPLATES & EXAMPLES

In addition to these steps, **templates** are provided that can be utilized immediately, enabling to **put these actions into practice straight away.**

## THE PROBLEM MEDICINE WASTE at the OR

**498 L**  
of medicines  
wasted a year  
at the LUMC OR



## THE GOAL REDUCTION OF MEDICINE WASTE at the OR



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