

Uppsala County

- The County of Uppsala consists of eight municipalities.
- The County has a total population of approximately 400,000 inhabitants.
- We are one of Sweden's fastest growing regions!



Our Vision

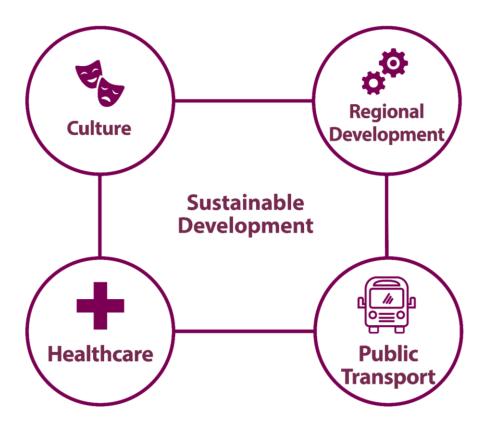
A good life in an innovative knowledge-based region, with an international presence.





What we do

Region Uppsala exists to serve the people of Uppsala County. Our goal is to create conditions for good health and sustainability for everyone living and working here.





Running key services for society...





















...helping development throughout the county









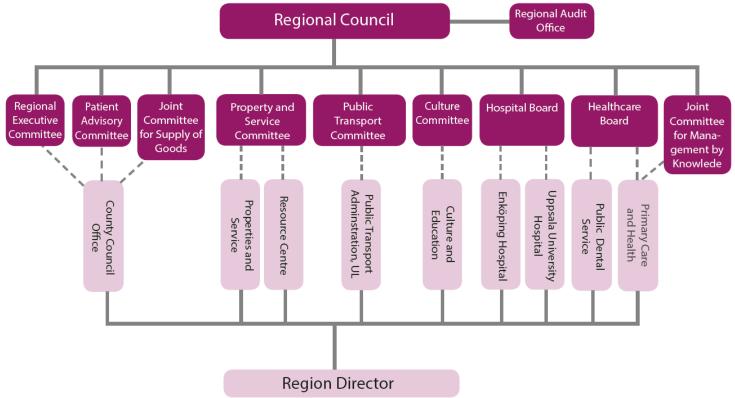




A democratically governed organisation

- A politically governed organisation
- The highest governing body is the Regional Assembly
- The Regional Assembly decides on a regional plan and budget (RPB)
- Civil servants implement the political decisions
- Region Uppsala has employees and elected auditors









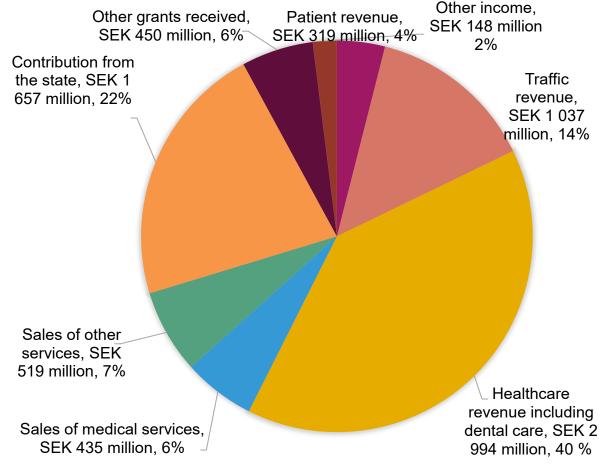
Where knowledge and people grow





Economy – revenue 2022

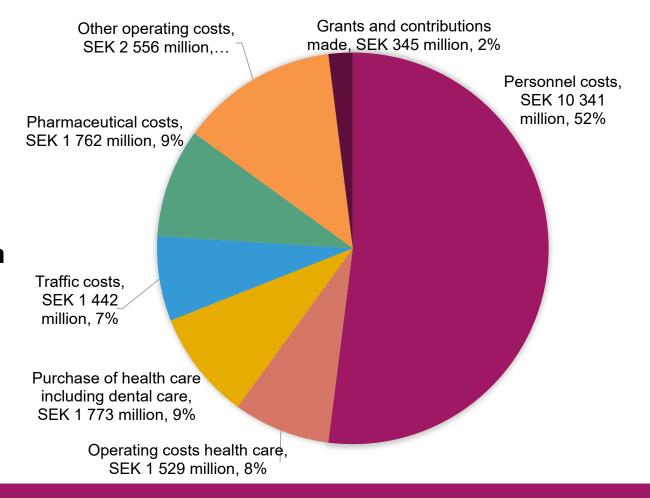
SEK 7 559 million (~6.7 billion EUR)





Economy – costs 2022

SEK 19 564 million (~1.7 billion EUR)





• A 30-minute visit to a specialist at the surgery clinic: 5,590 kronor, of which patient fees are 330 kronor.

What does healthcare really cost?

- A birth with no complications:
 19,710 kronor, of which patient fees are 100 kronor per day at the hospital.
- A visit to the doctor at the healthcare centre:
 1,970 kronor, of which patient fees are 150 kronor.



Future healthcare to be closer to the people

- Better availability and accessibility
- By 2030, care that is effective and close by
- Target image for primary care of the future
- The University Hospital of the future







An average day...



Sustainability and environment

- certified Environmental management system since 2005

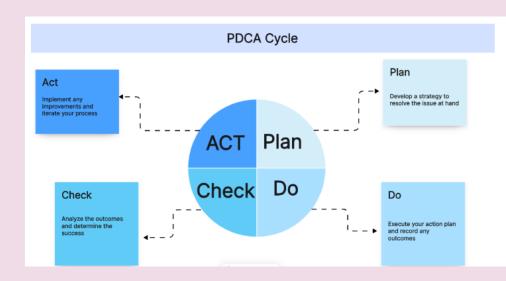






Environmental management system

- Never static always in development.
- Becomes clearer through delegation of responsibilities
- Systematic work with fulfilling legal requirements, and environmental goals





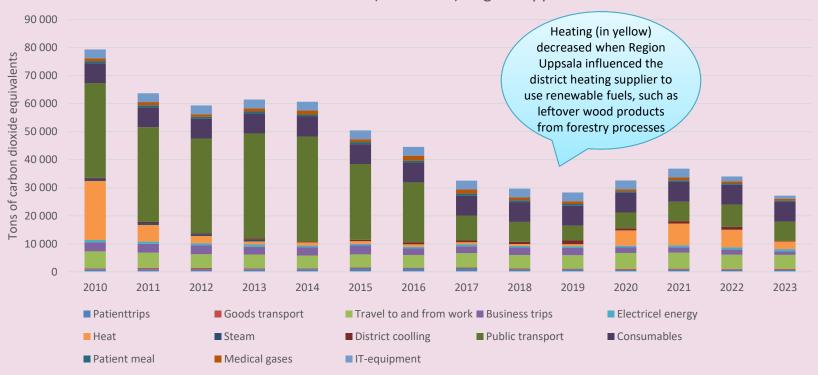
Programme for environment and sustainability 2023-2026

- Reduced climate impact with at least ten percent each year
 - Transportation
 - Energy
 - Consumables
 - Medical gases
 - IT Equipment
 - Asset management /finances
- Healthy and non-toxic environment
 - Chemicals
 - Medicines
 - Food and textiles
 - Indoor environment
- Sustainable and effective resource management
 - Environmentally adapted properties
 - Water
 - Biodiversity



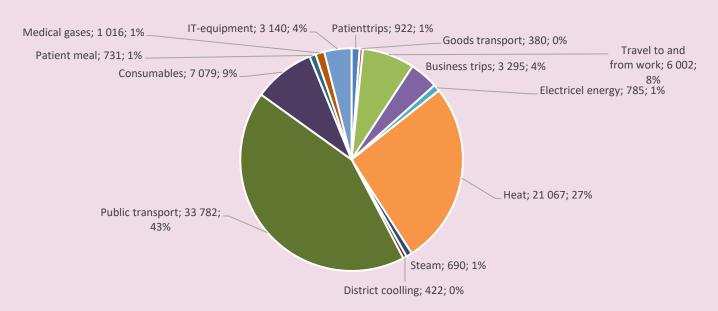


Climate emissions (measured) Region Uppsala



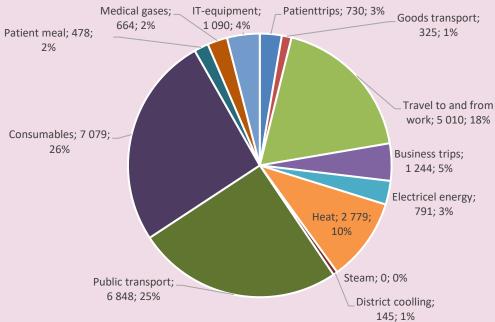


Comparison 2010





Comparison 2023





Healthy and non-toxic environment

- The use of chemicals of very high concern, and medicines with environmental consequences is less
- 64 percent of food is ecological (organic)
- Less food waste
- 47 procent ecological textiles
- More consumables without information of phthalates (plasticizers) – probably due to conerns related to the war in Ukraine and connected border issues





Sustainable and effective resourcemanagement

- More environments planned with concern of biodiversity and ecosystem services (pollinators, for instance)
- 80 % eco-labelled construction products
- Less water use in all areas (except the Akademiska hospital)
- Develop goals to decrease climate impact when constructing buildings







Russia Greenland Астана Kazakhstan United Egypt Morocco Libya Eritrea Algeria Sudan Ethiopia Central Republic

21 regions

Responsible for:

- Healthcare
- Regional development and growth
- Public transportation

250 000 employees
Procure goods and
services for
10.5 billion EUR



National coordination since 2010

- Same Code of Conduct
- Same Contract Terms
- Same follow-up process
- Sharing of results
- Steering group with Procurement managers and Environmental managers





Code of Conduct

Human rights
Employee rights
Environment
Anti-corruption

Based on UN Declarations and Conventions





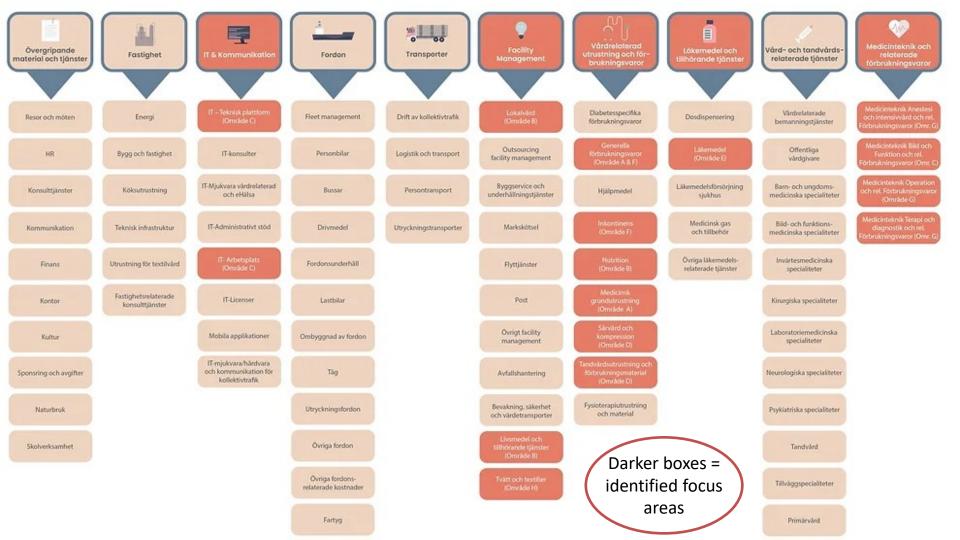
Risk Area Responsibilities



Risk Analysis

Action plan every three years, with: Priority of risks and goals

Monitoring and follow-up





Monitoring agreements



Self-assessment Processes and routines



Office audit
Verification and analysis
of answers from selfassessment



Factory audit
Production – do
routines have
desired effect?



What happens next?

If deviations are detected:

In the first instance, correction is requested

- Supplier makes a detailed action plan including timeline, verification process, and person responsible for corrections
- Customers approve action plan
- When a deadline has expired, the client / auditor reviews the certificate. If necessary, reauditing is planned
- A report on non-conformity management is prepared and attached to the original report

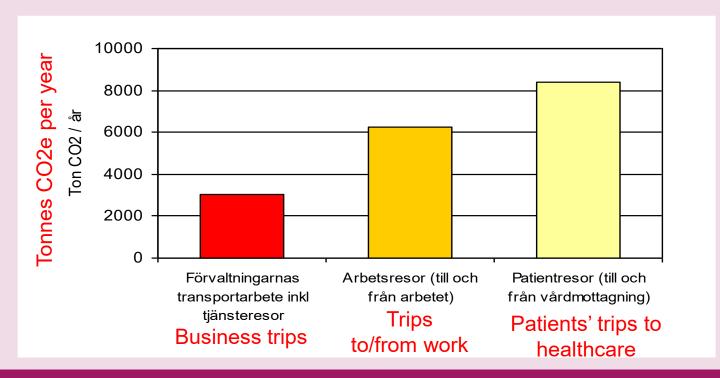
If correction does not take place - decision on possible sanctions.



Other forms of transportation and sustainability work



Started 2003





Patient trips

Free trips to health care for the patient and one helper (relative or friend). Currently approx 1100 trips per day to the main Akademiska hospital. Tickets available in the mobile app with instructions provided on the doctor's appointment letter.

During the procurement process for patient transportation – require fossil fuel free transport (higher percent for every year)



Travel to and from work

- Friendly competitions to encourage employees to bicycle, walk and take public transportation to the office
- Salary benefit for employees to purchase bicycles and/or yearly public transportation tickets at discounted prices
- Campaigns followed-up by representative survey of employees in collaboration with the university, since 2006



Business trips

- Clear travel policy since 2003
 - Employees should not travel by airplane within Sweden
 - Prioritise cycle/walking/public transportation for shorter trips and train for longer trips
- Respective leadership groups follow-up on fuel usage
- Internal climate change compensation a surcharge is added for business trips to the three most common destinations in Sweden, and the funds in this account are then used for climate-positive activities



Public transport in constant development













UL in brief: public transport

- A county resident makes an average of 93 trips per year, and public transport has a total of approx. 36 million arrivals.
- The total distance traveled by all UL buses is 41.5 million km per year more than 1,000 laps around the world, which is just under three laps per day.
- A total of 1,500 employees work in public transport and the business has a turnover of just over 2 billion SEK.
- Every day there are 2,800 departures in the city bus service and 2,900 departures in the regional bus service. Region Uppsala also finances 147 departures with Mälartåg (regional train) and 160 departures with the SL shuttle train to Stockholm.



What have we achieved?









Fuel strategy: prioritise fossil free, renewable, and locally produced

- Uppsala County's 550 buses are currently 99.25% fossil-free
- 200 green city buses run on
 - Biodiesel (HVO, vegetable oil and animal fat byproducts)
 - Biogas (70% produced locally in Uppsala from e.g. food wastes)
 - Electricity (currently 36 BEV)
- 200 regional buses run on biodiesels HVO and RME, and biogas
- Trains run on electricity certified from Nordic renewable sources







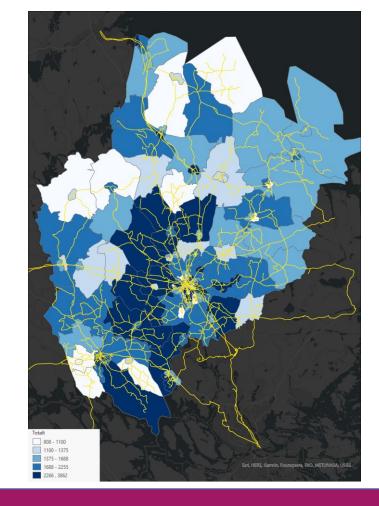
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How can we best provide public services in an inclusive and sustainable way, while minimising negative environmental impact?



Uppsala County

- Inhabitants:
 - 400,000 in the entire county
 - 240,000 in Uppsala City
- Public transport:
 - 50% trips city buses, 25% by train, 25% with regional buses (approximately)
 - Uppsala's regional buses travel 150,000 km per year, approx 2x Sweden's average
 - Bus fleet = approx. 550 buses in three large contracts (regional traffic, city traffic, school buses)





On a normal weekday, riders travel 132 837 kilometers with UL's buses which is the equivalent of 3 times around the Earth.





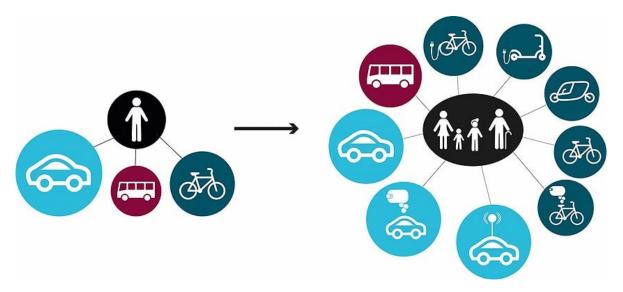
Tools for sustainability

- Procurement: the requirements established in new contracts
 - 100% fossil-free fuels
 - Sustainable supply chain
 - Suppliers must havean environmental policy
- Technical solutions & innovation
- Collaboration!





Mobility and the Entire-journey perspective





Sustainability values... but also conflicts

- Accessibility
- Environmental benefits
- Traffic flows
- Economics
- Social inclusion
- Urban development
- Public health



Questions?

