

Vizient Energy Solutions

Product overview

The Vizient Energy Solutions portfolio can be accessed individually or in combination to maximize and sustain your energy cost savings. We can help you identify opportunities to procure, manage and monitor your energy usage.

Your organization can benefit from our energy management solutions that yield cumulative value — saving your organization up to 26 percent. Vizient Energy Solutions is your opportunity to significantly reduce energy costs and consumption while leveraging a greater purchasing volume to sustain your long-term savings.

As the nation's largest member-driven health care performance improvement company, Vizient provides network-powered insights in the critical areas of clinical, operational, and supply chain performance and empowers members to deliver exceptional, cost-effective care.



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Helping you manage cost and consumption

Energy costs can consume up to 5 percent of a hospital's total operating budget and up to 15 percent of annual profits. And energy consumption never stops — it's 24/7, year round .

Energy acquisition is more complex than commodities purchasing. Even though energy is a costly part of your operating budget, it's often addressed only after supply chain expenses.

That's why we're here. Our full suite of offerings can significantly reduce your energy costs and consumption through our best-in-class partnerships.

Program offerings

Energy procurement

Health systems are hard-pressed to competitively procure electricity and natural gas in deregulated energy markets. We use several strategies to help secure the best deals for your organization, including aggregation to obtain energy savings for deregulated utilities. This typically yields a 3 to 10 percent savings.

Demand reduction

Saving money on energy includes conservation. Your organization can measure and reduce energy consumption without making capital investments. Most health systems have sophisticated building automation systems and seek ways to optimize these technologies. Our complimentary assessment helps qualified health systems identify ways to reduce energy costs, typically yielding an 8 to 12 percent savings.

Utility bill audits

Don't pay more for energy than your contracted terms allow. Complex contracts, changing tariff rates and complicated invoices may result in overpayments. You need the ability to measure and audit your contract terms and price adherence from billed versus contracted rate. Our audit function allows for funds recovery and corrected billing of your gas, electricity, water and waste water, typically yielding a 2 to 4 percent savings.

Sustainability

Protect the community and the environment by reducing your carbon footprint. Explore alternative energy sources like wind and solar power to supplement traditional energy sources. Our offering helps determine the appropriate source mix to meet your goals.