Grounded in our commitment to patients, customers, our people and communities, Corporate Social Responsibility underpins all the actions we take to improve the world. The United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) are widely adopted to support people and communities around the globe. Our material aspects align with ten SDGs.

Transforming the lives of our PATIENTS
Our patients inspire us as we focus on solving the healthcare challenges that matter most.

30 million+ patients served in 2019

“It’s peace of mind. You have to live life to the fullest.”
— Marjorie

“It’s like getting a new lease on life.”
— Allen

“Now I can live without fear.”
— Valentina

Elevating Health Equity
Our Close the Gap program empowers physicians to reduce care disparities and improve access to health services for under-served populations.

- 57 community events
- 57,000 people reached
- $750,000 grants awarded

Learn more about Close the Gap.

Helping shape the future of our PLANET
Progress is made through managing our footprint, materials and resources to care for our planet.

- 16 sites certified to ISO 14001:2015
- 30% decrease in water consumption since 2009
- 80% of total solid waste recycled
- 95% of solid waste diverted from landfills
- 4.3 million sq. ft. certified green real estate

47% reduction in greenhouse gas emissions since 2009

We have committed to achieving carbon neutrality in all of our manufacturing and key distribution sites by 2030.

Learn more about how we are helping shape the future of the Planet.
We demonstrate our Caring Value by contributing to the well-being of others and to our communities. Our employees have a prominent voice in how we invest in our communities.

- 600+ community events
- 41,000+ volunteer hours
- 10,000+ employee volunteers across 38 countries
- $162 million in charitable donations given globally

In 2019, Boston Scientific helped educate the next generation of diverse talent through 160+ STEM events worldwide.

Our diversity value stands for inclusion, equity and opportunity for all. Our D&I progress was fueled by our 10/20/40 by 2020 goals, and will accelerate with our ambitious 2023 goals:

- Up 3%: Elevate women at supervisor and manager levels to 43%
- Up 3%: Elevate multi-cultural talent at supervisor and manager levels to 23%
- Top 10: Continue to be a recognized leader for D&I

Our quality pledge: “I improve the quality of patient care and all things Boston Scientific.”

Safety
- ZERO Class I recalls and open FDA warning letters in 2019
- Sustainability in Product Packaging
  - ~140 tons of packaging waste diverted from landfills in 2019

Supporting Small Business and Supplier Diversity
- $755 million spent with diverse suppliers in 2019, an 18% increase from 2018

Awards and Recognition
- JUST Capital and Forbes top 30 Most JUST Companies
- #48 in Newsweek’s first ranking of the most responsible companies in America
- #2 in Fortune’s World’s Most Admired Companies in the medical products and equipment category
- Glassdoor’s Employees’ Choice for Best Places to Work
- Derwent Top 100 Global Innovator for 3 consecutive years

Please visit our website for a complete listing of Boston Scientific awards and recognitions.