

Aiming to achieve a sustainable society

Since our foundation in 1717 (Kyoho 2nd year of the Edo period), we have fully committed to the pharmaceutical business, under the corporate philosophy “Dedicated to the Fight against Disease and Pain” over many years. In FY2021, we formulated a new management policy to realize a sustainable society for the next 100 years.

Sustainable Management Policy



For more than 300 years since our founding, we have walked hand in hand with society. To help people who are suffering from disease, we have created a series of innovative new medicines that had been thought to be impossible. We will continue to contribute to people's health by practicing our Corporate Philosophy and taking on the challenge of realizing a sustainable society through responsible business activities.

Contributing to People's Health

- In addition to our own drug discovery, we will take on the challenge of drug research and development in collaboration with the world's top scientists, and bring more hope to patients and their families around the world by providing them with original and innovative medicines that are safe, secure, and appropriate.
- We will contribute to the realization of a society in which people can live healthier lives through our evidence-based, next-generation healthcare business.

Relevant SDGs



Preserving a rich global environment for future generations

We are deeply aware of our social responsibility to the environment, and will actively adopt eco-friendly technologies and work together with our suppliers and partners to pass on a prosperous and sustainable global environment to future generations.

Realizing a society in which everyone can play an active role

Through our business activities, we will contribute to the realization of a society in which the human rights and diversity of all people are respected and everyone can play an active role.

Establishing a highly transparent and robust management foundation

We will build a strong foundation through corporate governance and conduct highly transparent business activities by strengthening compliance and risk management.

In order to promote management that integrates financial and non-financial aspects based on our growth strategy and Sustainable Management Policy, we changed the name of material issues from “CSR material issues” to “material issues for management,” and re-identified 18 material issues in FY2021. By promoting initiatives for each of these material issues, we will work to improve the sustainability of both the ONO and society and increase corporate value in the long term.

Material Issues

