

Solution sheet – Towards a zero single-use plastic hotel

Created as part of Beyond Plastic Med's hotel training programme



Title of the solution: Vanity Kit

Solution tested by: Poseidonia Beach Hotel

Single-use plastic(s) targeted: Vanity Kit in paper envelope replaced vanity kit being presented in carton boxes and individually placed in plastic bag inserts (dual packaging)

Area: Guest Rooms

Presentation of the alternative: This alternative is being placed upon guest arrival in bedrooms. We have created a corner in the wardrobe (away from the water in the sink to make sure that the paper packaging will not get wet and can be preserved incase guests do not use it) where amenities are being placed with our environmental card and water scarcity card.

Technical and economic information: Unit Price: 0.16 euros

Social and environmental aspects: Guests have commented positively on the feeling of the packaging. Having a single use packaging made from paper which can be easily discarded in paper bin has a positive impact on our waste disposal.

Your advice: Simple and easy solution to be implemented. This alternative is more expensive than the one we had with double packaging. Staff needs to be trained to only replace one the amenity has been used. If the possibility of placing it on demand (depending on the policies in your country and star rating system allows, will reduce the consumption of this product.