

THEY HAVE REDUCED THEIR LINEN PURCHASE BY 50% THANKS TO UBI SOLUTIONS

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AP-HP (Assistance Publique des Hôpitaux de Paris) is the public body managing all Paris Hospitals, which had a lot of linen and money losses. It became politically unsustainable when patients had to be sent to other hospitals because the AP-HP was "out-of-sheets".

The AP-HP had to find a solution to reduce the loses: employees were throwing dirty linen away, because they thought it could not be cleaned. Linen was disappearing during the washing process, what Jean-Charles Grupeli calls "the evaporation of sheets".

To maintain the quality of its services, the hospital had spent 910,000 Euro in 2011 to buy 165,000 clean sheets.

In this hospital, 35 tons of linen are manipulated every day to be washed, dried, ironed and folded. Now, they are tracked with an integrated RFID chip. *"We decided this investment because a lot of linen have disappeared"* explains the director of the AP-HP laundries Jean-Charles Grupeli. *"Since, the annual purchases have decrease by half."*

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