CALIFORNIA TRANSPARENCY IN SUPPLY CHAINS ACT DISCLOSURE

BD is committed to ensuring that its supply chain reflects BD’s core values and respect for social responsibility.

To that end, BD takes the following actions to further its commitment:

- BD takes concerns of forced labor in the supply chain very seriously, complies with laws regarding forced labor in the countries where BD does business, and expects the same from its suppliers.
- BD publishes Expectations for Suppliers specifying the ethical, legal, environmental, and social standards that suppliers are expected to follow, including expectations with regard to forced labor.
- BD has an awareness program for suppliers regarding BD’s Expectations for Suppliers.
- BD maintains the right to conduct site inspections and audits of suppliers, by itself or through a third party.
- BD provides its procurement associates with training on its Expectations for Suppliers to increase their awareness of supply chain issues including forced labor.
- BD is currently exploring options for verifying supplier compliance.
- BD associates and suppliers are invited to report actions inconsistent with the Expectations for Suppliers through BD’s Global Ethics Help Line. 800-821-5452. All such calls will be investigated.