

## Care & Cleaning

### Spot Cleaning

#### **Recommended Cleaning Solution:**

Mixture of Tide® or Oxiclean® and warm water (1 teaspoon of soap for every 16 ounces water)

#### **For general spills, such as water, coffee, wine, etc.:**

Gently blot with dry cloth to remove spill, if the spill has dried, dampen the cloth with water and gently work the spill in a circular motion. Avoid rubbing the area aggressively. Once the spill has been completely removed, it is important to wipe the surface with a dry cloth to remove any remaining moisture.

- If the spill has evolved into a stain, a mixture of a mild soap, and water should be used to remove the stain. Dampen a cloth with the mixture and gently work the stain in a circular motion. Avoid rubbing the area aggressively, and be sure not to over saturate the fabric. After the stain is removed, dampen a cloth with water only and wipe away any excess soap left behind, and wipe the surface with a dry cloth to remove any remaining moisture.

#### **For tougher, non-liquid spills, such as mustard, mayonnaise, sunscreen, etc.:**

Remove the excess contaminant from the surface of the fabric before cleaning. If the spill has dried up on the fabric, a soft brush or butter knife should be used to remove the dried contaminants before any liquid cleaning treatment is performed. After the contaminants have been removed, proceed with the cleaning method above.

#### **For Healthcare stains, such as Blood, Urine, Disinfectant, etc.:**

A water to bleach solution of 5:1 is recommended. It is important to rinse the cleaned area with water, and dry after applying the bleach solution.

#### **Approved cleaners**

It is important to remember that after use of any cleaning agent, the material should be rinsed with water and wiped dry to remove and remaining residue or moisture.

- Shockwave
- Recon

- Benefect
- Microban
- Greased Lightning- Degreaser
- Lysol wipes
  
- Diluted bleach solution (5:1 water to bleach)
- Dispatch disinfectant towels with bleach
- PDI Sani-Hands wipes
- PDI Super Sani-Cloth germicidal disposable wipes
  
- Diversey Morning Mist Neutral Disinfectant Cleaner
- Virex 256
- Fantastik
- Oxycide
- Formula 409

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