Erasable Polyurethane Upholstery Textiles

Care and Cleaning Instructions

W: Clean with a waterbased cleaning agent

REGULAR MAINTENANCE

This erasable, graffiti-proof upholstery textile is created with a proprietary bonding process that prevents ink and stubborn stains from setting into the material. Because this technology is inherent in the manufacturing process and not a topical application, it will last the lifetime of the upholstery. As with any polyurethane textile, it is important to vacuum regularly, using a soft brush attachment, to remove loose dirt and surface dust, including in creases and folds where dust buildup tends to stay hidden. General soiling can be removed with mild soap and water. Follow with a rinse of fresh water and wipe dry with a clean, lint-free cloth. The use of conditioners or protectants is not required or recommended. Periodically, a professional cleaner should thoroughly clean the upholstery to remove the soiling that a normal vacuum cleaner cannot reach.

SPOT CLEANING

Ink marks from a ballpoint pen or permanent marker can be dry-erased by rubbing the area with a clean, lint-free cloth. Tough food stains like ketchup and yellow mustard, and topical antiseptics and lotions that would stain conventional polyurethane upholstery can be easily removed.

STAIN REMOVAL

The key to removing waterbased or oil-based stains is prompt action. Recommended cleaning for different types of stains are listed below.

- For food stains such as ketchup, chocolate, coffee/tea, or salad dressing, wipe affected area with a soft cloth or sponge. If some stain persists, clean with mild soap and water, then rinse with fresh water and wipe dry. For more difficult stains, wipe with a 70% dilution of isopropyl alcohol and water, then wipe dry.
- For healthcare stains such as blood, urine, or Betadine®, wipe affected area with a soft cloth or sponge. If some stain persists, clean with mild soap and water, then rinse with fresh water and wipe dry. To disinfect: wipe the material with a 20% solution of household bleach and water. Make sure to rinse the cleaned area with fresh water and dry with a soft, lint-free cloth.
- For ink or permanent marker, rub affected area with a clean, lint-free cloth and firm pressure. If some stain persists, spray it with a 70% dilution of isopropyl alcohol and water and wipe. Then rinse with fresh water and wipe dry. Note: Removal of ink, particularly permanent marker, may vary depending on how long the ink has set in. Therefore, full removal is not guaranteed.

