

Graffiti-Proof Polycarbonate Upholstery Textiles

Care and Cleaning Instructions

W: Clean with a waterbased cleaning agent

REGULAR MAINTENANCE

This graffiti-proof upholstery textile is created with a proprietary ink-resistant technology that prevents ink and stubborn stains from setting into the material. This unique repel and release system is a dual-action topcoat that allows for easy cleaning, even after long periods of time. As with any polyurethane or polycarbonate upholstery, 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. 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 firmly rubbing the area with a clean, dry cloth until the stain is removed. 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.

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 and appropriate pressure. If some stain persists, clean with mild soap and water, then rinse with fresh water and wipe dry. For difficult stains such as lipstick, crayon, grease, or mustard, wipe with a 70% dilution of isopropyl alcohol and water. Alternately, a 20% solution of bleach and water can be used. Rinse with fresh water and wipe dry.*
- *For healthcare stains such as blood, urine, or Betadine®, wipe affected area with a soft cloth and appropriate pressure. If some stain persists, spray it with a 70% dilution of isopropyl alcohol and 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 soft 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.*
- *For transfer of the indigo dye used in denim jeans: Although the upholstery material is designed to withstand the transfer of most types of indigo dye, in the case that faint dye transfer is visible, it can typically be removed with a 70% dilution of isopropyl alcohol and water. Note: Removal of indigo dye, particularly from wet jeans, may vary depending on the type of denim. Therefore, full removal is not guaranteed.*