

DISINFECTANTS

In Public Places/Spaces – Healthcare Facilities

Antimicrobial disinfectants are critical to reducing the transmission of disease causing pathogens in public spaces.

Their importance is even higher in environments dedicated to the care and treatment of those suffering illnesses or who are more vulnerable due to their medical condition. Germs deposited on surfaces are easily transmissible and can remain for long periods of time. Without a cleaning and disinfection program in-place, they can grow and spread, posing risks of illness to others.

Healthcare facilities often have various environments requiring different levels of disinfection. These include examination rooms, surgery bays, ICUs, pharmacies, waiting rooms, and more.

Antimicrobial products are a key tool in helping to protect doctors, patients, staff, and other visitors from becoming unnecessarily ill. Treatment practices take a variety of forms including wiping down exam tables and doorknobs with sanitary wipes, treating walls and counters with antimicrobial sprays, sterilizing medical instruments and garments, sanitizing bedsheets, and disinfecting floors.

These antimicrobial chemistries play a vital role every day in the operation of healthcare facilities, reducing the risk of Hospital Acquired Infections and helping to ensure a safe and hygienic environment for the people who work there and those seeking care.



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