#### **CARE GUIDE S**

For **Stylecare**<sup>™</sup> fabrics suitable for healthcare & senior living upholstery.



# **Stylecare** TM SPECIALIST PERFORMANCE FABRICS

Stylecare<sup>™</sup> are specialist sanitised fabrics from Sunbury Design specifically for healthcare and senior living applications and for use in environments where impervious, durable stain resistant, 'safe fabrics' are required.

anti-microbial anti-fungal soil resistant waterproof fire retardant

## ANTIBACTERIAL, IMPERVIOUS & EASY CLEAN

- Easily clean away most common spillages including ketchup, mayonnaise, mustard, wine, coffee, honey, Coke etc.
- Waterproof and urea resistant, hydrostatic head >1mtr, no deterioration after 24 hours 5.5ph & 8.8ph urea soak.
- Stylecare™ includes antibacterial properties reducing the activity of enveloped viruses.
- Tested for harmful substances according to Oeko-Tex Standard 100.

#### CARE GUIDELINES GENERAL RULES TO FOLLOW FOR REGULAR CARE.

- Clean spillages and stains by initially blotting up any excess liquid with a tissue, do not leave to dry in. Use a little fresh water and a microfibre cloth to gently clean in a circular motion taking care not to rub stain deeper into fabric.
- For stubborn or 'left in' staining use water with a little neutral liquid soap (max 5% solution), repeat if necessary.
- Using liquid soap and water can be one of the most effective cleaning methods. Caution should be taken not to over wet the fabric and ensure all soap residue is removed to avoid fabric discolouration and odour. Injection extraction cleaners are a good and time efficient way to deep clean.
- After cleaning allow to completely dry before use and then gently brush with a soft brush in the direction of the pile.
- Clean up spills and stains right away, the longer stains are allowed to remain the more difficult they are to remove.
- Do not soak or over wet the fabric as this may cause unsightly water marking.
- Do not use bleach, strong chemicals, toxic substances, acids or strong solvents.
- Regularly cleaning is recommended to keep the fabric looking good for longer.
- Regularly brush using a soft headed brush to remove normal dust or gently vacuum away loose dirt before it becomes embedded in the fabric. For solid or semi-solid spills remove excess by gently lifting off with a blunt knife or spatula.
- Strong or neat alchol if not cleaned immediately may cause damage to the fabric.
- Protect from excessive sunlight and avoid contact with strong heat.
- When dealing with any stain it is important to always test an inconspicuous area of the fabric first to ensure the treatment will not cause permanent damage. If in any doubt specialist upholstery cleaning advise should be obtained.

## DEEP CLEANING DISINFECTING STYLECARETM FABRICS.

Stylecare™ includes an antibacterial finish which is effective in reducing the build-up and activity of bacteria and viruses, however if disinfection cleaning is required the following is recommended:

- Although using liquid soap and water is one of the most effective cleaning methods, for infection control we would recommend using a phenolic disinfectant solution or dilution of Dettol or similar following manufacturers instructions.
- Antibacterial wipes and sprays suitable for upholstery can be used following manufacturers guidelines.
- The use of bleach or alchol solutions is not recommended.
- Do not dry clean, steam clean or use solvents as over time this could affect the fabrics performance.

IMPORTANT. Although this fabric will resist most types of staining under normal contract conditions it does require regular care as described. Spills that are allowed to remain on the fabric for long periods of time can cause damage and in rare cases may not be completely removed. Stylecare™ drastically reduces the chances of the fabric staining although we are unable to garantee against all types of staining and marking and accept that there may be environments where its use is not suitable and non upholstered furniture would be more appropriate. In these instances we cannot be held responsible for the performance of the fabric. We do not recommend and take no responsibility for the performance of the fabric when used for piping. Our 'limitation of liability' as detailed on our price list applies.











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