

# CARE GUIDE EG

For fabrics treated with **Evergreen**

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## EVERGREEN PFC FREE FABRIC PROTECTION

**Evergreen** is a durable, fluorine free, highly effective water-repellent treatment developed to protect your fabric against the majority of everyday spills and stains. Ideal for contract/hospitality upholstery it is an ecological and sustainable technology offering solvent free, APEO (alkylphenol ethoxylates) free and PFC (perfluorocarbon PFOA, PFOS) free fabric protection.

**Evergreen** includes an antibacterial finish which is effective in reducing the build up and activity of viruses. This finish is a sustainable metal free, biodegradable technology which complies to Oeko-tex class 1 and when tested to ISO 18184:2019 shows a +99% reduction in microorganisms within 1 hour or less.

## ECO FRIENDLY ANTIBACTERIAL & EASY CLEAN WITH EVERGREEN

- Permanent, wash resistant finish makes cleaning most common spillages easy.
- PFOA and PFOS free.
- Includes antibacterial properties reducing the activity of enveloped viruses.
- **Evergreen** is OEKO-TEX Standard 100 compliant.

## 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 soap (max 5% solution), repeat if necessary.
- 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 alcohol 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 advice should be obtained.

## DEEP CLEANING DISINFECTING FABRICS TREATED WITH EVERGREEN

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

- 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.
- Antibacterial wipes and sprays suitable for upholstery can be used following manufacturers guidelines.
- The use of bleach or alcohol solutions is not recommended.

**IMPORTANT.** **Evergreen** is a water-repellent finish designed to resist aqueous spills and staining under normal contract conditions when this care guide is followed. 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. **Evergreen** reduces the chances of fabric staining although we are unable to guarantee 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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