

# BE PREPARED.

Practicing good hand hygiene is your best defense against illness-causing germs.

A healthy building starts with WAXIE® solutions for environmentally responsible hand hygiene in the workplace.

# 1.

## HAND WASHING

Today's office buildings have a variety of hand hygiene challenges from general handwashing in the restroom to removing heavy duty soils in physical plant areas.

### WHY FACTORY-SEALED REFILLS?

The soap inside is protected from contamination because it is factory sealed and includes a fresh nozzle with each refill. WAXIE soaps, including our green certified foam soaps, are the logical choice for proper hand hygiene.



# 2.

## HAND SANITIZING

### WHEN SOAP & WATER ARE NOT AVAILABLE.

Germs are often found where employees spend most of their time – the desktop. Busy people don't have time to wash their hands frequently, so the result may be the spread of germs that may cause illness, absenteeism and lost productivity. The CDC and the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services recommend the use of instant hand sanitizers when you can't get to soap and water.



3 Meets EcoLogo® hand sanitizer standard for environmental leadership and proven performance.



**PURELL® is America's #1 instant hand sanitizer.**

PURELL Advanced Instant Hand Sanitizer is proven to kill 99.99% of germs **on hands**, not just in the lab.<sup>4</sup>

4 Healthcare Personnel Handwash Study at 3ml of product.

## PROPER HAND HYGIENE FOR A HEALTHIER WORK ENVIRONMENT



WAXIE offers a complete line of products and delivery systems that promote hand hygiene in a way that is easy to implement and effective. In addition to providing solutions for a healthier work environment, WAXIE-Green certified products have a low environmental impact.

Ask your WAXIE Sanitary Maintenance Consultant about how LEED® Accredited Professionals at WAXIE can assist you with implementing an effective hand hygiene program in your facility.

**WAXIE-Green Certified Foam Soaps and PURELL® Green Certified Instant Hand Sanitizer reduce the impact on human health and the environment.**

- Readily biodegradable formulas
- Produced with natural renewable resources
- Recyclable packaging diverts waste from landfills



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**SIMPLE, EFFECTIVE HAND HYGIENE FOR A HEALTHY WORKPLACE & ENVIRONMENT**





**Illness outbreaks can severely impact employee health and your business...**

## ARE YOU PREPARED?

**M**ost germs are spread by hands; hands carry germs throughout the office. With one touch, germs may spread to co-workers and common work surfaces.

**The average desk harbors over 10 million germs.<sup>2</sup>**  
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## AND DID YOU KNOW?..



**Bulk soap dispensers are open to the environment.**

Germs grow inside because it isn't practical for maintenance personnel to properly clean and sanitize them each time they are refilled. New soap becomes tainted as it is added to contaminated soap.

**1 out of 4 people** who use the restroom **DO NOT WASH** their hands.<sup>1</sup>



LOBBY & RECEPTION AREAS



RESTROOMS



CAFE & BREAK ROOMS



CONFERENCE ROOMS



EMPLOYEE WORKSTATIONS



MAINTENANCE & RECEIVING AREAS



FITNESS CENTERS

## PROPER HAND HYGIENE ISN'T JUST IN THE RESTROOM.

### 3 Café / Break Room

**PROBLEM:**

Common areas where items and surfaces are used by many may harbor germs.

**SOLUTION:**

- WAXIE® Clean Touch™ Green Certified Foam Soap
- WAXIE Clean Touch Antimicrobial Foam Soap
- PURELL® Advanced Green Certified Instant Hand Sanitizer
- PURELL Cottony Soft Sanitizing Wipes

### 2 Restrooms

**PROBLEM:**

Bulk-filled soap dispensers may contain illness-causing germs and bacteria.

**SOLUTION:**

- WAXIE Clean Touch Green Certified Foam Soap
- WAXIE Clean Touch Antimicrobial Foam Soap
- PURELL Advanced Green Certified Instant Hand Sanitizer
- PURELL Advanced Instant Hand Sanitizer

### 1 Lobby / Reception Areas

**PROBLEM:**

High traffic areas used by many can facilitate the spread of germs.

**SOLUTION:**

- PURELL Advanced Green Certified Instant Hand Sanitizer
- PURELL Advanced Instant Hand Sanitizer
- PURELL Sanitizing Stations

### 4 Conference Rooms

**PROBLEM:**

No access to soap and water.

**SOLUTION:**

- PURELL® Advanced Green Certified Instant Hand Sanitizer
- PURELL Advanced Instant Hand Sanitizer
- PURELL Sanitizing Hand Wipes

### 5 Employee Workstations

**PROBLEM:**

No access to soap and water.

**SOLUTION:**

- PURELL Advanced Green Certified Instant Hand Sanitizer
- PURELL Advanced Instant Hand Sanitizer
- PURELL Desk Caddy
- PURELL PAL™ Holder

### 6 Tough Soils Area

**PROBLEM:**

Frequent contact with grease and tough soils.

**SOLUTION:**

- WAXIECare Industrial/Tough Soil Products
- WAXIE Clean Touch Green Certified Foam Soap
- WAXIE Clean Touch Antimicrobial Foam Soap
- PURELL Advanced Green Certified Instant Hand Sanitizer
- PURELL Advanced Instant Hand Sanitizer

### 7 Fitness Center

**PROBLEM:**

Shared equipment surfaces can retain germs.

**SOLUTION:**

- PURELL Advanced Green Certified Instant Hand Sanitizer
- PURELL Sanitizing Wipes
- PURELL Advanced Instant Hand Sanitizer



<sup>1</sup> Sept. 2007, Observational study sponsored by the American Society of Microbiology and the Soap and Detergent Association (SDA)  
<sup>2</sup> C.P. Gerba. *Germs in the Workplace*. Unpublished observational study. University of Arizona.