Boltaflex® Upholstery featuring PreFixx® Protective Finish

A Key Component in the Battle Against Healthcare-Associated Infections (HAIs)
Boltaflex® upholsteries with PreFixx® protective finish are engineered to meet the stringent requirements of hospital, contract and institutional settings. As part of a comprehensive cleaning and disinfecting program, Boltaflex upholsteries with PreFixx is an important component in the battle to control and reduce Healthcare-Associated Infections (HAI).

The Right Choice for Healthcare Upholstery

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**Durable, Extended Life**

OMNOVA's PreFixx protective finish greatly increases scuff and abrasion resistance leading to longer lasting upholstery. Boltaflex upholstery featuring PreFixx withstands over 1 million double cycles in the Wyzenbeek #8 cotton duck test method. This translates to upholstery life up to 2-3 times that of most woven textiles and up to 2 times that of similarly constructed vinyl coated fabrics without OMNOVA's PreFixx protective finish.

**Easy to Maintain and Clean with Enhanced Stain Resistance**

PreFixx protective finish is a barrier that resists stains from penetrating the surface of the upholstery. Boltaflex upholstery with PreFixx provides superior chemical resistance from a wide range of healthcare cleaners. Spills or bodily fluids don’t require removing upholstered products from a facility for dry cleaning; the surface can be easily cleaned — often with only a mild soap and water.
Engineered for Healthcare Settings

OMNOVA’s Boltaflex upholsteries with PreFixx are engineered to incorporate the preferred surface characteristics for healthcare facility interior products:

- Superior chemical resistance
- Easy to maintain, repair and clean
- Nonporous and smooth
- Durable
- Sustainable
- Cost-effective (both initial and life-cycle cost)
- Provides options for color, pattern and texture
- Made of non-allergenic materials

Upholstery in healthcare environments, including both acute and non-acute settings, needs to be durable and resist discoloration and damage to the finish from cleaning and disinfecting with a variety of chemicals. OMNOVA Solutions recommends vinyl coated fabrics with PreFixx protective finish for these applications.

### Chemical Resistance

In laboratory testing, upholstery protected with PreFixx finish was treated with the following disinfectants with no or little discoloration or damage to the upholstery. This testing may not reflect actual results in the field. Please see Technical Bulletin for full list of approved disinfectants.

- Bleach-Rite disinfecting spray
- Cavicide I
- Clorox Healthcare Bleach germicidal wipes and cleaner
- Clorox Healthcare hydrogen peroxide wipes and spray
- Clorox EZ Kill wipes
- Diluted bleach solution (10%)
- PDI Sani-Cloth Plus
- PDI Sani-Cloth AF3
- OPTIM 33 TB
- OXIVIR TB
- PDI Sani-Cloth HB
- SaniZide Plus germicidal solution
- Virex II 256

The following cleaners should be used with a soft cloth or damp sponge to remove chemical residue.

**Primary Recommended Cleaner:**
- Formula 409 All-Purpose spray cleaner

**Secondary Recommended Cleaners:**
- Lysol Clean and Fresh Multi-Surface Cleaner (Reckitt Benckiser)
- Lestoil Heavy Duty Cleaner (Clorox)
- Mr. Clean / Flash Clean and Shine (Procter & Gamble)
- Eco Touch All Purpose Premium Care

After cleaning, rinse area with clean water, then dry with a clean, lint-free cloth. Failure to remove chemical residue will cause discoloration of the coated fabric surface to manifest earlier in the life cycle of the product.

*All disinfectants and cleaning agents contain chemicals that degrade coated fabric upholstery to some extent. To promote a long product life, it is recommended that the PreFixx cleaning and maintenance protocol be employed regularly.

**Inclusion in this document does not imply “fit for use.” Customers should first determine if products are appropriate for use on their surfaces.

### Care & Cleaning

Remove ordinary dirt and smudges with a mild soap and water solution and a clean, soft cloth or towel. Dry with a soft, lint-free cloth or towel. CAUTION: The use of upholstery “conditioners” or “protectants” is not recommended and should be avoided on vinyl upholstery treated with PreFixx protective finish. See www.omnova.com/prefixx for special cleaning instructions.