# RDP Cleaning Guide

The maintenance of high standards of cleanliness on all surfaces and equipment is a crucial factor in the prevention and control of infection. Whilst all dust, dirt and moisture can harbour infection, the key risks are associated with contamination arising from contact with blood, body fluids, mucous membranes and damaged skin. In all cases surfaces must be thoroughly cleaned and disinfected in order to destroy any pathogenic micro organisms.

RDP products have been designed for use in demanding environments; however a few important points that should be noted:

### **Painted Surfaces**

- Painted surfaces should be cleaned using a soft damp non-abrasive cloth and wiped dry
- All cleaning solutions must be non-abrasive

## **Plastics**

- Plastics should be cleaned using a soft damp non abrasive cloth and wiped dry
- All cleaning solutions must be non-abrasive

#### Laminates

- Laminates should be cleaned using a soft damp non abrasive cloth and wiped dry
- All cleaning solutions must be non-abrasive

## **Electrical Components**

- Electrical components should not be exposed to any form of liquid
- Plastic casings can be cleaned using a soft damp non-abrasive cloth and wiped dry

## **Cleaning Chemicals**

Due to the quantity of different cleaning products available, it is not possible to list all acceptable brands. We can however confirm that our products are compatible with most hospital grade solutions and cleaning products containing:

- Hydrogen Peroxide Solutions
- Sodium Dichloroisocyanurate Solutions
- Alcohol (Ethyl or Isopropyl) Solutions
- Hypochlorite Solutions
- Other Chlorine Based Cleaning Solutions
- Alcohol Wipes (Ethyl or Isopropyl)

#### Do Not...

- Use strong solvents such as trichloroethylene and acetone
- Use detergents that form lime
- Use abrasive products, i.e. steel-wool, abrasive pads
- Use synthetic detergents
- Use wax polishes
- Use aerosol sprays

Solutions must be diluted in accordance the with manufacturer's instructions for use on medical products/furniture

















