

Long-Term Care Facility Product Guide

For administrators, clinical and environmental services team members working in skilled nursing facilities, assisted living and other LTC environments

Creating Clean, Comfortable and Compliant Long-Term Care Environments Can Be a Challenge

Facilities must comply with additional infection prevention requirements

- ▶ As November 28, 2019, CMS requires participating long-term care facilities to be in full compliance with updated infection prevention regulations which includes a designated infection preventionist on staff and documenting cleaning and disinfection protocols.¹

Facility cleanliness can impact reputation and census

- ▶ 88% of surveyed Americans agree that they would have a negative view of a skilled nursing facility or long-term care facility if it is not clean.
- ▶ Most Americans would switch themselves or a loved one from a long-term care facility if it was consistently dirty (90%) or smelled bad (86%).²

Outbreaks and infections are common and costly

- ▶ **3 out of 4 Norovirus outbreaks in the U.S. can be attributed to long-term care**, and each outbreak can cost a facility up to \$48,000.³
- ▶ In one study of 555 residents transitioning from a hospital back to a nursing home, 19% had a healthcare associated infections within 45 days of discharge.⁴

Pathogens can spread quickly inside and outside of resident rooms

- ▶ In one study, up to 49% of surfaces throughout a long-term care facility were contaminated with a viral tracer within 4 hours.⁵
- ▶ One study of 8 long-term care facilities showed that residents and staff come into contact on average 5.8 times an hour in common spaces.⁶



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Cleaning and Disinfecting Product Solutions for Long-Term Care Facilities

Challenges	Key Clorox Solutions		Why Clorox?
	Item No.	Description	
Preventing the spread of <i>C.difficile</i> spores and other HAI-causing pathogens	31478	Clorox Healthcare® Fuzion® Cleaner Disinfectant Spray, 9/32 fl. oz. 	▶ Clorox Healthcare® Fuzion® kills <i>C. diff</i> spores and 52 other pathogens in 2 minutes with a low-odor, low-residue formula to enable facility-wide use
	32536 32408 32409	Clorox Healthcare® Spore Defense™ Cleaner Disinfectant Trigger Spray, 9/32 fl. oz. Pull-Top Bottle, 9/32 fl. oz. Refill, 4/128 fl. oz. 	▶ Clorox Healthcare® Spore Defense™ kills <i>C. diff</i> in 5 minutes and 38 additional bacteria, viruses and fungi in 1 minute
Compliantly cleaning shared resident care equipment	35309 30577 31424	Clorox Healthcare® Bleach Germicidal Wipes 6.75"x9", 6/70 ct. 6"x5", 6/150 ct. 6.75"x9", 6/50 ct. carton 	▶ Clorox Healthcare® Bleach Germicidal Wipes kill <i>C. diff</i> spores, bloodborne pathogens, and other HAI-causing pathogens in 3 minutes or less and are recommended in equipment cleaning and care guides
	68967 68970 68832 68973 68978	Clorox Healthcare® Bleach Spray, 8/22 fl. oz. Spray, 6/32 fl. oz. Pull-Top Bottle, 9/32 fl. oz. Refill, 6/64 fl. oz. Refill, 4/128 fl. oz. 	
	30828 30829	Clorox Healthcare® Hydrogen Peroxide Cleaner Disinfectant Liquids Spray, 9/32 fl. oz. Refill, 4/128 fl. oz. 	▶ Clorox Healthcare® Hydrogen Peroxide Cleaner Disinfectant is EPA-registered to kill bacteria on soft surfaces in just 30 seconds
Cleaning, disinfecting and deodorizing after bio spills and accidents	31903 31910 31911	Clorox Commercial Solutions® Clorox® Disinfecting Bio Stain & Odor Remover Spray, 9/32 fl. oz. Refill, 4/128 fl. oz. Pull-Top Bottle, 9/32 fl. oz. 	▶ EPA-registered to kill 19 pathogens found in bio soils in as little as 30 seconds ▶ Meets OSHA Bloodborne Pathogens Standard ▶ EPA-registered to sanitize soft surfaces
Disinfecting large common spaces	60025 32122	Clorox® Total 360® System Electrostatic Sprayer, 1/1 ct. Spore Defense™ Cleaner Disinfectant 4/128 fl. oz. For more information, contact your Clorox Healthcare account manager or visit www.cloroxtotal360.com 	▶ Electrostatic technology enables disinfecting around objects and beneath surfaces ▶ The Clorox® Total 360® System is up to 75% faster vs. using a trigger sprayer ▶ Clorox Healthcare® Spore Defense™ kills <i>C. diff</i> in 5 minutes and 38 additional bacteria, viruses and fungi in 1 minute
Foul odors in the air	31711 31708 31710	Clorox Commercial Solutions® Clorox® Odor Defense™ Aerosol spray, 12/14 fl. oz. Air and fabric spray, 9/32 fl. oz. Timed Metered aerosol spray, 12/6 fl. oz. 	▶ Scientifically formulated to identify, capture and eliminate the toughest odors
	31036	Clorox Commercial Solutions® Clorox® Urine Remover Spray, 9/32 fl. oz. 	▶ Hydrogen peroxide based formula designed for hard and soft surfaces ▶ Breaks down urine quickly to eliminate odors and stains