

GENERAL CARE CLEANING PRACTICES

- Dirt and dust can cause fabric to wear faster, we recommend vacuuming your Sustain Performance Fabrics regularly with an upholstery attachment (a hose or light brush).
- Flip, rotate and fluff removable cushions regularly to ensure even wear and increase longevity.
- An annual professional cleaning will keep your upholstered furniture looking its best.
- General maintenance requires promptly treating spots and stains and should include routine, on-going care which reduces soil build-up on a fabric's surface.
- Do not rub or brush excessively or you may cause fuzzing.

SPOT CLEANING WITH SOAP + WATER FOR EVERYDAY MESSES (light to medium stains)

- 1. Blot liquids on the surface with a clean, soft towel and brush away any loose dirt or debris.
- 2. Prepare a cleaning solution of a ¼ tsp. of mild detergent (such as dishwashing liquid) per 1 cup of lukewarm water.
- 3. Apply the solution using a misting spray bottle.
- 4. Work the solution into the affected area by lighting scrubbing the area with a sponge or soft bristle brush. Work from the outside of the stain inward to prevent spreading the stain. Rinse your sponge and brush frequently.
- 5. Allow the cleaning solution to soak into the fabric for a few minutes.
- 6. Rinse thoroughly to remove all soap residue, as soap residue will attract dirt. Blot excess moisture away with a clean, soft towel.
- 7. Repeat steps 3 6 as needed and allow fabric to air dry.

SPOT CLEANING WITH BLEACH + WATER (stubborn or excessive stains)

- 1. Blot liquids on the surface with a clean, soft towel and brush away any loose dirt or debris.
- 2. Prepare a bleach and water cleaning solution using a 1:10 ratio (1 part bleach to 10 parts water).
- 3. Apply the bleach and water solution using a misting spray bottle and allow the solution to soak into the fabric for a few minutes.
- 4. Work the solution into the affected area by lighting scrubbing the area with a sponge or soft bristle brush. Work from the outside of the stain inward to not further spread the stain. Rinse your sponge and brush frequently
- 5. Blot and thoroughly rinse fabric with water until the stain is cleaned. *Make sure that all the bleach is rinsed off the surface of the fabric. Allow the fabric to air dry.

HOW TO TREAT OIL-BASED STAINS

- 1) Immediately apply an absorbent, such as cornstarch or baking soda, directly on the stain and let it sit for 10 minutes to help lift the stain.
- 2) Remove the excess absorbent with a straight edge or ruler to prevent the stain from being pressed into the fabric. It is imperative to utilize vacuum extraction to remove any excess absorbent.
- 3) Proceed with the routine spot cleaning process.