# Concertex

## CLEANING GUIDE

### Product

Argon

Application

Upholstery

**Content** 100% Phthalate Free Vinyl

**Finish** Advanced Protective Topcoat

### **Cleaning Code**

W/S, Bleach (10:1)
W (water) - Clean fabric with a water-based cleaner
S (solvent) - Clean fabric with a water-free dry-cleaning solvent
Bleach - Clean fabric with a bleach solution of 10 parts water to
I part bleach



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### **Care Guidelines**

Basic Maintenance such as removal of dust and stains will keep your upholstery looking good and performing well for years. Any stains should be addressed promptly since, the longer the stain remains, the more difficult it will be to remove and untreated stains may become permanent. For very large or difficult stains, we recommend that you contact a reputable, professional upholstery cleaning company.

### **Removal of Stains**

The type of stain you are trying to remove will dictate the type of cleaner to be used. Water-based stains should be removed with a water-based cleaners. Oil-based stains should be removed with a water-free, dry cleaning solvent. A water/bleach solution can also be used for more challenging stains.

If the stain is wet, gently blot away any extra fluid that might remain on the fabric. If a stain still remains and additional cleaning is required, a cleaner can be applied lightly to a soft cloth and gently worked into the stained area. The cleaner can then be wiped away using a damp cloth. Use clean water to rinse away any remaining cleaning solution. We recommend cleaning of stains with a light application of the cleaning solution. The process can be repeated if additional cleaning is required. Avoid heavy application of cleaning agents and saturation of the fabric as this can cause damage and leave marks.

If the stain is dry, a soft bristle brush can be used to gently remove any remaining accumulated matter. Any loose material can then be vacuumed away and, if a stain remains, cleaning can then be performed as described above.

If a stain cannot be removed by these methods, a solution of 10 parts water to 1 part bleach can be used. Never use full strength bleach. Apply the solution to the stained area and allow it to linger on the fabric for approximately 15 minutes. The bleach solution must be thoroughly rinsed away with clean water and dried using a soft towel. Be sure to remove all bleach solution as any that is allowed to remain may damage the fabric and shorten the life of the product.

Any cleaning agent should always be tested on an area of the piece that is not readily visible before being applied to the stained area.

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### Sanitizing

Sanitizing can be done simply with the bleach solution as described above. If a more intensive sanitization is desired, please refer to the list of approved healthcare cleaners. All of the cleaners listed should be used according to the guidelines provided by the manufacturer including dilution and contact time. The cleaners must be thoroughly rinsed away with clean water and dried using a soft towel. Be sure to remove all of the cleaning solution as any that is allowed to remain may damage the fabric and shorten the life of the product.

#### Warranty

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### **Approved Healthcare Cleaners**

This list represents some of the most common sanitizing options available and is not intended to be comprehensive.

3M C Diff Solution Tablets 3M HB Ouat CaviCide Cavi Wipes XL Clorox Healthcare Hydrogen Peroxide Wipes Ecolab A456 II Formula 409 Hydrogen Peroxide Isopropyl Alcohol (70%) Lysol Disinfectant Spray Oxivir Five 16 Oxivir TB Wipes Oxycide Perisept Sani Cloth AF3 Germicidal Wipes Virex II 256 Virex Plus