



- The following maintenance instructions are designed to minimise the cost factor, while ensuring that your floorcovering retains the optimum appearance and performance.
- Polysafe Wood FX is reinforced with polyurethane for improved cleaning and maintenance - this ensures that - even after transportation, installation and the period prior to handover - the intensity of construction clean can be significantly reduced. This will have a beneficial impact on the initial costs.



INITIAL CONSTRUCTION CLEAN

- Remove all loose debris.
- Remove surface dust and grit by sweeping or vacuuming.
- Apply a solution of neutral cleanser (or alkaline cleanser, dependent upon the level of soiling), diluted to the manufacturer's instructions, with a spray over the section to be cleaned. Leave for sufficient time to react with the soiling.
- Pick up the solution with a clean microfibre mop, using a continuous side-to-side motion. When the mop head becomes loaded, it will start streaking the floor. At this point the dirty mop head should be removed and placed into a laundry bag and a clean mop head fitted. The cycle should then be repeated until the whole floor is completed.
- The dirty mop heads should then be laundered, in preparation for reuse.



ROUTINE MAINTENANCE

The method of maintenance chosen from the options below is dependent on the level of traffic in the use area. Contact Polyflor Customer Technical Services for more details.

MICRO FIBRE MOP

- Remove surface dust and grit by sweeping or vacuum.
- Apply a solution of neutral cleanser (or alkaline cleanser, dependent upon the level of grease or oily contaminants), diluted to the manufacturer's instructions, with a spray over the section to be cleaned. Leave for sufficient time to react with the soiling.
- Pick up the solution with a clean microfibre mop, using a continuous side-to-side motion. When the mop head becomes loaded, it will start streaking the floor. At this point the dirty mop head should be removed and placed into a laundry bag and a clean mop head fitted. The cycle should then be repeated until the whole floor is completed.
- The dirty mop heads should then be laundered, in preparation for reuse.
- The maximum benefits are derived from this system by carrying out this quick and simple procedure on a daily basis, and by using clean equipment each time, to maximise dirt pick-up and eliminate streaking.

ROTARY MACHINE SCRUBBER

- Sweep, mop sweep or dry vacuum the floor to remove dust and loose dirt.
- Spot mop regularly. Stubborn black marks can be removed by using the centre disc of a scrubbing pad and a small amount of undiluted alkaline cleanser. Place the disc under the sole of a shoe and rub - this gives greater pressure. Rinse the area well with clean warm water and leave to dry.
- Apply a solution of neutral or alkaline cleanser, diluted to the manufacturer's instructions, to the floor and leave for sufficient time to react with the soiling. Using a 165 rpm rotary machine fitted with a rotary scrubbing brush or, if necessary, a scrubbing pad, machine scrub the floor and then pick up the slurry with a wet vacuum. Rinse thoroughly with clean, warm water, pick up with a wet vacuum and leave to dry thoroughly.
- Other cleaning methods such as a deck scrubber or mop and bucket system can be used with the appropriate neutral or alkaline cleanser - full details are available from Polyflor.



APPLICATION OF A FLOOR DRESSING

- A floor dressing or maintainer containing polish should not be applied to Polysafe Wood FX, as this may impair the slip resistance but, if in doubt, consult our Technical Support staff.



- Always follow the Health and Safety guidance provided.
- REGULAR CLEANING IS MORE BENEFICIAL TO THE FLOORCOVERING AND MORE COST-EFFECTIVE THAN OCCASIONAL HEAVY CLEANING.**
- Cleaners and detergents should be diluted as per the manufacturers' instructions. For recommended products, see the Polyflor Approved Maintenance Products sheet located within the Technical section of www.polyflor.com.
- Polysafe safety flooring ranges are compatible for use with the most commonly used alco-based hand gels and are suitable for steam cleaning on a periodic basis.
- For further clarification and advice on specific applications, consult Polyflor Customer Technical Services on +44 (0)161 767 1912, or email tech@polyflor.com.