



# High Performance Wall Coating Systems

## Recommended Cleaning Methods

### AltroGuard™ Systems

<p><b>Routine Cleaning</b></p>	<p>Wash down periodically, or to a planned programme as required, with AltroGuard Bioclean or a proprietary cleaning agent (test suitability first).          Altro recommend AltroGuard Bioclean which contains an integral biocide and eliminates the possibility of build up of micro organisms on the surface, making it particularly suitable when a hygienic surface is required.          To use: dilute 1 part with 20 parts of clean water. Apply, and then wash off thoroughly with clean water after use.</p>
<p><b>Sterilisation</b></p>	<p>Apply AltroGuard Bioclean          Light Contamination: Dilute 1:1 clean water          Heavy Contamination: Use undiluted          AltroGuard Bioclean should be left on the surface for a minimum of 15 minutes and should then be washed off thoroughly with clean water and the surface allowed to dry, before commencing application of the coatings.</p>
<p><b>Pressure Cleaning</b></p>	<p>Cured AltroGuard may be pressure cleaned ensuring that water temperature/pressure does not exceed 60°C/100 Bar. Care should be taken to maintain the nozzle a minimum of 600mm (approx. 2 feet) from the surface.</p>

Failure to maintain AltroGuard systems in accordance with recommended procedure can affect the performance of the product. Further information is available from Altro Walls. Please ensure you have

the Health and Safety Data sheet for any cleaner you intend to use. In the event of any queries our Technical Services Department will be pleased to advise you.

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## Tips for Successful Maintenance of AltroGuard Wall Coating Systems

- 1. Develop a regular cleaning programme suited to the usage and traffic of the area** – heavily trafficked or highly visible areas, or locations with rigorous hygiene requirements, need to be cleaned more often than areas which are seldom used, or where appearance is less important. A weekly cleaning programme is the minimum recommended.
- 2. Use recommended cleaning chemicals** – use only recommended cleaning liquids, their equivalents or sterilising solutions in the correct concentration. Do not mix cleaning chemicals together, and always follow the manufacturer's instructions.
- 3. Remove scuff marks and heavy soiling regularly** – marks and soiling should be removed more often than the maintenance programme, e.g. daily. Never use abrasive pads or cleaners.
- 4. Hot water lances can cause damage** - use with care and never with the nozzle closer than 600mm or above maximum temperature recommendations.

High quality cleaning chemicals ensure efficient maintenance and represent only a small proportion of maintenance costs. The following suppliers offer excellent products:

### Cleaning Agents and Polishes

**AltroGuard Bioclean is available from:**

**Altro** Tel: 01502 561364; Fax: 01502 588848;  
E-mail: walls@altro.co.uk

The following companies stock proprietary cleaning agents. Always check their suitability before use and follow the manufacturers' instructions:

**British Nova Works Ltd** Tel: 0208 574 6531;  
Fax: 0208 571 7572

**CSA** Tel: 01954 251573; Fax: 01954 251 931;  
E-mail: csaeagle@fsbdial.co.uk

**Diversey Lever Ltd** Tel: 01604 405311;  
Fax: 01604 406809

**Hako Clean Midlands** Tel: 01788 823535;  
Fax: 01788 823969; E-mail: sales@hako.co.uk

**Premier Products** Tel: 01242 243421;  
Fax: 01242 528445;  
E-mail: premier@premierproducts.co.uk

**Prochem Europe Ltd** Tel: 0208 974 1515;  
Fax: 0208 974 1511; E-mail: sales@prochem.co.uk

**SC Johnson** Tel: 01276 63456; Fax: 01276 852308

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