



Trust a PCS 1000 ppm Oxidizing disinfectant/disinfectant cleaner to disinfect and remove bacteria attached in biofilms.

5986-6	PCS 1000 Oxidizing wipe kit 6 x 70 wiper/cs Three year shelf life
5989	PCS 1000 Oxidizing wipe kit 1x 110 wipe pail. Three year shelf life.
5963-6	PCS 1000 Oxidizing Disinfectant Cleaner Wipes 6 x 70/cs Pre moistened one year shelf life
5906-6	PCS 1000 Oxidizing Disinfectant cleaner 6 x 946 ml Three year shelf life.

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"Most quaternary ammonium cation (QUATs) cleaners do not have activity against Norovirus. Some jurisdictions recommend sodium hypochlorite at 1,000 to 5,000 ppm. Clean ER/urgent care centre bathrooms at least every four hours, more frequently if needed, preferably using a sporicidal agent."

Guidelines for Outbreak Prevention, Control and Management in Supportive Living and Home Living Sites

The most recent guidelines published October 2013 Alberta Health guidelines section dealing with Environmental Cleaning.

IF NOROVIRUS IS AFFECTING YOUR COMMUNITY, HERE ARE SOME ACTIONS YOU CAN TAKE TO HELP PREVENT FURTHER ILLNESS

Scientific experts from the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) helped to develop this poster.

Biofilms develop on dry surfaces in hospitals and day care centers.

New research provides evidence that bacteria can form biofilms on dry surfaces. Surfactant based detergents and disinfectants may not be effective.

<u>Presence of biofilm containing viable multiresistant organisms despite terminal cleaning on clinical surfaces in an intensive care unit.</u>
Journal of Hospital Infection 80 (2012) 52e55

Toys, Books, Cribs Harbor Bacteria for Long Periods Streptococcus biofilms persisted on objects and surfaces in a daycare center, in some cases after a cleaning

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