

# CARE AND MAINTENANCE

## CLEANING

All C/S Wallglaze Hygienic Coatings will inhibit the growth of bacteria and fungi, both at the substrate to coating and the coating to the environment interfaces. However, the build up of grease, dirt and nutrients on the coating's surface will impair its effectiveness, thus creating a surface where bacteria and fungi can grow. Regular cleaning should therefore be undertaken to reduce the amount of soiling that takes place in critical environments.

Should C/S Wallglaze products become soiled the following procedure should be adhered to:-

### Acrylic systems - Wallsheen

Add a small amount of **C/S Wallclenze** (or similar product) to warm water (40-50°C) at an approximate ratio of 1:10. Wash wall using a soft cloth, soft brush or sponge. Rinse off with clean water.

### Polyurethane systems – Wallflex, Armourglaze

Wash the whole area with a solution of C/S Wallclenze (or similar product), as described above. Particularly stubborn stains can be treated using **C/S Gel Cleaner**, applied with a soft brush and wiped clean after 5 minutes. Wash the area again with **C/S Wallclenze** (or similar detergent) diluted in warm water, then rinse off with warm clean water.

## MAINTENANCE

### Minor repairs

All C/S Wallglaze Coating Systems should be regularly inspected, especially in areas that will be subject to frequent impact, abrasion or aggressive cleaning regimes and any defects (minor damage and wear) should be noted and repaired in the correct approved sequence.

If damage has occurred to surfaces, then this can easily be repaired by cleaning back the damaged area, making good and re-decorating with the same coating material.

### Refurbishment

In practice, the durability and resistance of the C/S Wallglaze Coatings will often exceed the quoted lifespan therefore substantial maintenance will not be required. However we recommend that the system be recoated to maintain the effective anti-microbial properties after this initial lifespan. This can be done quickly and efficiently with the application of one or two coats of the topcoats of the system specified.

**Re-coating a system to extend its life is a very cost-effective way of refurbishing the surface and can significantly reduce long-term maintenance costs.**

## C/S CLEANERS

### C/S Wallclenze

A mild water based detergent, suitable for cleaning all C/S Wallglaze systems. It should always be used diluted in warm water, for removing general soiling a proportion of 1 part of Wallclenze to 10 parts of water should be sufficient. Areas which have been treated with C/S Wallclenze should always be rinsed off with clean water. Available in 1 and 5 litre containers.

### C/S Gel Cleaner

A heavy duty cleaner gel, suitable for removing stubborn stains from C/S Wallglaze polyurethane systems (Wallflex, Armourglaze). It should be applied by a soft brush to targeted areas and left on for about 5 minutes to take effect. Residue of the cleaner needs to be removed from the surface and treated area first washed off with C/S Wallclenze solution and finally rinsed off with clean water. Available in 1 and 5 litre containers.

### C/S Fungiclenze

A water based fungicidal solution used to clean and prepare areas affected by mould and fungi, prior to the application of C/S Wallglaze systems. Dilute in water in proportion of 1 part of Fungiclenze to 5 parts of water. In heavily affected areas use undiluted product. Apply with sponge or roller, there is no need for rinsing. Available in 1 and 5 litre containers.

### C/S Brush Cleaner

Suitable for use with C/S Wallglaze polyurethane systems (Wallflex, Armourglaze). Available in 5 litre containers.

