TRANSFORMING THE SAFETY OF OUR SPACES

At Patcraft, we are curious observers inspired by listening to the market and collaborating with our partners to create solutions to help our customers transform the space and experience of all of those using the environments we create together.

As we navigate a new way of engaging, we look not only to identify solutions and opportunities to change how we work now, but how to clean and maintain safe environments where we work, learn, heal and gather – with a continued focus on transforming spaces now and for the future.

ANTIMICROBIALS

The topic around antimicrobials has been heightened in recent months. Patcraft continues to remain thoughtful in our choices and ensures that all decisions take into account any potential human and environmental impact. Products that contain antimicrobials may have no benefit other than protecting the product. We are not aware of any known antimicrobial technologies for flooring that will combat or inhibit the virus that causes COVID-19. Patcraft continues to evaluate new technologies and emerging chemistries to evaluate their efficacy and potential human impacts.

Unsubstantiated claims around antimicrobials are being made in the market that have no evidence of effectively eliminating COVID-19. This may negatively influence the cleaning and maintenance which could lead to increased contamination of your flooring.

Our most important concern is to provide our clients with the safest and best performing flooring available. Please reach out to your local Account Manager with any questions.
What does clean mean?

**ENHANCED CLEANING**

Routine and proper maintenance is the foundation for a clean and safe floor. Our Enhanced Cleaning Guidelines will guide for carpet and resilient surfaces.

The CDC maintains a list of registered products that can be used for enhanced cleaning procedures. While these products have been approved by the EPA, many products on the list may not be suitable to preserve the long term appearance or performance of your flooring products.

Cleaning chemicals and technologies continue to evolve and we will keep you updated. Contact your Account Manager with any questions related to cleaning and maintaining your floors.

**Transforming the safety of our spaces.** Please join us as we continue to communicate around the latest safe antimicrobial technologies, cleaning chemicals, IDEAS, and important topics that will impact us all in the coming months. We will all get through this together.

For the latest information and guidelines for reducing the spread of COVID-19 go to [CDC.ORG >](https://www.cdc.gov)