



Safety Eyewear Cleaning and Disinfecting Instructions

Steps to Clean and Disinfect Safety Eyewear and Face Shields

Cleaning Safety Eyewear

- Use dish soap (Dawn) and warm water wash thoroughly rinse. Completely and dry with soft cotton cloth.
- Do not use window glass cleaner paper towels or Kleenex
- Use UVEX Cleaning Wipes to clean safety eyewear

Disinfecting Safety Glasses

- Use Disinfected Sprays or Wipes (examples listed below)
 - Disinfectants must **contain NO alcohol or silicone**
 - Optim 1 (SciCan)
 - Sporicidin (Contec)
 - Bleach Mixed ratio of 2 teaspoons bleach to 1-gallon water
 - EPA approved disinfectant that **does not contain alcohol**

Steps for maintaining protective eyewear and shields

1. Inspect Glasses for scratches, fractures or cracks replace if detected
2. Thoroughly wash with a mild dish soap and warm water or use UVEX Wipes
3. Rinse with warm water completely if using soap and water
 - Make sure lenses are clear of soap mixture to prevent fogging
4. Dry completely with a soft cotton cloth. **Do not use** paper towels, Kleenex or cotton pads as these will cause scratching
5. Use EPA approved disinfectant wipes or sprays to disinfect glasses
 - Use products that **do not contain alcohol** as this will attack anti-fog, anti-scratch coating
 - See above recommended products
6. Permit disinfectant to remain on glasses per manufacturers recommendation
7. Rinse with warm water and dry with soft cotton cloth
8. **DO NOT PLACE SAFETY EYEWEAR IN AUTOCLAVE**
9. Disinfecting glasses can negatively affect usable life cycle of safety glasses