

YOU CHOOSE IT. WE'LL CLEAN IT.

How MilliCare Complies with Carpet Manufacturer's Maintenance Recommendations

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Bentley's Recommendations

Maintenance Plan:

A regular routine of carpet maintenance helps prevent soil buildup that can damage carpet fiber, which in turn, can cause color loss and loss of resiliency. A well planned maintenance routine can maximize a carpet installation's useful life and forestall the need for replacement because of premature wear or because the carpet "uglies out." Routine maintenance involves a planned approach of methodical daily care such as vacuuming and spot cleaning, in addition to periodic interim and restorative cleaning performed as soiling becomes apparent. Excessive soiling, stubborn spots or spills may require different methods or combination of methods. Please keep in mind that when maintenance is neglected or performed at irregular intervals, carpet can deteriorate to a level that will be difficult or impossible to restore to its original luster and beauty . . . no matter what cleaning methods are used.

(source: Bentley Prince Street – Maintenance Specification Guide)

Interim Cleaning: Dry Extraction

A low-moisture/dry extraction method is a safe, easy, and effective method for performing maintenance on a regular basis. The procedure uses a moist, powder-like compound that should not leave the carpet excessively wet, thus allowing immediate access and traffic once the procedure is complete.

(source: Bentley Prince Street – Maintenance Specification Guide)

The right Cleaning Solutions:

Bentley Prince Street carpet can be maintained using a number of widely recognized carpet cleaning agents that are readily available. However, cleaning solutions that have earned the Carpet & Rug Institute's Seal of Approval are preferred.

(source: Bentley Prince Street – Maintenance Specification Guide)

Restoration Cleaning:

Deep cleaning is designed to remove trapped soils. Hot water extraction is the most effective method and the only restorative method recommended by Bentley Prince Street. (source: Bentley Prince Street – Maintenance Specification Guide)

MilliCare

✓ A MilliCare provider will meet with you, assess your traffic patterns and amount of traffic and design a plan that will optimize the carpet's appearance, life expectancy and assure a healthy indoor environment.

They can also recommend vacuuming frequencies and proper spot cleaning techniques and products.

✓ MilliCare® textile and carpet care carpet cleaning system is a low moisture, dry absorbent compound cleaning method. (see below)

✓ MilliCare's cleaning solutions are certified by the CRI's Seal of Approval program as being safe and effective on nylon carpet. They are Green Seal certified to GS-37 as being environmentally responsible.

✓ MilliCare provides hot water extraction. Our experience shows that in most cases the MilliCare system is the only deep cleaning necessary.

In addition milliCare provides the following benefits:

- MilliCare can help contribute on a number of LEED EBOM certification categories: Water Efficiency, Energy and Atmosphere, Materials and Resources, and Indoor Environmental Quality.
- Reduces the use of water and electricity in your facility
- MilliCare uses all Green Seal certified products
- MilliCare meets or exceeds all Carpet & Rug Institute (CRI) standards
- MilliCare products are WoolSafe approved

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