

# VYTEC® Luxury Vinyl Flooring

## CARE & MAINTENANCE

**VYTEC®** Luxury Vinyl Flooring UV cured polyurethane finish will protect your floor for many years, follow the precautions below for keeping your floor looking good for years to come.

- Temperature of 18°- 24° and relative humidity between 45-65% must be maintained during and after the installation.
- Do not allow traffic on the installation before 24hrs after completion or as recommended by the adhesive manufacture.
- Do not thoroughly wash the floor covering with water before 30 days, wipe with a damp mop during the first month to allow adhesive to cure.
- Sweep, vacuum and damp mop floor regularly.
  
- Do not allow exposure to direct sunlight for prolong periods of time, will cause discoloration and expansion. The use of suitable drapes and blinds to avoid exposure to direct sunlight for prolonged periods are required.
  
- Use non-staining, flat surface Teflon/Felt protectors not less than 2 inches in diameter for legs of heavy appliances and furniture. Use proper floor protectors on all chairs, remove all small diameter buttons from legs of straight chairs and replace with Teflon/Felt glides no smaller than 1inch in diameter. Examine your protectors periodically, check for burs, debris or wear and make sure the surface is smooth.
- Do not drag items across your floor.
- Use only rolling type casters approved for use on hard surface flooring, such as neoprene or urethane castor wheels, these precautions may reduce scratches and indentations from appearing on your floor.
- Do not expose floor to frequent standing water and wipe up all spills quickly.
- Use walk off mats at all room entrances, do not use rubber or latex back mats, certain chemicals in backing can stain vinyl, use non-staining vinyl mats or woven rugs that are colorfast.
- For routine cleaning thoroughly sweep, vacuum and damp mop the floor before washing. Use 4 ml/l or as recommended by the manufacturer of a neutral floor cleaner to 4 liters of warm water, damp mop the floor using a clean sponge or damp mop for best results, continue to rinse the mop or sponge throughout the cleaning process.
- For deep cleaning add 8 ml/l or as recommended by the manufacturer of a neutral floor cleaner to 4 liters of warm water. Damp mop the floor using a clean sponge or mop for best results, continue to rinse the mop or sponge throughout the cleaning process.
- For heavily soiled floors add 50 ml/l or as recommended by the manufacturer of a neutral floor cleaner to 4 liters of warm water. Damp mop the floor using a clean sponge or mop for best results, use a white scrub brush or a white nylon pad may be used to loosen dirt. For best results, continue to rinse the brush or pad throughout the cleaning process.
- **VYTEC®** Luxury Vinyl Flooring UV cured polyurethane finish does not require coatings, however if an extra coating is desired they must be applied according to the manufactures recommended procedures. Once a coating is applied, a regular maintenance program will be required to strip and re-coat the flooring according the coating manufactures recommendations.