

Damp Mopping

PURPOSE:

To provide a clean, aseptic and attractive condition to all resilient tiled or hard surfaces, such as terrazzo and stone.

REQUIRED SUPPLIES & EQUIPMENT:

- Mop bucket with wringer
- Wet mop handle and looped-end banded mop
- Hand pad
- Set of "Wet Floor" signs
- Putty knife
- Dust mop
- Dustpan and brush
- Approved cleaning detergent solution appropriate to the area

PROCEDURE #2:

- Prepare area – Set up "Wet Floor" signs. Move obstacles such as furniture.
- Dust mop floor – Follow Procedure #1. Use a clean dust mop.
- Apply mopping solution – Place mop in cleaning detergent solution, wring out until mop is damp. Mop lengthwise along baseboard. Use "figure 8" stroke on balance of area. Turn mop often and rinse frequently. Use the heel of the mop with a hand pad to remove stubborn spots. Wipe off splashes on baseboard immediately.
- Change solution and mop frequently – Use the proper dilution of the correct cleaning detergent. Both mop head and solution should be changed every three or four rooms.
- When floor has dried – Remove signs. Return furniture and other items to proper location.

