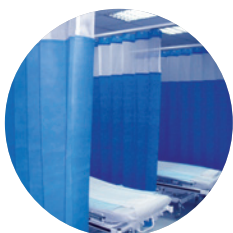




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# **B-CLEAN™ INFECTION PREVENTION CURTAINS**

Antibacterial / Disposable / Significant cost savings



## **VISUAL APPEAL**

Curtains always look fresh, pleated and new. They are purchased specifically for your area so they are always the right length and size, avoiding issues with the wrong reusable curtains being returned from the laundry.



## **INHIBITS & REDUCES BACTERIAL GROWTH**

Contact us for a copy of the independent laboratory testing results.



## **RECYCLABLE**

Contact us for a copy of the recycling guidelines.



## **IDENTIFICATION LABEL**

Clear date identification allows for improved changeover compliance and infection control.

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## DISPOSABLE & RECYCLABLE CURTAINS

**B-Clean™ Curtains** are designed to replace your existing reusable curtains in healthcare facilities such as hospitals, day surgeries, medical centers and other healthcare facilities that require the use of curtains. They offer a cost effective alternative to purchasing and washing reusable curtains and with their proven ability to inhibit bacterial growth, they can improve infection control at your facility.

*B-Clean™ Curtains* are:

- Manufactured from 100% polypropylene, non-woven fabric – 120gsm
- Fire retardant (AS 2755.2-1985) – Failed to Burn
- Impregnated with anti-bacterial and anti-mildew chemicals including nanometer silver (curtain and mesh)

Previous studies have demonstrated that pathogens such as Vancomycin resistant enterococci (VRE), methicillin resistant staphylococcus aureus (MRSA) and Clostridium difficile are still present on non-disposable curtains even after one week post laundering (Ohl,M. et al 2011). Even with steam cleaning, the curtains still remained contaminated (White, L.F; Dancer, S.J; Robertson, C; 2007).

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## SPECIFICATIONS

- Recyclable (ask for a copy of our recycling guidelines)
- Material: 100% polypropylene non-woven fabric – 120gsm
- Standard eyelets (Option 1) - eyelets are 15cm apart
- Hooks required per Curtain - DCT8 x 17; DCT15 x 30; DCT25 x 50
- Packing: each folded in poly bag
- Tie Back – sewn on so won't fall off
- Identification Label - each curtain is supplied with an easy to read identification label - this is to monitor length of use and provides an easy way to monitor required changes of curtains
- TGA Registered
- Fire Retardant- tested to AS1530.2-1993 and AS2755.2-1985



## REDUCE OH&S ISSUES

Reduce OH&S Issues - full size 25ft *B-Clean™ Curtain* weighs 2.2lbs whereas comparable reusable curtains can weigh up to 22lbs.



Easy to install. Curtains are lightweight and pre-packaged in a plastic sleeve.

## TEST RESULTS

We have undertaken anti-bacterial testing with an Australian-based, NATA approved laboratory. Importantly, the tests were undertaken on the actual *B-Clean Curtains*, not just the chemical themselves.

| Bacteria tested | Test method             | 90 Mins<br>% Reduction | 6 Hours<br>% Reduction | 24 Hours<br>% Reduction | 6 Month<br>% Reduction* | 12 Month<br>% Reduction | 24 Month<br>% Reduction | Pass |
|-----------------|-------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------|
| S. aureus       | AATC METHOD<br>100-2004 | > 99.98%               | > 99.99%               | > 99.99%                | > 99.99%                | > 99.99%                | > 99.98%                | ✓    |
| MRSA            |                         | > 99.93%               | > 99.99%               | > 99.99%                | > 99.99%                | > 99.99%                | > 99.93%                | ✓    |
| E Coli          |                         |                        |                        | > 99.99%                | > 99.99%                | > 99.99%                | > 99.99%                | ✓    |
| VRE             |                         | > 99.94%               | > 99.99%               | > 99.99%                | > 99.99%                | > 99.99%                |                         | ✓    |
| C.diff          |                         | > 99.86%               |                        |                         |                         |                         |                         | ✓    |

## RECOMMENDED CHANGEOVER PROCEDURE FOR HEALTHCARE DISPOSABLE & RECYCLABLE CURTAINS

*B-Clean™* Curtains with their impregnated anti-bacterial and anti-mildew chemicals, including nanometer silver, have a proven ability to inhibit and reduce bacterial growth. This means that the frequency of curtain change may be less than required by untreated reusable curtains (as per the NHMRC 2010 guidelines as indicated in the right hand column below) thus saving time and money.

The table below is an excerpt from an independent review and report on *B-Clean™* Curtains detailing changeover recommendations. Contact **ALCO** for a full copy of the review.

| Area   | Recommended changeover frequency of <b>B-Clean™</b> Curtains                      | For comparative purposes, recommended changeover of <b>Reusable Curtains</b> as per [NHMRC 2010]   |
|--|---|--|
| <b>Very High Risk</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Outbreak of infectious disease</li> </ul>   | Change upon discharge of the patient/client from bed or room and dispose          | Change immediately and upon discharge of the patient/client  |
| <b>High Risk</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Surgery center</li> <li>Intensive care units</li> <li>High dependency unit</li> <li>Burns unit, renal units</li> <li>Operating suites</li> <li>Emergency departments</li> <li>Units for patients/clients with highly transmissible diseases requiring transmission based precautions e.g. MROs (VRE, MRSA, S.aureus, E.Coli)</li> <li>Patients with Clostridium difficile (C. Diff) or Carbapenem - Resistant Enterobacteriaceae(CRE)</li> </ul> | <b>Semi-Annually</b> - Change annually or if they are visibly soiled or torn      | <b>Monthly</b> - Change monthly or change upon discharge if MRO (Multi-Resistant Organisms) present. If visibly soiled change immediately. |
| <b>Significant Risk</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>General medical units</li> <li>Long term care/nursing homes</li> </ul>  | <b>Annually</b> - Change annually or if they are visibly soiled or torn           | <b>6 Monthly</b> - Change twice per year and immediately if visibly soiled   |
| <b>Low Risk</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rehabilitation</li> <li>Office based practice</li> </ul>  | <b>Every 2 years</b> - Change every 2 years or if they are visibly soiled or torn | <b>Annually</b> - Change annually and immediately if visibly soiled  |

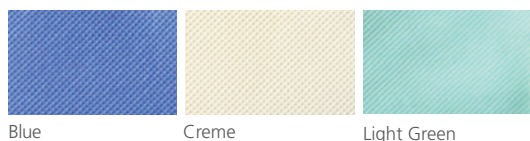
*B-Clean™* Curtains are to be changed more frequently if required based on the healthcare facility's risk assessment or the healthcare facility's policy.

## RANGE OF COLORS

*B-Clean™* Curtains are available in a range of standard and special order colors:

### 3 x STANDARD COLORS (most popular colors)

- Same day dispatch



Blue      Creme      Light Green

### 14 x SPECIAL ORDER COLORS

- Minimum order quantity is 10 boxes per color
- Delivery time 12 weeks



Latte      Gray      Maroon      Pink      Purple      Green      Forest Green



Lilac      Pastel Blue      Sky Blue      Pacific Blue      Taupe      White      Paediatric

## STANDARD RANGE

Curtains with 20 inch mesh at the top of the curtain for ceiling mounted curtains if compliance with fire regulation is an issue.



### BLUE

**8ft** wide x 7.5ft drop

Part #: **AL-88483-08BL**

QTY: **BOX 15**

**15ft** wide x 7.5ft drop

Part #: **AL-88483-15BL**

QTY: **BOX 8**

**25ft** wide x 7.5ft drop

Part #: **AL-88483-25BL**

QTY: **BOX 5**



### LIGHT GREEN

**8ft** wide x 7.5ft drop

Part #: **AL-88483-08LG**

QTY: **BOX 15**

**15ft** wide x 7.5ft drop

Part #: **AL-88483-15LG**

QTY: **BOX 8**

**25ft** wide x 7.5ft drop

Part #: **AL-88483-25LG**

QTY: **BOX 5**



### CREME

**8ft** wide x 7.5ft drop

Part #: **AL-88483-08CM**

QTY: **BOX 15**

**15ft** wide x 7.5ft drop

Part #: **AL-88483-15CM**

QTY: **BOX 8**

**25ft** wide x 7.5ft drop

Part #: **AL-88483-25CM**

QTY: **BOX 5**

*Curtains with **no** mesh also available.*

*Please call **(800) 323-4282** or email **info@alcosales.com** for details.*

## HOOKS

Packs of 50 required per BOX of Curtains:

**AL-88483-08** - 6 packs

**AL-88483-15** - 5 packs

**AL-88483-25** - 5 packs

### a. Roller Hooks

Replacement curtain track hooks with simple to attach hook for quick curtain fitting and roller wheel for smooth tracking.

QTY: **PACK 50**

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### b. "S" Type Hooks

Used to connect Disposable Curtains to existing curtain hooks. Ideal for window applications.

QTY: **PACK 50**

**AL-88485**

