

## CRYPTON® CARE INSTRUCTIONS

Regular vacuuming is recommended and prompt attention given to spills and stains.

### Easy Cleaning Steps

1. Wipe away the stain residue. If the spot has dried, try lightly scraping off the residue. Wipe with a wet, non-coloured towel.
2. If the spot remains, apply a soap and water solution consisting of ten parts water and one part mild powdered enzyme detergent (e.g. Dynamo®, Drive®) to the spot with a light spray.
3. Work the area using for example, the edge of spoon from the outside of spot towards the middle.
4. Allow solution to work for approximately one minute.
5. Extract with clean water or blot with clean, soft, non-coloured towel.
6. Repeat steps 3 - 5 as necessary until spot is removed.
7. Rinse with clear lukewarm water and blot with a clean, soft, non-coloured towel as the final step. All soap must be thoroughly removed.
8. For stubborn stains, make a paste of detergent and water. Allow it to sit on the affected area for five minutes then lightly scrap off the stain residue. Ensure all soap is completely removed.

### Disinfection

100 % polyester (including recycled polyester) Crypton® fabrics will safely withstand cleaning with a solution of 10% bleach (sodium hypochlorite) and 90% water. The solution can remain on the fabric surface for up to 10 minutes dwell time after which the bleach solution must be thoroughly rinsed from the fabric.

### Helpful Hints

- Before cleaning, vacuum the upholstery.
- Never spread the spot to the surrounding clean fibre.
- Go slowly; repeat the steps until the spot is removed.
- Always seek to reduce the size of the spot.
- Always test the soap and water solution in a hidden area before proceeding. Please contact your nearest INSTYLE office for memo samples for this test.
- Professional cleaning is always recommended.

### Steam Cleaning

Steam cleaning is an ideal method of cleaning Crypton® textiles. Spots can be removed by pre-treating them with the soap solution outlined above or a pre-treatment solution from the steam cleaning company. Most solutions provided by these companies are acceptable for Crypton® textiles.

Important Note: Crypton® textiles should not be dry-cleaned nor cleaned with solvent-based cleaners.