# Mozaix Cleaning & Disinfecting Guidelines

# Site Conditions

* Mozaix ceilings are not to be used in exterior applications or high moisture environments where water comes in direct contact with the product.
* Install only after spaces are enclosed and weather-tight, and after all wet work and overhead work have been completed.

**Storage & Handling**

* Do not store or install near an exposed flame, source of heat, or source of ignition.
* Store in a dry, interior space. Clean gloves must be used to avoid fingerprints. When removed for install, store in a flat, horizontal position.

**Powder coat paint finish**

# Cleaning

For Mozaix products with a powder coat paint finish the following cleaning method can be used.

* Using a clean damp cloth or soft, smooth sponge with a mild, clear detergent, wipe lightly on the surface to remove any dirt.
* Dry any excess moisture with a clean, white microfiber cloth. Note: If moisture is not removed, it may stain the surface over time.
* Please consult the manufacturer’s instructions and guidance regarding any cleaning product.

# Dust Removal

A commercial vacuum system with 100-inches/H2O vacuum capacity is recommended for removing dust particles. The vacuum system cleaning attachment should be a 3" diameter wand with natural hair bristle. A HEPA vacuum filter is recommended to minimize airborne dust during the cleaning process. Care must be taken while vacuuming to avoid excessive pressure.

# Disinfecting

The Mozaix products with a powder coat paint finish can be disinfected using CDC recommended and EPA-approved disinfectants. Due to the potential impact on the finish, please follow the specific guidance below:

* It is recommended that only clear cleaners be used, as dyed liquids can permanently discolor the finish of the ceiling tiles.
* Use the safety recommendations for gloves and eye protection that are given by the manufacturer of the cleaner and cleaning equipment.

For Fogging

* Fiberlock Technologies, Inc. – ShockWave™ – Diluted 2 oz per gallon Diversey™ – Morning Mist™ Neutral Disinfectant Cleaner – D
* Follow the equipment manufacturer’s instructions regarding distance from the surface, protective gear, and ventilation.
* Remove surface dirt before evenly applying cleaner.
* Wipe dry with a clean, white microfiber cloth.

For Spray Applications

* Bleach – 0.12%
* Remove surface dirt before applying liquid cleaner.
* Spray the disinfectant evenly over the board surface.
* Wipe with a dry, white microfiber cloth after recommended dwell time (typically 10 minutes).

For Wiping

* Hydrogen Peroxide – 3%
* Remove surface dirt before applying liquid cleaner.
* Apply cleaner to a sponge or cleaning cloth. Squeeze out excess liquid until the sponge or cloth is damp.
* Wipe the cleaner across the board surface evenly with the damp sponge or cloth, up to 5 passes across a single position along the surface.
* Do not exceed the time of exposure recommended by the cleaner manufacturer (typically 10 minutes).
* Wipe with a clean, white microfiber cloth to remove excess liquid.
* Allow the board to finish drying. NOTE: If liquid is not removed, it may stain the board surface over time.

**Laminate ‘Wrap’ Finish**

# Cleaning

* For cleaning use proper neutral detergent, dehydrated ethanol, or other alcohol-based agents. Remember to thoroughly remove these agents with water after cleaning.
* Avoid using any strong alkaline and/or acid-based detergents, thinner or other organic solvents.
* For cleaning use a soft cloth. Never attempt to use a sponge or other tool containing abrasives.