

Caring for Bulletin Board

Bulletin Board is a homogeneous tackable surface material made primarily of natural materials consisting of linseed oil, cork, rosin binders and dry pigments mixed and calendared onto a natural jute backing. The color extends throughout the thickness of the material.

Bulletin Board is ready for immediate use. Any adhesive residue **MUST** be removed immediately, as dried adhesive is difficult to remove without damaging the material.

IMPORTANT! Before starting any cleaning procedures on any Forbo products, contact Forbo's Product Support & Education Services for additional information, recommendations or to schedule a site visit. The best results may not be achieved if the chemical and equipment types recommended below are not used.

NOTE: Forbo Flooring Systems does not warrant or guarantee the performance of other manufacturers' products mentioned in these guidelines. For specific information regarding Forbo's warranty, visit www.forboflooringNA.com or contact Forbo's Product Support & Education Services.

CARE RECOMMENDATIONS

Residual adhesive from installation must be removed before the adhesive has dried. Dried adhesive residue cannot be removed from Bulletin Board without potentially damaging the material. If there is residue on the product, contact Forbo's Product Support & Education Services before starting any cleaning procedures.

1. Remove all surface soil, debris, sand and grit by dusting with 3M™ Easy Trap.
2. Mix a neutral pH cleaning solution according to the label directions. The pH of the cleaner in solution must be between 6.0 – 8.0 pH. Refer to the list at the end of this section for recommended products.
3. Apply the solution with a soft bristled brush.
4. Gently scrub the area to loosen and remove any soil. Move the brush in circular motions, working the debris out of the surface of the material.
NOTE: If Bulletin Board is scrubbed too harshly or with abrasives, it can mar the surface of the material, removing some of the color.
5. Rinse the entire surface with a clean cloth using clean, cool water. Change the water often to ensure it remains clean and clear.
6. Recover the rinse water with a wet/dry vacuum such as Tennant/Nobles V-WD-15S or equivalent.
7. Dry the surface thoroughly with an absorbent cloth so it can be examined to ensure proper cleaning.
8. Allow the surface to dry thoroughly before use.

CAUTION: Bulletin Board can be damaged by abrasive or caustic chemicals or procedures. If the above recommendations are followed, no additional chemicals or procedures will be required. If such chemicals or procedures are or have been used, contact Forbo's Product Support & Education Services for additional information.

RECOMMENDED CARE PRODUCTS

The following list of recommended floor care chemicals have been tested for compatibility with Forbo products. This list is provided to offer the best opportunity to care for your flooring and meet the needs of your facility. **If you prefer to use a manufacturer's floor care chemicals that are not listed, be sure to use a corresponding cross-referenced product.** For additional information on a product or for your local supplier, refer to the Contacts section of the Forbo Commercial Floor Care Guide.

Neutral pH Cleaners

Forbo Neutral pH Cleaner
 3M™ Neutral Cleaner 3H
 Pro-Link Level 7
 Spartan Damp Mop
 Diversey Stride
 Ecolab® QC 34 High Performance Neutral Floor Cleaner

Forbo's Commercial Floor Care Guide contains additional information and is available for download at www.forboflooringNA.com. For a hard copy, or for additional information, contact Forbo's Product Support & Education Services at 1-800-842-7839.