



# CLEANING & MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTIONS FOR BENCH SEATING

## ESSENTIAL MATERIALS

- Paper towel
- Soft cloths
- Sponges
- Non-abrasive detergents
- Water

## CLEANING LAMINATE SEATS

Always start by trying the gentlest method of cleaning. If a stain persists, work through the following steps. Repeat each step several times if the stain seems to be disappearing.

### STEP 1

For routine cleaning, such as dust or liquid, to remove the stain by scrubbing the area with a soft cloth, dampened with room temperature or warm water. Rinse and dry with a paper towel or soft cloth.

### STEP 2

If the stain leaves a slight mark or is difficult to remove, repeat the cleaning operation using mild detergents.

### STEP 3

If the stain is stubborn, treat it with a suitable detergent solution. Allow the detergent to act long enough to remove the stain. Remove the detergent using a dampened sponge. Dry with a paper towel or soft cloth. If the stain is still visible, repeat this procedure or use a more detergent to be effective.

### STEP 4

When cleaning the difficult stain from the laminate, DO NOT expose the material surface to household bleach for prolonged periods of time as this may lead to permanent discolouration.



## DO AND DO NOT

DO always rinse thoroughly after cleaning (residue from cleaning solutions is the single greatest cause of damage to laminate surfaces).

Do wipe up spills immediately, and rinse thoroughly.

DO NOT use acidic or abrasive cleaners, expose the laminate to household bleach for prolonged periods of time, or apply excessive scrubbing, especially on gloss finish surfaces.

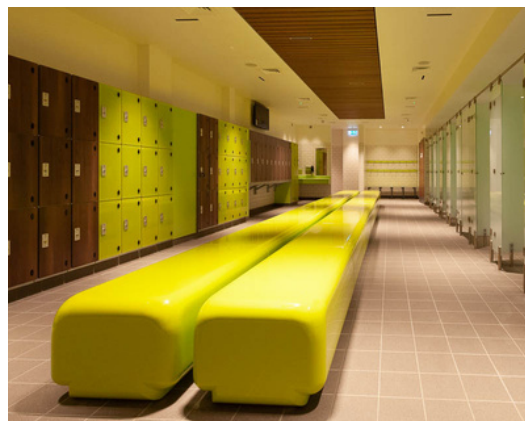
## CLEANING HARDWOOD SEAT SLATS

Hardwood surfaces should be treated with the utmost care. Surfaces should be cleaned using a soft cloth and furniture polish. Please don't use abrasive cleaners under any circumstances. Persistent marks may be removed using a slightly damp cloth (not wet) with panels being dried on completion. In the event that marks cannot be removed by following the above suggestions, a professional French Polisher should be sought who may be able to remove marks and make good the hardwood surfaces on completion.

## CLEANING IRONMOGERY/Framework

Powder-coated products should be cleaned at no more than 3-month intervals. A solution of mild detergent diluted with warm water should be used. A soft cloth, sponge or natural bristle brush may be used. Abrasive materials should be avoided. White spirit may be used to remove oil or grease deposits, but strong solvents must be avoided. The coated items must be thoroughly rinsed following the use of detergents.

Metallic surfaces should be cleaned as detailed for powder coating. Care should be taken in order to avoid scratching the metallic surface.



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