



# STAIN TREATMENT GUIDE

## *Quality Cleaning for Laundry, Fabrics, Carpets and Upholstery*

- \* **Treatment for over 50 stubborn stains - from grease to chocolate to fruit juice**
- \* **Complete with step by step instructions**

### **PRODUCTS:**

- **HyperOx - Carpet & Fabric Spotter (#623)**
- **Formula 21 Grease Stain Remover (#702)**
- **Odor Away (#610)**
- **Pre-Laundry Stain Spray (#605)**
- **Pre-Laundry Stain Remover Liquid (#617)**
- **Sticky Stuff Remover (#660)**
- **Super Spot Remover (#722)**
- **Upholstery Cleaner (#724)**
- **Stain Brush (#306)**

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## GENERAL PROCEDURE

1. Act quickly - generally stains are easier to remove when fresh.
2. Scoop and scrape solids or blot liquids as much as physically possible.
3. For carpets, vacuum solids and wet vac liquids if needed.
4. If the carpet is under warranty, call the manufacturer's hot line for the correct stain removal procedures, to maintain valid warranty. If no warranty exists, proceed to the next step.
5. Find correct stain remover products from the guide below. Follow steps 6 through 9 for each of the products in order.
6. Specific product procedures are listed on the containers. Pretest product in an inconspicuous spot.
7. Scrub gently to prevent harming the fabric or carpet. Work from the outer edges inward.
8. Some stains will require treatment using more than one remover. For these stains, repeat steps 6 and 7 in the recommended sequence.
9. Carpet: Allow to dry and vacuum. Laundry: Launder with your favorite detergent according to fabric directions. Recommended laundry products: Fuller 86 Liquid Laundry Detergent (#654), Fuller Plus Liquid Laundry Detergent (#646).
10. If odor in carpeting persists, spray with Odor Away (#610).

## SPECIFIC STAIN RECOMMENDATIONS

■ **WATER BASED STAINS:** Beet Juice, Berries, Candy, Catsup, Coffee, Colored Paper, Grass, Cough Syrup, Urine, Excrement, Food Dye, Fruit Juice, Gelatin, Mustard, Sauces, Soft Drinks, Vomit, Wine Stains

**Laundry:** Pre-Laundry Stain Spray (#605).

**Carpet:** HyperOx - Carpet & Fabric Spotter (#623).

**Upholstery:** Upholstery Cleaner (#724).

■ **OIL AND GREASE STAINS:** Butter, Cooking Oil, Lube Oil, Ointment

**For all types of Fabrics:** Use Formula 21 Grease Stain Remover (#702)

■ **COMBINATION STAINS:** Chocolate, Cosmetics, Crayon, General Food Stains, Furniture Polish, Gravy, Inks, Hand Cream

**Laundry:** Sticky Stuff Remover (#660), then follow with Pre-Laundry Stain Spray (#605).

**Carpet:** Super Foam Rug Cleaner (#658).

**Upholstery:** Upholstery Cleaner (#724).

# Step by Step Instructions

■ **PERSISTENT COMBINATION STAINS:** Lipstick, Mascara, Tar, Asphalt

**Laundry:** Sticky Stuff Remover (#660) followed by Pre-Laundry Stain Spray (#605).

**Carpet:** Sticky Stuff Remover (#660) until no improvement is noticed, followed by Super Foam Rug Cleaner (#658).

**Upholstery:** Upholstery Cleaner (#724).

■ **GENERAL SOILS:** Clay, Egg, Graphite, Ice Cream, Copy Machine Toner, Jelly, Milk, Mud, Syrup, Starchy Foods, Toothpaste, Trafficway Grime

**Laundry:** Pre-Laundry Stain Spray (#605).

**Carpet:** HyperOx - Carpet & Fabric Spotter (#623).

**Upholstery:** Upholstery Cleaner (#724).

## **SPECIAL PROCEDURES:**

- **Gum and Wax:** Use ice to harden the material, then scrape up as much as possible and treat with Sticky Stuff Remover (#660).
- **Acid spills:** Neutralize with ammonia or baking soda and treat as a general soil.
- **Oven Cleaner spills:** Neutralize with vinegar and treat as general soil.
- **Solvent Based Glue, Lacquer, Nail Polish, Oil Based Paint and Varnish:** Consult the product label for suitable cleaning solvent. If stain remains after solvent cleaning, treat as a combination stain.
- **Gummed Labels/Pricing Stickers:** Use Sticky Stuff Remover (#660) according to label directions.
- Alternate product for Pre-Laundry Stain Spray (#605) is Pre-Laundry Stain Remover Liquid (#617).

