



Thank you for purchasing a Medicus Health aluminum step stool. With proper care and maintenance, this stool should provide decades of useful service.

It is important to remember that aluminum **is not** stainless steel. So please, do not use metal brushes or abrasive pads. In fact, you shouldn't even use these on stainless steel as it will degrade the steel and create a porous surface.

The main benefit of an aluminum stool is that it's a solid piece. It has no welded seams or hollow channels that can collect debris and/or bacteria. In fact, our stool has a proprietary anti-microbial treatment. This makes the cleaning process so much easier and effective.

GENERAL CLEANING

1. With any nylon brush, simply loosen any debris around the foot pegs and underneath the surface.
2. Use any general cleaning detergent and wash with warm water (sponge or cloth).
3. Pat dry and ready for use.
4. Advantage of aluminum versus chrome/stainless is that aluminum will not spot, have orange stains or rust (chrome). It's light weight and low maintenance properties make it the ideal material for aircraft that are flying for +25 years.

DISINFECTION CLEANING

1. We recommend using the disinfection practice for steel equipment that has been deemed acceptable by your facility. We strongly discourage the use of aggressive caustic cleaning agents such as VIROX as that can degrade the rubber foot pegs and in some cases affect the adhesion of the anti-slip mat on the surface. If this is your protocol, the stool itself will maintain its full integrity, but on occasion, that may reduce the useful life of the rubber feet or loosen the mat.

Not to worry: We do sell replacement rubber feet and can supply new mats or glue that can be easily applied/replaced.

Please DO NOT use abrasive pads or wire brushes. (Already mentioned)

2. If it's your facility's practice to use washer disinfectors, then the high temperature and cleaning agents will also have the same effect as caustic agents as mentioned above.
If you wash the step stool in high temperature washers (such as cart washers), the glue that holds the anti-slip mat on the surface may slightly loosen the mat but not detach. In order to avoid damaging the mats, the step stool should be allowed to dry a minimum of 24 hrs after the wash in order to permit the glue to regain its initial adherence properties. Our stool will hold up equally as well as any other piece of equipment with rubber components.

Cleaning protocol will vary by facility, but rest assured that our stool withstands the rigorous cleaning methods in the same way, or better, than a typical stainless steel stool. Unfortunately, with the growing concerns of HAI's, cleaning protocol is an ever changing practice.

WARRANTY REMINDER: The Medicus Health stool has the best warranty in the business. We offer a 7 year all parts warranty under normal use conditions. But, if exposed to caustic or aggressive disinfection practices, this will not be covered under the warranty. If used under general working conditions, any mat or foot peg that degrades will be replaced for free (transport/handling excluded).

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