

# HENDRICKS

## GENERAL CLEANING

- Because dust and dirt cause fabric to wear faster, we recommend vacuuming regularly with an upholstery attachment.
- Flip, rotate and fluff removable cushions regularly to ensure even wear and increase longevity.
- An annual professional cleaning will keep your upholstered furniture looking its best.
- Maintenance requires promptly treating spots and stains and should include routine, on-going care which reduces soil build-up on a fabric's surface.
- Do not rub or brush excessively or you may cause fuzzing.

## SPOT CLEANING WITH SOAP & WATER – FOR EVERYDAY MESSAGES

The spot cleaning method of stain removal can be used for most light to medium stains.

1. Before spot cleaning, blot up liquids on the surface with a clean, soft towel and brush off any loose dirt.
2. Prepare a cleaning solution of 1/4 tsp mild, enzyme detergent, such as standard dishwashing liquid, per 1 cup of lukewarm water.
3. Apply the cleaning solution using a misting spray bottle.
4. Work the solution into the affected area by lightly scrubbing the area with a sponge or soft bristle brush. Make sure to work from the outside of the stain inward so as not to spread the stain and rinse your sponge or brush frequently.
5. Allow the cleaning solution to soak into the fabric.
6. Rinse thoroughly to remove all soap residues, as residues will attract dirt. Blot excess moisture with a clean, soft towel or sponge.
7. Repeat steps 3-6 as needed.
8. Allow fabric to air dry.

## SPOT CLEANING WITH BLEACH – FOR STUBBORN OR EXCESSIVE STAINS

1. Remove any loose debris and blot the stain.
2. Prepare a bleach based cleaning solution : Bleach should be diluted with water on a 1:4 ratio.
3. Apply the bleach based cleaning solution using a misting spray bottle and allow for the solution to soak into fabric.
4. Work the solution into the affected area by lightly scrubbing the area with a sponge or soft bristle brush. Make sure to work from the outside of the stain inward so as not to spread the stain and rinse your sponge or brush frequently.
5. Blot and thoroughly rinse fabric with water until the stain is cleaned. \*Make sure that all bleach is rinsed off of the surface of the fabric\*
6. Allow fabric to air dry.