



## COVID-19 Cleaning Recommendations

We know the health and safety of your guests, volunteers, and staff is your top priority. Sanitizing all surfaces, including the Minotaur Mazes traveling exhibit you are hosting, is critical to keeping everyone safe and healthy. With that in mind, we're sharing recommendations based on CDC and EPA guidelines, for effective sanitizing cleaners that are compatible with Minotaur Mazes exhibit materials.

In general, we recommend the following best practices:

- Add hand sanitizer stations at the Entrance/Exit of the Maze and in interactive rooms/areas as needed so guests can sanitize their hands before and after participating.
- Sanitize frequently touched surfaces multiple times throughout the day.
- Reduce the amount of touchables on the floor by dividing supplies into multiple batches. Rotate the batches during the day to sanitize frequently.
- Remove touchables that can't be sanitized regularly or effectively.
- Add extra signage throughout the building encouraging frequent hand washing and physical distancing.

The table below lists components, surface materials, and suggested cleaning protocol using EPA recommended sanitizing cleaners specific to the Mazes & Brain Games traveling exhibit.

Keep in mind when using recommended sanitizing cleaners

- Use for disinfecting surfaces only.
- Follow instructions on the product label for safe and effective use.
- Test a small area of the surface for compatibility before large-scale cleaning.
- Always use a clean, lint-free cloth, not paper products.
- These cleaners are much harsher on exhibit materials than is normally recommended. Please use these specific cleaners as a temporary measure until the subsidence of COVID-19.
- If in doubt on proper cleaning technique, follow CDC recommendations for cleaning different types of materials here: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/community/disinfecting-building-facility.html>

Component	Material	Approved Cleaners**	Procedure	Frequency
<b>Walls &amp; Graphics</b>	Vinyl	PURELL Surface Disinfectant Clorox Disinfecting Wipes Lysol Disinfecting Wipes	Spray or wipe down each wall	Periodically

<b>Pipe</b>	Metal (Aluminum)	PURELL Surface Disinfectant Clorox Disinfecting Wipes Lysol Disinfecting Wipes	Sanitize high touch areas, at corners and near the entrance/exit	Daily
<b>Spinning wheels</b>	Hard plastic with vinyl	PURELL Surface Disinfectant Clorox Disinfecting Wipes Lysol Disinfecting Wipes	Sanitize each wheel surface, especially along edges where hands touch	Multiple times each day, more often with high visitation
<b>Mirrors</b>	Acrylic	PURELL Surface Disinfectant	Sanitize the entire surface, especially the back of the flat mirror with peek holes. Wipe dry with soft cloth.	Once or twice daily, depending on number of visitors
<b>Hanging and mounted interactives</b>	Plastic with Vinyl, assorted plastics	PURELL Surface Disinfectant Clorox Disinfecting Wipes Lysol Disinfecting Wipes	Spray or wipe down each wall	Multiple times each day, more often with high visitation
<b>Tabletop Games</b>	Hard plastic, metal, acrylic, wood	Clorox Disinfecting Wipes Lysol Disinfecting Wipes	Divide games in 2 batches. Leave one batch on the floor at a time and rotate frequently.	Rotate and sanitize frequently, more with high visitation
<b>Instruments in JR. Maze</b>	Hard plastic, metal, wood	Clorox Disinfecting Wipes Lysol Disinfecting Wipes	Sanitize the entire instrument, especially handheld items like drum sticks and castanets.	Multiple times each day, more often with high visitation
<b>Make-a-Maze</b>	Vinyl covered foam blocks	PURELL Surface Disinfectant Clorox Disinfecting Wipes Lysol Disinfecting Wipes	Divide materials in 2-3 batches and only leave one batch on the floor at a time. Rotate batches throughout the day to sanitize.	Rotate and sanitize frequently, more with high visitation
<b>Web Maze</b>	Metal posts, Polypropylene rope, Painted Wood, Carpet	<b>Rope and carpet:</b> Lysol Disinfectant Sprays  <b>Poles only:</b> Clorox or Lysol Disinfecting Wipes	Spray ropes and carpeting with disinfectant. Wipe down poles, red wood & carabiners. If cleaning is not possible, this can be removed or blocked.	Multiple times a day if possible.
<b>Floor Mazes</b>	Hard plastic	PURELL Surface Disinfectant	Spray surfaces with aerosol, let sit 5 minutes, wipe dry	Once daily or every other day
<b>Tower of Hanoi</b>	Vinyl covered foam blocks, laminated wood, metal	PURELL Surface Disinfectant Clorox Disinfecting Wipes Lysol Disinfecting Wipes	Sanitize entire surface of foam blocks, metal posts and surface of wood laminate base.	Multiple times each day, more often with high visitation
<b>Balance Mazes</b>	Hard plastic, Polycarbonate	PURELL Surface Disinfectant	Spray surfaces with aerosol, let sit 5 minutes, wipe dry	Once daily or every other day

<b>Finger Mazes (Quad and Wall Mount)</b>	Hard plastic	PURELL Surface Disinfectant Clorox Disinfecting Wipes Lysol Disinfecting Wipes	Sanitize the entire surface using a cloth to follow the finger grooves.	Multiple times each day, more often with high visitation
<b>Hanging Mazes Triad</b>	Hard plastic, wood, acrylic	Clorox Disinfecting Wipes Lysol Disinfecting Wipes	Sanitize the entire surface of components. Use a cloth to detail clean surfaces.	Multiple times each day, more often with high visitation
<b>Tables</b>	Laminate	PURELL Surface Disinfectant Clorox Disinfecting Wipes Lysol Disinfecting Wipes	Sanitize table tops and edges.	Multiple times a day
<b>Couches</b>	Fabric, upholstery	Lysol Disinfectant Sprays	Couches can be sprayed with disinfectant. Covers can be removed and laundered.	Periodically. If regular cleaning is not possible, remove couches.
<b>Books</b>	Paper	Remove	Remove OR replace with laminated photocopied pages. Laminated pages can be cleaned with disinfecting wipes.	Remove OR if laminating pages, sanitize frequently
<b>Logo sign Box</b>	Acrylic, laminate	PURELL Surface Disinfectant Clorox Disinfecting Wipes Lysol Disinfecting Wipes	Sanitize all surfaces and wipe dry with soft cloth	Daily

**\*\*Table of material types and recommended sanitizing cleaners.** If using an alternate product found on the EPA's list of products, please reference these guidelines for approved materials before use.

	Metal (pipe)	Vinyl (Walls, Graphics)	Acrylic Mirrors Logo	Hard Plastic	Poly-carbonate	Laminate (tables)	Stained Wood	Polypropylene (rope, carpet)	Textile (Couch)
<a href="#">PURELL Surface Disinfectant and Sanitizer Sprays</a> (wipes and sprays)	x	x	x	x	x	x			
<a href="#">Clorox Disinfecting Wipes</a>	x	x	x	x		x	x		
<a href="#">Lysol Disinfecting Wipes</a>	x	x	x	x		x			
<a href="#">Lysol Disinfectant Spray</a> or <a href="#">Lysol Max Cover Disinfectant Mist</a>								x	x

Source: EPA Registered Antimicrobial Products for Use Against Novel Coronavirus SARS-CoV-2, the Cause of COVID-19.  
[https://www.epa.gov/sites/production/files/2020-03/documents/sars-cov-2-list\\_03-03-2020.pdf](https://www.epa.gov/sites/production/files/2020-03/documents/sars-cov-2-list_03-03-2020.pdf)