

Stain & Spot Removal for Upholstered Chairs

Know what to do for every type of stain or spill.

TYPE OF STAIN	WHAT TO DO
Wine, other alcoholic beverages, and soft drinks	<p>Use only water-based cleaning agents or foam. Mix 2 tablespoons ammonia or ammoniated detergent, such as Ajax™ liquid, to a quart of water.</p> <p>Wipe the stain gently with a cloth dampened with the solution. Continue turning the cloth so you're always using a clean portion.</p>
Chocolate and coffee	<p>Remove with a sponge and lukewarm water.</p>
Deodorants or Grease	<p>Use only mild, pure, water-free, dry-cleaning solvents, such as Energine™ or Carbona™.</p> <p>Wet a cloth with the cleaning solution. Wipe the stain gently and continue turning the cloth so you're always using a clean portion.</p>
Fruit and berry stains	<p>Treat with cold water.</p>
Pencil lead or rubber cement	<p>Use only mild, pure, water-free, dry-cleaning solvents, such as Energine or Carbona.</p> <p>Wet a cloth with the cleaning solution. Wipe the stain gently and continue turning the cloth so you're always using a clean portion.</p> <p>Follow with a small amount of ammoniated liquid detergent and rinse thoroughly.</p>
Urine, mucilage, and perspiration	<p>Use only water-based cleaning agents or foam. Mix 2 tablespoons ammonia or ammoniated detergent, such as Ajax liquid, to a quart of water.</p> <p>Wipe the stain gently with a cloth dampened with the solution. Continue, turning the cloth so you're always using a clean portion.</p> <p>Follow with a small amount of ammoniated liquid detergent and rinse thoroughly.</p>
Vomit	<p>Treat with cold water. Follow with unseasoned meat tenderizer. Let sit for 10-15 minutes. Rinse, let dry, vacuum.</p>
Mud	<p>Lift away whatever can be removed easily with a dull knife. Let dry, then vacuum.</p> <p>If the stain persists, clean with a cloth dampened with an ammonia water solution.</p> <p>Mix 2 tablespoons ammonia or ammoniated detergent, such as Ajax liquid, to a quart of water. Wipe the stain gently with a cloth dampened with the solution. Continue turning the cloth so you're always using a clean portion.</p>
Candle wax	<p>Remove surface wax with dull knife or cover the spot with several paper towels and apply a warm iron.</p> <p>Use only mild, pure water-free dry-cleaning solvents, such as Energine or Carbona.</p> <p>Wet a cloth with the spot cleaner and wipe the stain gently. Continue turning the cloth so you're always using a clean portion.</p>
Chewing Gum	<p>Remove surface gum with a dull knife.</p> <p>Use only mild, pure, water-free, dry-cleaning solvents, such as Energine or Carbona.</p> <p>Wet a cloth with the spot cleaner and wipe the stain gently. Continue turning the cloth so you're always using a clean portion</p>
Ink or ballpoint pen	<p>Use rubbing alcohol.</p> <p>Use only water-based cleaning agents or foam. Mix 2 tablespoons ammonia or ammoniated detergent, such as Ajax™ liquid, to a quart of water.</p> <p>Wipe the stain gently with a cloth dampened with this solution. Continue turning the cloth so you're always using a clean portion.</p>

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