

Collegiate MRSA Elimination

A prestigious East Coast university faced a surprise MRSA outbreak. It was potentially dangerous to students, faculty and staff. The situation needed to be handled quickly and effectively. ProKure1 was the solution. Here's a quick recap.

Universities across the United States place a high priority on keeping athletic facilities, class rooms and student housing odor-free and (more importantly!) free of harmful germs. But with thousands of students, faculty and staff crowding campuses every day, the situation can be challenging. Outbreaks can occur that require aggressive response to prevent escalation into even more serious situations. As was the case when MRSA was discovered at a well-known eastern university.

MRSA (methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus), according to the CDC, typically causes skin infections, but if left untreated can become severe and life-threatening. Wisely the school quickly contacted a restoration professional for guidance on the best approach for environmental cleaning and disinfection.

Partnering with ProKure1, the restoration pro recommended ProKure V (ProKure1 Liquid) to the school's environmental health team. The team was intrigued with chlorine dioxide (ClO₂) and eager to review the EPA label, SDS and other technical information. ProKure1 liquid is an EPA-registered, pharmaceutical grade disinfectant, general-purpose antimicrobial and surface cleaner with a claim for MRSA and Staph aureus. It is approved for use in a wide array of use sites including colleges, weight rooms and gyms. The ClO₂ liquid spray is fast and effective and is formulated for no wipe, no rinse and no residue.

Following CDC recommendations, the restoration pro applied ProKure V on surfaces that "touch people's bare skin each day and any surfaces that could come into contact with uncovered infections." Such surfaces include benches in weight rooms and locker rooms as well as any other commonly shared fixtures or equipment.

The project was a complete success. Vincent Farricielli, a 30-year restoration pro and ProKure1 customer, said, "ProKure (V) was easy to apply and safe to use on all the surfaces. With support of the ProKure1 Team and powered by a hospital-type disinfectant that does not require a wipe, rinse or removal of residue we were able to restore the schools great learning environment."

TREATMENT OVERVIEW:

ProKure V, when used in accordance with directions on hard, non-porous surfaces, is an effective disinfectant, tuberculocide, fungicide, general-purpose antimicrobial and surface cleaner. The formulation may be applied via mop, sprayer, or sponge with heavily-soiled surfaces pre-cleaned as needed. Liquid formula must be applied to ensure visible wetness of surface to be treated.

CASE STUDY

LOCATION:
Eastern U.S.

PROJECT TYPE:
Hard Surface
Disinfection
(50,000 Square Feet)

TREATMENT TIME:
Multi-Day Project

PROKURE1 PRODUCTS TO USE:



ProKure V (Liquid)
EPA-Registered
Liquid Deodorizer/
Disinfectant/Fungicide

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