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# Making Sense of It All: Regulations, Responsibility and Resiliency in 2022 and Beyond

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# **Our Expert Panel**





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# **Current State of the Pandemic**



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# Current state of the pandemic





### Gearing up for re-occupancy

• While full re-occupancy has not yet occurred in many markets and industries, there is anticipation of an up-tick in the first quarter of 2022



### Variants are keeping case numbers high

• New variants of the virus are present in the United States; variants can spread more easily and are more resistant to vaccines



### Vaccines are being distributed

- Vaccines are being distributed, but due to people opting out the vaccine, it is unlikely we will reach herd immunity
- Biden Administration and OSHA encourage widespread vaccination, but the mandate for employers >100 employees is temporarily halted



### Entering into flu season

- Upcoming influenza season will coincide with COVID-19 pandemic
- There is much overlap between the symptoms of influenza and COVID-19, making it difficult to distinguish between the two

CRE Indications of Health – C&W Aug 2021 <u>Even in Shadow of COVID-19, Influenza Poses Pandemic Threat (infectioncontroltoday.com)</u> <u>CNN - Breaking News, Latest News and Videos</u> There is still a lot of uncertainty around COVID

"We've just got to concentrate on continuing to get those numbers down, and not try to jump ahead by weeks or months and say what we're going to do at a particular time" - Dr. Fauci

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# Recent report highlights positive indicators for the future of CRE health, albeit a bit delayed, with re-entry uptick in Q1 2022

A recent report published by Cushman and Wakefield highlighted five positive indicators:

The economy has recovered **76%**, or 2.2M of the 2.9M office jobs, lost in the pandemic. At the current pace, the U.S. will return to prepandemic levels of office employment in the **first quarter of 2022** 

Office lease duration, of leases signed in the first half of 2021, have **returned to pre-pandemic norms**.

Leasing activity was up **18% from the 1Q21** and up **28% YOY from Q2 2020**.

Office tour activity has improved every month in Q1 2021 and has reached **80% to 90% of pre-pandemic levels** the last 5 months in a row

Much of the reason for elevated vacancy in many markets is due to **new construction**, a sign of strength in the CRE market prior to the pandemic. When pandemic subsides the CRE **market should rebound** 





The cities are listed in order of highest occupancy to lowest, with the 9-City Average appearing at the end; Texas markets remain highest around 48% occupancy and San Francisco remains the lowest at 20% occupancy



Office Occupancy Weighted Average





Aviation | Air travel has regained momentum, and will only increase with the holidays and relaxed restrictions

- ✓ After 20 months, the U.S. ended the ban on travelers from 33 countries, and many airlines are ramping up flights to meet demands
- ✓ Aviation has seen a sharp increase in travelers in 2021
- One major airline is already back to its 2019 flight numbers, and the other three major airlines not far behind



### Education | In-person learning has mostly returned to pre-pandemic levels

 Virtual learning is here to stay, but it will not be a replacement for in-person learning, rather it will work as a hybrid model to supplement a primarily in-person learning environment\*

### ✓ 97% of schools are back to offering fully in-person learning

- The 3% that are not fully in-person offer a hybrid environment
- Only 6% of students said they would opt-in for a fully virtual learning environment if one was offered





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\*The Rise of Virtual Schools

COVID has caused a shift in employee mindset, but all the information and misinformation in the media makes it difficult for employers to identify a path forward to meet employee needs



There is a **shift towards wellness** as COVID-19 highlights the need to provide facility occupants with a safe environment



Services, which have been viewed as an operational expense, must be positioned as a **critical** component to employee health and part of the overall strategies to **minimize both airborne and surface transmission risks.** 



Building Value



Hyper-awareness of the safety in the built environment, including indoor air quality issues as well as the overall health of the facility.



Even with COVID-19 vaccines available, we all should consider looking for a facilities partner to provide long-term solutions. Communication will be key to **occupant confidence**.



We have members of ABM's Expert Advisory Council on to help break through the clutter, provide clarity, and answer your questions



# Vaccines, Variants, and Influenza



### **RUTH CARRICO**

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### While things are looking more positive, COVID is still very much ABM a threat and requires our attention

Multiple times throughout the pandemic we have seen numbers drop, only to surge again

### Current state of COVID\*

- Only ~55% US population is fully vaccinated
  - There are still 70M eligible Americans who are unvaccinated
- >107,000 new COVID cases reported daily
- Hospitalizations are decreasing, but still ~71,000 hospitalized patients
- 1,800 daily American deaths from COVID
- Threat to children remains "exceptionally high", now making up almost 27% of all new cases reported nationwide

### Community Transmission in US by County



According to the CDC, >85% of US counties are considered high transmission risk

Source: The US Is Turning A Corner In Its Fight Against COVID-19, Fauci Says. But It's Still Too Early To Let Our Guard Down - CBS Baltimore (cbslocal.com)

Source: CNN - Breaking News, Latest News and Videos

Source: COVID Data Tracker Weekly Review | CDC

<sup>\*</sup> Statistics from beginning of October 2021

Source: CDC COVID Data Tracker

# COVID variants are a major factor when predicting future COVID cases and surges



Are the COVID variants more transmissible than the original strain?	<ul> <li>Variants are more easily transmitted because the virus is able to infect more efficiently. This means that people can become infectious earlier and even before they exhibit symptoms.</li> <li>Ease in infection means more viral particles that may impact environmental contamination, underscoring the importance of a coordinated infection control approach</li> </ul>
Are new COVID variants going to emerge in the future?	<ul> <li>Yes, viruses change over time</li> <li>Where variants occur, unvaccinated people are at the highest risk of promoting viral variant development. So, as long as there are large numbers of unvaccinated people, more COVID variants will emerge</li> </ul>

There is no way of telling when the next COVID variant will emerge and what its transmissibility will be Vaccination rates are increasing and vaccine mandates are being instituted, but vaccine efficacy is diminishing with COVID variants

Are the vaccines effective against the current COVID variants?

Manufacturer Effectiveness in reducing risk of Effectiveness in reducing risk of hospitalization due to COVID-19 hospitalization due to COVID-19 after Delta variant initially Moderna 97% 92% Pfizer 96% 87% Johnson & Johnson 90% 80% Manufacturer Effectiveness in preventing death Effectiveness in preventing death due to COVID-19 initially due to COVID-19 after Delta variant Moderna 96% 92% Pfizer 96% 88% Johnson & Johnson 89% 80%

How will boosters improve vaccine efficacy?

- Booster / 3<sup>rd</sup> dose is designed to boost the immune response and provide longer term immunity. After a booster dose the antibody levels increase significantly even to a greater degree than after the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> dose
- FDA has recently approved the booster, and CDC guidelines have outlined groups for whom booster doses may be provided. These include individuals at higher risk for work-related exposure such as healthcare workers and residents in long term care facilities.

# We are coming into flu season, and it is going to coincide with the ongoing COVID pandemic



- Globally, influenza accounts for tens of millions of  $\checkmark$ infections and hundreds of thousands of deaths annually
- Two characteristics of influenza make them a particularly formidable and constant threat to public health: 1) Broad host range, 2) Ability to reassort their genomes
- ✓ Last two years of influenza were more mild than years past, potentially because we were in more of a state of lockdown due to COVID
  - Often more severe flu seasons follow light ones •

### Implications for employers

- Many employees are taking extra precautions when sick to be sure they are not spreading germs
  - This leads to increased time off work and less productivity for the organization as a whole

#### Source: Even in Shadow of COVID-19, Influenza Poses Pandemic Threat (infectioncontroltoday.com) Source: https://www.nvtimes.com/article/flu-season-symptoms.html

Source: https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/downloads/stop-the-spread-of-germs.pdf

### The best ways to prevent the spread of influenza & COVID

- **Vaccination** is the single most important preventive strategy
- Wear masks to prevent contact between virus and respiratory system
- **Remove viral particles** from surfaces through frequent cleaning and disinfection of high touch point surfaces
- **Dilute viral particles** in the air so there are fewer particles
- Improve ventilation so more outside air enters an environment to dilute the proportion of infectious particles in the air
- Seek medical advice if symptomatic or if known exposure occurred
- Socially distance when possible
- Stay home when ill
- Do not touch eyes, nose, or mouth



# **Regulatory and Governing Bodies**



### NANCY MCCLELLAN

Chair of the University of Michigan Graduate School of Public Health COHSE External Advisory Board; M.P.H., CIH, CHMM Specialty: Industrial Hygiene

# Expectation around occupant health and safety is continually being redefined, ABM and there is no going back

People's view of safety is often binary, leading either to increased trust or no trust at all. According to Deloitte, key priority areas of customer and employee trust include:



### Safety essentials

- ✓ As the new table stakes, 64% of employees expect "regular cleaning of equipment and shared space by a cleaning service," and 60% expect "regular spraying/fogging to disinfect shared furniture spaces"
- ✓ 54% of customers valued "certification of cleanliness from a trusted authority"

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### Heightened transparency

- ✓ 83% or more of employees found visible mechanisms (e.g. someone onsite cleaning while they are in the office) to be most or somewhat important to them
- ✓ 82% of customers felt that companies must take extra steps to ensure the safety of their employees

It is hard to earn trust, but it is easy to lose it:

- Be proactive with your cleaning and disinfecting regiment
- Confidently communicate it to show your customers and employees that you care about their health and well-being

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### Biden's & OSHA's COVID Control Strategies

What	•	There is a shift for more support in improving ventilation and indoor air quality beyond vaccination / masking policies that are under scrutiny		
Who	•	Targets densely populated occupied spaces; especially relevant for education industry		
Results	•	1. Improve air mixing		
		2. Increase outside air		
		3. Increase air filtration and		

disinfection

Implications —

These mandates are an important signal for the need for IAQ programs and improved ventilation

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### ASHRAE newsletter survey highlighting importance of

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Implications

Results —

A survey in ASHRAE newsletter conducted by Vaisala, a world-leading measurement technology company, in summer 2021

Survey included >4,000 respondents in the USA, France, Germany, & Finland

- More than one third of the respondents stated they are concerned about the indoor air quality of their place of work
- Majority of people want more accurate data on indoor air quality
   This survey shows strong support
- This survey shows strong support for IAQ programs

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### Indoor Air Quality (IAQ) is critical to keeping facilities safe for occupants; poor ventilation increases the risk of virus transmission

### Poor Ventilation + Viral Sources = Transmission Risk

- In studies of unhealthy facilities, poor ventilation is the most common issue per the CDC and the National Institutes of Occupation Safety and Health (NIOSH)
- The need for ventilation has heightened in the COVID-19 pandemic
  - We often do not have complete control over viral sources entering  $\checkmark$
  - We have the technology for improved mixing, filtration and  $\checkmark$ disinfection
- Regulatory guidance and mandates support 100% air change and ventilation, allowing for 100% Outside Air (OA) supply &/or air disinfection technology

### 7 measurable indicators of facility wellness that facility managers have control over

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Volatile organic compound (VOC) concentration

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Relative humidity

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# Indoor Air Quality Technologies

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Vice President of Engineering; PE, EMP, HBDP, CEM, CMVP, LEED AP Specialty: Engineering

# A variety of technologies claim to improve air cleaning; after a careful vetting process, ABM deemed the following technologies fit for use to improve Indoor Air Quality (IAQ)

### ABÅ. Building Value

# Evaluated technologies focusing on key criteria...

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... and selected the below technologies for air cleaning

### HVAC Technologies:

- Bipolar Ionization
- Hydrogen Peroxide
- UV-C HVAC systems / UVGI
- MERV 13 filtration or equivalent

Lighting Technologies:

- Far-UV downlights
- Air Troffers
- Portable / Mobile
- Upper Room UV-C
- LED

### HVAC | Vetted and approved EnhancedFacility technologies

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Technology Category	Technology Type	Technology Description	ldeal Use Cases
HVAC Bipolar ionization HVAC Hydrogen Peroxide (H <sub>2</sub> O <sub>2</sub> )		<ul> <li>Bipolar Ionization works by releasing positive and negative ions that are generated by the ionizer and then sent into the space via a fan (either in the HVAC or a portable unit)</li> <li>The ions neutralize the particles in the air by attaching themselves to the molecule and making it heavier and bringing it out of the breathing zone</li> </ul>	Space types: • Whole facilities • Specific rooms • Often good for larger spaces Facility types:
		<ul> <li>H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> systems produce ions by reflecting UV light on a surface with a photocatalytic coating</li> <li>The ions disperse in the ventilated spaces and attach to particles in the air (including pathogens); ions continue to disinfect surfaces</li> <li>Higher maintenance cost than Bipolar Ionization, but a more robust technology</li> </ul>	
HVAC	UV-C HVAC systems / UVGi (ultraviolet germicidal irradiation)	<ul> <li>UV light fixtures installed in the HVAC systems</li> <li>Most effective when the light is directed at drain pans and cooling coils to get sufficient dwell time to irradiate pathogens in the air stream</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CRE</li> <li>Schools / universities</li> <li>Hospitals</li> </ul>
HVAC	Filtration	<ul> <li>We recommend MERV 13 (minimum efficiency reporting values) or equivalent (MERV 6-12 are what are most commonly in place) this is the best balance for efficiency boost versus increased cost and pressure drop</li> <li>HEPA (high efficiency particulate air) is a specific type of air filter that is above minimum requirements; it removes 99.97% of airborne particles, but it can be more expensive to maintain than other air filters and may adversely affect design air flows</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Airports</li><li>Manufacturing</li></ul>

## Lighting | Vetted and approved EnhancedFacility technologies

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Technology Category	Technology Type	Technology Description	ldeal Use Cases
Lighting	Far-UV downlights (222nm)	<ul> <li>Far-UV downlights inactivate pathogens with no harm to exposed human or animal skin and eyes</li> <li>Installed in the ceiling to cover the desired space</li> <li>Effectiveness is dependent on sufficient airflow and the distance of surfaces from the light source</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>High use areas (e.g., restroom, kitchens, elevators)</li> <li>Facilities with low ceilings (&lt; 7 ft)</li> </ul>
Lighting	Air troffers	Circulate air through a sealed chamber inside the light fixture, which is treated with high-intensity UV-C light to inactive bacteria and pathogens	Classrooms, offices, shorter ceiling spaces
Lighting	Mobile / portable	<ul> <li>UV-C devices that are mobile and can be moved from room to room; require labor to move the device from one room to another</li> <li>Uses UV-C (254 nm) light, so cannot be used with occupants in the room</li> <li>UV rays disinfect by line of sight, so any surfaces that UV energy does not hit will not be disinfected</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Specific rooms requiring disinfection at different times</li> <li>Budget-friendly</li> <li>Used on an as- needed basis</li> </ul>
Lighting	Upper room UV- C (254 nm)	<ul> <li>Emit UV-C light into the top portion of a room, above occupants' heads, which mixes with the rest of the air in the room; works best when used in conjunction with a fan to increase air movement</li> <li>Must take into account several factors when installing, including intensity, distance, time; should be installed above 7 ft</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Require high ceilings (&gt; 7 ft)</li> <li>Target larger spaces</li> </ul>
Lighting	LED (280-405 nm)	<ul> <li>Higher wavelength of indirect light that provides disinfection</li> <li>Pendant lighting for higher ceilings, works like Upper Room with UV shining up but is commonly configured to use standard LED downlights to add illumination (dual-purpose)</li> <li>Lower maintenance costs</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Require high ceilings (&gt; 7 ft)</li> <li>Target larger spaces</li> </ul>

# ABM developed a disinfection comparison chart to help align on which ABM solution is right-sized for a particular facility or client need

CRITERIA		Technology Categories Approved by ABM*						Comparis	
Technology Type	IMPORTANCE of CRITERIA	Bipolar lonization	Hydrogen Peroxide	Upper room / UV-C HVAC systems / UVGI (254 nm)	Downlights - Far- UV (222 nm)	HEPA or MERV 13+ Filtration	Portable / Mobile Air Cleaners	LED (280-405 nm)	MERV 6-12 Filtration - Common
Technology Mechanism of Action	Mechanism impacts occupant safety and disinfection efficacy	Ionization	H2O2	Ultraviolet Irradiation	Ultraviolet Irradiation	Filtration Media	Filtration & Ionization	Ultraviolet Irradiation	Filtration Medi
Air or Surface Disinfection	The application determines whether both are needed	Both	Both	Both	Both	Air	Air	Air	Air
Effective For Inactivating Viruses	Physically trapping with filters is different than inactivation								
Effective Against Bacteria and Mold	Physically trapping with filters is different than kill						•		
Effective Against Gases and Odors	Gases and odors are often the first motivation to address IAQ				•	•	•		
Effective Against Dust/Particulates	Viruses are aerosols that act like dust particles								
Below Regulatory Limits for Ozone or Safety Hazards	Ozone is a health hazard and a common by-product of some unapproved technologies	•	•	•			•	•	
Units Applied In HVAC Systems, Portable or Stationary Single Room	The application determines which capability is needed	Both	Both	Both	Room	HVAC and Portable	Portable	Both	HVAC and Portable
Installation Effort Level	Based upon the time and complexity of the installation	Low	Low	Moderate - High	Moderate - High	Moderate	Moderate	Low	Low
Maintenance Requirement Level	Based on replacement part cost and frequency	Low	Moderate	Moderate - High	Moderate - High	Moderate	Moderate-High	Low	Moderate
Energy Savings	The time for return on investment can be impacted by energy efficiency	High	Moderate	Low	Low	Low		High	Low
Return- On-Investment Level	ROI takes into account installation, operational and maintenance costs	High	Moderate	Low	Moderate	Moderate	Low	High	Low

\* ABM's Expert Advisory Council has also considered a wide range of additional technology categories and decided against their use due to occupant safety and/or viral inactivation considerations. Note that not all vendors in the above categories are effective and/or safe.

# Living Labs overview

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Purpose	Details	Objectives	Methods		
Evaluate the occupant safety of each technology	When: Dec 2021 – Jan 2022	Evaluate the indoor air quality and ventilation system impact of HVAC optimization	Visual assessment and HVAC evaluation		
Evaluate each technology's ability to effectively improve overall indoor air quality	Where: Fully functioning ABM office where we can run simulations	Evaluate the impact of NPBI on the IAQ parameters with special interest directed toward particulate matter, VOCs, and ozone	Testing according to ASHRAE 55 &/or 62.1		
			Ventilation rates		
Better understand and assess financial return on investment	Who: ABM Expert Advisory Council and technology vendors	Validation and comparison of performance of continuous IAQ monitoring systems as compared to the real-time and laboratory analyzed IAQ measurements for VOCs, particulate matter,	Airborne particulate matter		
		carbon dioxide, and ozone	Ozone measurements		

Volatile organic compounds

Results of Living Labs will be shared during next client webinar in Q1 2022

# Importance of Surface Disinfection

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### **CATHY CAMPBELL**

National Director of Service Delivery (B&I);CHESP;CMIP Specialty: Healthcare The CDC still supports surface disinfection to help reduce the risk of virus transmission; sustained, proactive cleaning and disinfection is always important

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### Common questions:

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The CDC says surface transmission of COVID-19 is not a concern. Why should we continue disinfecting and/or cleaning high-touch surfaces?

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The CDC says we can clean with soap and water. Why should we continue disinfecting?

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The CDC says that electrostatic spraying is not recommended. Should we stop?

### CDC response:

- Vhile the CDC says the risk is low for surface transmission, the CDC does not state that there is no risk
- The CDC science brief specifically states: "The principal mode by which people are infected with SARS-CoV-2 (the virus that causes COVID-19) is through exposure to respiratory droplets carrying infectious virus. It is possible for people to be infected through contact with contaminated surfaces or objects..."
- COVID-19 can land on surfaces, and it is possible for people to become infected if they touch the contaminated surface and then touch their eyes, nose and/or mouth.
- Cleaning with a multi-purpose cleaner or soap and water can remove COVID-19, but it does not kill the virus; disinfection can further reduce or eliminate the risk of transmitting viruses by killing germs left on surfaces after cleaning

The CDC science brief states: "Both cleaning (use of soap or detergent) and disinfection (use of a product or process designed to inactivate SARS-CoV-2) can reduce the risk of transmission."

- ✓ With employees going back to work, children going back to the classroom, and COVID-19 cases and variants surges in many states, there is no way to definitively know when a person has unknowingly spread COVID-19 and thus, disinfection and cleaning of high touch areas should be a part of daily cleaning. The CDC science brief states: "Disinfection is recommended in indoor community settings where there has been a suspected or confirmed case of COVID-19 within the last 24 hours."
- The CDC science brief states: "Cleaners and disinfectants should be used safely, following the manufacturer guidance. Some types of disinfection applications, particularly those including fogging or misting, are neither safe nor effective for inactivating the virus unless properly used."

The disinfectants ABM uses in electrostatic sprayers (ESS) have been approved by the EPA for use against viruses and pathogens, and our team members are properly trained in the use of these chemicals. ESS is not typically the primary disinfection method and is used to disinfect hard-to-reach surfaces as a complement to high-touch disinfection.

# Proper disinfection is necessary beyond COVID to protect against other pathogens and viruses

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A variety of organisms can exist on surfaces and in the air for periods ranging from just a few days to years

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# EnhancedClean & EnhancedFacility

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**BEN DODDS** 

Director, EnhancedClean & EnhancedFacility

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# You need a trusted partner who can develop strategic, customized solutions to meet your needs

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# HEALTHY BUILDING SOLUTIONS: To help keep your employees safe

From the things you touch to the air you breathe, ABM delivers healthier facilities with the latest approaches and innovations backed by experts

DISINFECTING SURFACES

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A Three-Step Approach for Cleaning and Disinfecting Surfaces DISINFECTING THE AIR

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A Comprehensive Program to Improve Healthier Indoor Air Quality

Together, **EnhancedClean** and **EnhancedFacility** help reduce viral transmission on surfaces and in the air.

We help you build greater occupant trust and confidence regarding your commitment to their health and safety, while improving building health during the pandemic and beyond.

### EnhancedClean<sup>™</sup> + EnhancedFacility<sup>™</sup> <u>Minimum</u> Recommended Frequencies

	Base	Cold / flu season	Community outbreak
Return Safely	<ul> <li>Reentry site assessment</li> <li>New workforce protocols</li> <li>1x disinfection timed with reentry</li> <li>1x general deep clean, if facility has been closed for extended amount of time</li> </ul>		
Daily Enhanced Scope - Days	<ul> <li>Facility communication kits</li> <li>Damp wipe disinfect individual use high-touch areas 1x per day and communal use high-touch areas 3x – 5x per day</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Damp wipe disinfect individual use high- touch areas 3x – 5x per day and communal use high-touch areas 6x – 8x per day</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Damp wipe disinfect all high-touch areas</li> <li>6x – 8x per day</li> </ul>
Daily Enhanced Scope - Nights	<ul> <li>Enhance SOW by replacing general purpose cleaner with disinfectant for nightly cleaning <b>1x per week</b></li> </ul>		
Broad Disinfection Services	On an as needed basis	Weekly broad disinfection service using electrostatic spray application	
Evidence Based Testing	<ul> <li>On an as needed basis to both assess the efficacy of the cleaning performed and appropriate frequency</li> </ul>		
EnhancedFacility – Indoor Air Quality	<ul> <li>Healthy building risk assessment</li> <li>Customized IAQ solution</li> <li>Pre / post IAQ testing</li> </ul>		

# EnhancedFacility success story: Higher Education

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### Reminder

### Situation

The university had to restrict on-campus learning for over a year due to COVID-19

### Evaluation

ABM conducted a Healthy Building Risk Assessment and inspected the university's HVAC system

### Strategy

ABM was able to identify potential indoor air quality (IAQ) challenges and determine an improvement strategy

### Solution

Initial focus on upgrading MERV air filters in mechanical equipment throughout the campus

### Analysis

Post-implementation analysis to verify ventilation is optimized to support in-person activities

### Conducted pre / post IAQ test for MERV filter upgrade

### Dashboard for clients to received "snap shots" of their equipment

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Air exchange pie chart indicating percentages OK, need additional testing, mechanical investigation, unable to test, and post test only Air exchange data by building broken out into categories

Additional Testing

Post Test Only
 Unable to Test

= OK

Mechanical Investigatio

 Interval
 No.200
 No.2

Air exchange detailed data highlighting areas of concern

## EnhancedClean success story: Manufacturing

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Customer has been an ABM janitorial client for **10 years** 

There is a lot of mutual **respect** and **trust** between ABM and the customer

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At the start of the pandemic, the customer had to shut down its facility **three times in two weeks** due to confirmed COVID cases

### This caused a major **disruption** and **decreased productivity**

The customer's employees felt the facility was **not a safe space** to come to work

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ABM implemented EnhancedClean's high touch disinfecting and electrostatic spraying

The customer has **not had to shut down** its facility since instituting EnhancedClean services

The client just **extended EC services for a full year** a with a slight increase in service

Key takeaway

ABM remained an integral partner for the client throughout the pandemic and provided the best solutions to enable the client to remain up and running

### To reach optimal healthy building status, IAQ and surface disinfection **ABM** must work in tandem to provide a holistic solution

3 Conduct IAQ post-test Conduct ABM Healthy to document **Building Risk** Implement IAQ pre-test improvements and Monitor and maintain Assessment to identify to document baseline areas that require technologies to ensure additional adjustments opportunity areas metrics optimal IAQ 6 Adjust IAQ solutions as Work with ABM Implement IAQ Specialists to develop a technology solution in needed customized solution to conjunction with surface fit the needs of the disinfection of high **ENHANCED**Clean facility touch points ENHANCED Facility SE EnhancedClean and EnhancedFacility services can help improve the overall health of your facility TITT

Not everyone is going to receive the vaccine, even with mandates in place

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Vaccines are not 100% effective, especially regarding the variants

Even when vaccinated, individuals can transmit COVID through surface-to-surface contact

Disinfection is the new expectation of occupants and employees, and they want "safety seen"

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There are, and will be in the future, other pathogens to disinfect against

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Governing bodies are issuing requirements and recommendations that support air and surface disinfection

For more information, visit <u>HealthyFacility.com</u> and join our next client webinar in Q1 2022

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