



## Cleaning Frequency Guide

Environment	Normal	Contaminated Outside, Dusty	Extremely Cold Weather Climates	High Humidity Biogenic
Day Care Center	2 weeks	1 week	2 weeks	1 week
Nursing Home	1 month	1 month	1 month	1 week
Residence — 2 persons, nonsmoking	6-12 months	2 months	4-6 months	4-6 months
Residence — 2 persons with smoking	4 months	2 months	3 months	4 months
Residence with young children	6 months	1 month	3 months	3 months
Residence with young children and pets	3-6 months	1 month	2 months	2 months
Office building — ground floor	3-6 months	1-4 months	2-6 months	2-6 months
Office building — higher floors	6-12 months	2-6 months	3-9 months	3-9 months
Food Service Establishment	1 month	1 week	2 weeks	2 weeks
Commercial — retail shop, bank	3-6 months	1 month	2 months	2 months

(From U.S. EPA Letter, January 1989)