

Operations	2013-03-11
Green Cleaning Policy	2017-05-17
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FM has been involved in green cleaning practices for over 20 years with the early adoption of green cleaning chemical use. The Green Cleaning Policy will serve as a guideline for green cleaning standards and practices and supports Facilities Management's (FM) mission to provide the Dalhousie Community with a safe and sustainable environment that supports and enhances an inspiring experience in learning, living, working and research.

Custodial Services Staff and Managers/Supervisors who administer the policy.

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- reducing energy and water consumption through intelligent equipment purchases and cus.7(u)-052(n)xdui  
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- Site-specific training will also be provided covering specific cleaning instructions, tailored procedural training (e.g. servicing areas for vulnerable populations) based on the needs of the facility and occupants, and hazardous communication standards.
- Custodial supervisors will receive additional training on:
  - Tracking the quantities of cleaning products and equipment
  - Sustainable purchasing criteria for products, equipment and flooring
  - Use of chemical measuring and dilution control system that limits worker exposure
  - Training records for each employee will be kept including a general outline of information covered, the name and qualifications of the trainer, and the date(s) and duration of the training or courses
- Occupant feedback and continuous improvements to evaluate new technologies, procedures and process will be ongoing

Cleaning products shall:

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- operate at a sound level below 70dBa have 96% filtration
- have safeguards and be designed ergonomically to minimize vibration, noise and user fatigue
- Shall operate with safeguards
- be equipped with vacuum guards and/or other devices