

Disinfecting exercise equipment must be done following the completion of *every* client training session. If a client prefers, equipment will be cleaned in front of him/her prior to the start of his/her session, by the Coach. The following disinfecting procedures must be followed.

- 1. Disinfectant must be labeled to be effective against rhinovirus and/or human coronavirus. If unavailable, it is acceptable to use the following:
  - a. Diluted household bleach solutions
    - i. Fresh 2% chlorine bleach solution (approximately 1 tablespoon of bleach in 1 quart of water)
    - ii. Alcohol solutions with at least 70% alcohol
    - iii. Most common EPA-registered household disinfectants
- 2. Disinfectant label directions must be followed to ensure the target viruses are effectively killed. This included adequate contact times (ie, the amount of time a disinfectant should remain on surfaces to be effective).
  - a. Disinfectants that come in a wipe form will also list effective contact times on their label.
- 3. Concentrated forms of disinfectants must be diluted according to their specific concentration instructions (on the product label) to effectively kill the target virus.
- 4. All GYMGUYZ staff should be reminded to ensure procedures for safe and effective use of all products are followed.
  - a. Staff do not need to wear respiratory protection while cleaning, however, safety instructions are listed on product labels and include the personal protective equipment (ie, gloves) that should be used.
  - b. Place all used gloves and cleaning towels in a bag that can be tied closed before disposing of them with other wastes.
  - c. Wash hands with soap and water for 20 seconds immediately after removing gloves or use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer (at least 60% alcohol) if soap and water are not available.

All GYMGUYZ staff should be reminded of the importance of routine hand and respiratory hygiene practices.

Hand hygiene:

- 1. Avoid touching eyes, nose or mouth with unwashed hands
- 2. Regular hand washing with soap and water for at least 20 seconds should be done:
  - a. Before eating
  - b. After sneezing, coughing or nose blowing
  - c. After using the restroom
  - d. Before handling food
  - e. After touching or cleaning surfaces that may be contaminated
  - f. After using shared equipment like computer keyboards and mice
- 3. If soap and water are not available, use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer

## Respiratory hygiene:

- 1. Covering coughs and sneezes with tissues or the corner of elbow
- 2. Disposing of soiled tissues immediately after use