

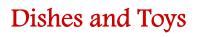




Clean and Disinfect Germ Fighting 101

Non-Porous Surfaces (door knob, counter tops, changing tables, etc.)

- 1. Clean surface with a mild detergent to remove visible signs of dirt
- 2. Then **disinfect** with:
 - EPA registered disinfectant (look for the registration number located on the product label), *or*
 - A dilute household bleach solution (bleach is an excellent disinfectant; it is economical, convenient, and readily available)
- 3. Leave solution on the surface for a minimum of 2 minutes and let air dry

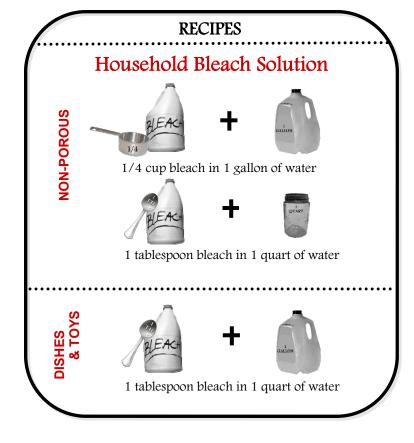


- 1. Clean toys and dishes with a mild detergent to remove visible signs of dirt and food
- 2. Rinse completely
- 3. **Submerge** in a household bleach solution
- 4. Soak for a minimum of 2 minutes and let air dry

A dishwashing machine can substitute in cleaning and disinfecting of toys and dishes



Important notes about bleach:



- Bleach loses its strength and is weakened by heat and sunlight. Therefore, make a fresh bleach solution daily.
- Spray bottles and containers should be **clearly labeled** and stored **out of rea**ch of children.
- <u>Do not mix bleach with ammonia</u> or other household chemicals for it produces noxious and very dangerous fumes.

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