



Parameters and Laundry Process

We take great pride in our ability to accommodate your business and/or facility. For your records, please review our guidelines in accordance with the ALM and CDC.

Flush Cycle: We use a temperature of at least 185°F (85°C) for approximately 4-6 minutes. This assures that all machines are flushed and decontaminated prior to the main wash cycle.

Main Wash: We use a temperature of at least 160°F (71°C) for a minimum of 25 minutes. This assures that all linens are free of contamination and all microorganisms become inactive.

Spot Treating: The use of color safe chlorine bleach also assures an extra margin of safety. A total available chlorine residual of 50–150 ppm is usually achieved during and spot treating and/or bleach cycle. Chlorine bleach becomes activated at water temperatures of 135°F–145°F (57.2°C–62.7°C).

Rinse Cycle: The last of the series of cycles. We use the addition of a mild acid to neutralize any alkalinity in the water supply, soap, or detergent. The rapid shift in pH from approximately 12 to 5 is an effective means to inactivate microorganisms, which leave your linens clean and ready to dry.

Dry Cycle: Once the linens have been processed, we place them in a timed dry cycle with temperatures ranging from 155°F - 180°F depending on the textile or fabric. This assures that all linens keep proper form and are thoroughly dried for packaging.

Packaging: All linens are packaged prior to transport to prevent inadvertent contamination from dust and dirt during loading, delivery, and unloading. Our facility wraps all linens in individual bundles using plastic and seals all bundles in accordance with the ALM and CDC.

