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Bobrick's Pure Hygiene Solutions: For Healthier and More Hygienic Schools

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NORTH HOLLYWOOD, CA, Aug. 16, 2022 – [Bobrick Washroom Equipment, Inc.](https://www.bobrick.com), an industry leader in washroom accessories and toilet partitions, has launched the first half of its **Pure Hygiene Solutions** collection – **PureDri** Sanitizing Hand Dryer. Along with **PureSphere** Air Sanitizer, which will be available later this year – each **Pure** product is proven to eliminate 99 percent of bacteria, viruses, mold and fungi in less than 10 minutes, according to a Leeds University research study.

Said Matthew Louchheim, President of Bobrick, “As an industry leader in facility wellness and hygiene, Bobrick has spent the last two years developing products and design solutions to minimize the spread of germs. Our **BobrickPure** products are ideal for use in restrooms and common areas in schools because they work continuously to create cleaner, fresher air for everyone.”

Sanitation is vital in [school buildings](#). School administrators, whether overseeing the construction of new school buildings or retrofitting existing ones, must consider ways in which to ensure the health of students, teachers and staff. Visible labeling on **Pure** units — whether in restrooms, lounges or classrooms — provides added confidence to all by showing that extra precautions are being taken to enhance sanitization and health. Bobrick **Pure** products are simple and easy to install in both new construction and when retrofitting existing school buildings.

The Science Behind BobrickPure Hygiene Solutions

PureDri and **PureSphere** technology works by destroying existing microorganisms from bacteria and viruses in the air and on surfaces through continuous sanitization using a 3-step process:

1. Eliminates viruses and bacteria via a germicidal UV lamp that inactivates all microorganisms
2. Neutralizes viral particles through strong oxidizing agents as air passes through the chamber
3. Sanitizes using superoxide ions that neutralize airborne particles

The **PureDri** Sanitizing Hand Dryer provides hands with an additional blast of super-concentrated ionized air following the dry time, while providing continuous sanitization in rooms up to 215 square feet.

PureSphere Air Sanitizer continuously purifies the air up to 323 square feet, and is ideal for conference rooms, foyers and classrooms. Both products have no filters to change and require a simple annual bulb replacement.

Bobrick's **PureDri** research findings showed the neutralization of a variety of bacteria and viruses including:

- 100% air disinfection and elimination of E. coli, Staphylococcus aureus and Aspergillus fumigatus after 1 hour
- Surface disinfection and bacteria elimination achieved high results after 8, 24 and 48 hours

“The revolutionary UV+ technology of **PureDri** and **PureSphere** creates hygienic air and surfaces which promote wellness and safety when installed in myriad areas such as washrooms, restaurants, workplaces and classrooms,” added Louchheim. “The safety seal that is included with the installation of **PureDri** and **PureSphere** products shows patrons, tenants, students and employees they are surrounded by an environment safe from most bacteria and viruses.”

To read more about the science and testing results behind Bobrick**Pure** Hygiene Solutions and to see case studies from early adopters, visit bobrickpure.com.

PureDri is now available through distributors across the United States and **PureSphere** will be available in late 2022. Find distributors at bobrickpure.com

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About Bobrick Washroom Equipment, Inc.

Bobrick Washroom Equipment, Inc. is a 116-year-old global washroom accessory, toilet partition and child accommodation company headquartered in North Hollywood, California, with seven manufacturing divisions across the United States, Canada and the United Kingdom, and trading relationships that extend into more than 100 markets worldwide. A leader in product innovation and manufacturing, Bobrick prides itself as a company that delivers best-in-class products and service, while fostering an environment of collaboration and continuous learning. For more information, please visit www.bobrick.com.