

# VIRUSEND™



## Why Use Virusend? 10 things you need to know

New VIRUSEND kills the Covid 19 virus in just 60 seconds

but with so many products claiming efficacy against the virus, why is this one so different?

1. VIRUSEND is the ONLY product proven<sup>1</sup> to meet the standard for HSE<sup>2</sup> workplace good practice in eliminating the virus on all surfaces.
2. Every employer has a duty of care to protect employees from contracting Covid-19 in the workplace. It's a legal duty. If the employer suspects that their employees have been put at risk in the workplace of contracting Covid, they have contracted Covid or have died from Covid they are legally required to report it to the HSE under RIDDOR<sup>3</sup> regulations.
3. VIRUSEND has proven efficacy against the virus and use of this product demonstrates to the HSE the employer has followed the good practice guidance set out by the HSE, helping to protect the employer against possible litigation.
4. Ordinary household antibacterials are not proven to kill the virus. Why? They are designed to kill bacteria. If the product doesn't claim these two standards (BSEN:14476 and BSEN:16777) they cannot independently prove that they can kill the virus on surfaces. Manufacturers should not make such claims and you should not use their products. It is not good practice.
5. VIRUSEND is safe to use on all surfaces<sup>4</sup> including food prep areas. No PPE is required<sup>5</sup>, unlike bleach which also damages surfaces or products with high alcohol content which are highly flammable.
6. It saves you time. Virusend goes on quick. No need to wait for up to 15 minutes and wipe down afterwards, in most cases VIRUSEND does not need to be wiped down<sup>3</sup>. After 60 seconds, the surface is safe. Products such as bleach need up to 15 minutes and the surface must remain wet throughout this period with no evaporation. They are then required to be washed down with clean water.
7. It's very economical to use due to the patented Anyway Spray technology which delivers just the right amount of fine even mist over any surface. Every last drop is used and it works at awkward angles, great for difficult surfaces. Pull the trigger for a continuous fine mist.
8. Save even more money with a 4:1 use ratio compared to other products. Virusend applies just the right of amount of product to the surface. Other brands waste product as they over apply large splodges on the surface, often missing large areas.
9. Under normal conditions, the surface doesn't need to be cleaned prior to spraying as the Virusend formulation is also a surfactant which lifts dirt and allow the virus to be attacked.
10. Virusend has been tested at Liverpool School of Tropical Medicine<sup>4</sup> in its biosafety level 3 (BSL Level 3) laboratory on the actual pandemic strain of the Coronavirus, SARS-CoV-2.

### Is elimination of surface contamination important?

It remains one of the main ways people become infected. Coronavirus can remain infections on surfaces for up to 28 days<sup>6</sup>

### How quickly and how far do you think a virus can spread between surfaces?

A study<sup>7</sup> by Imperial College London showed how easy it was for a virus to be transferred from surface to surface from a hospital isolation room. Within 10 hours it had been spread to 18 other surfaces including door handles, light switches and chairs in a waiting room.

### Trust in the best

VIRUSEND - developed and used by the British Army<sup>8</sup> to keep them and their equipment on the move. Rather than having to wait hours to re-enter a contaminated vehicle Virusend reduced the wait time down to just minutes.

### Get in touch for more information

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[1] <https://www.biorxiv.org/content/10.1101/2020.11.25.394288v2> [2] HSE Good Practice Guidance. 2.1 Good Practice. HSE recommend the British Standards and European Standards as sources of good practice: <https://www.hse.gov.uk/managing/theory/alarp2.htm> [3] <https://www.hse.gov.uk/coronavirus/riddor/index.htm> [4] Use only as directed [5] Subject to a standard COSHH assessment within your business. [6] Research: <https://healthcare-in-europe.com/en/news/how-long-does-sars-cov-2-last-on-surfaces.html> [7] You should reference this research. [8] <https://www.gov.uk/government/news/army-develops-spray-to-kill-coronavirus>