

Nuway Entrance Matting Maintenance

Nuway entrance flooring systems effectively stop dirt from entering a building. To maintain optimum performance, it is essential to regularly remove soiling to prevent mats from becoming saturated and losing their ability to perform.

Daily Cleaning Brush and Vacuum

1. Use a stiff brush to loosen and remove dry particles and fine soiling from the surface of the product.
2. Use a vacuum to collect and remove loose soiling.

Spot Cleaning

Note: It is important to make sure that the vacuum head has sufficient depth to penetrate the differing surfaces (especially in the case of Tuftiguard) in order to remove soil from the wiper strips and the aluminium/PVC components. Alternatively, for Tuftiguard Plain and Grid Rubber, use a vacuum only to remove soiling, ensuring that the vacuum head moves along the component length to maximise soil removal.

1. Dry Spillages – brush into a receptacle or vacuum to remove.
2. Wet Spillages *Localised* – use clean absorbent material to soak up as much of the spillage as possible.
Larger spills – use a wet/dry pick up vacuum or a water extraction cleaning machine to remove soiling.

Regular Cleaning

The following methods may be used as frequently as required depending upon the degree of soiling problem.

Dry Extraction

This method uses a moist compound that is impregnated with cleaning chemicals which can be applied using a stiff brush or mechanically driven applicator with counter rotating brushes. The compound should be left to absorb the soiling for a short period and then removed by vacuuming. Dry extraction is not recommended for Nuway Grid with Burford infills.

Solution Brush Extraction

This method uses machines with counter rotating brushes, which introduce a cleaning solution to the product's surface and return the soiled solution to the machine. Care should be taken when using this method on textile products as saturation may cause damage to your entrance system.

Chewing gum removal

Discarded chewing gum should ideally be removed before it becomes hardened and compacted into the matting surface. Proprietary gum removal gels are readily available to assist removal.

Periodic Cleaning

It is important to periodically uplift the Nuway matting modules to allow thorough cleaning of the product and to remove the build up of soiling within the matwell. This action also allows for inspection of the matwell to check on the condition and the interchanging of components depending upon matwell layout. In the case of Tuftiguard it will also facilitate reversal of the modules. Vacuum matwell surface to remove soiling prior to uplifting modules.

Use a large screwdriver to carefully lift individual matting modules from the matwell. Clean out soiling that has filtered to the base of the matwell and frame. Depending upon the degree of soiling, the matting modules may be cleaned using the above methods or in excessive soiling situations, hot water extraction or jet wash methods may be more appropriate.

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