

*Pest Elimination for*  
**ACUTE CARE**



# I CHOOSE ECOLAB

Because a healthy environment matters

**ECOLAB®**

Everywhere It Matters.™

# Pests threaten patient health and your reputation

- Pest sightings can negatively affect your HCAHPS<sup>®</sup> scores and perceived quality of care
- Strict state, federal and joint commission audit requirements make it more important than ever to ensure your patients are safe from pests

## know your risks

**HOUSE FLIES** are known to harbor over **100 pathogens** with the potential to transmit these disease organisms anywhere they land.



Magnified head of fly – body hair can pick up and transfer disease organisms



Magnification of fly mouth – yellow and green bacteria is *E. coli*



Every time a fly lands it regurgitates and excretes, contaminating any surface it lands on.

**ANTS** are associated with unsanitary environments and certain species can bite or sting patients.



The fire ant can bite or sting patients



Trailing ants



Once an ant finds food, it lays down a pheromone trail (scent) leading others to the food source.

**COCKROACHES** carry disease-causing organisms and can cause serious allergic reactions in patients.



German cockroach in a petri dish

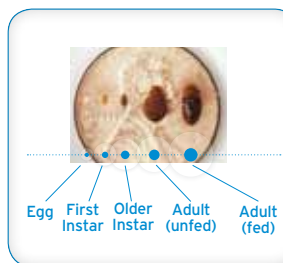


*E. coli* mechanically transferred by the cockroach



One pair can infest your facility with over 1 million offspring in less than a year.

**BED BUGS** can put your reputation at risk by hitchhiking into your facility, hiding throughout your operation and by reproducing at an exponential rate.



Bed bugs in their different life stages



Mattress seam with bed bugs and their fecal matter



1/4" long parasites are the shape and color of appleseeds, can live between 5 months and 1 year, and can lay over 500 eggs in a lifetime.

# Expert Service Specialists you can trust

By working with our experts, you'll stay ahead of pest problems and provide a clean, safe and healthy environment for your patients.

Only Ecolab offers you:

**People** – Highly trained, professional Service Specialists committed to keeping you audit-ready and your patients safe

**Science** – Industry-leading innovation including proprietary protocols that emphasize the use of non-chemical solutions whenever possible

**Information** – A wide range of educational tools and resources used in thousands of Acute Care facilities

With **state-of-the art R&D**,  
**120+ active patents** and  
**continuous research** on  
pest biology and behavior,  
Ecolab independently tests products  
and protocols to ensure efficacy.

## ECOLAB DIFFERENCE

Pest elimination consistently delivered





# HEALTHCARE PROTECT<sup>SM</sup>

Helping you protect  
patient health

Comprehensive pest and treatment  
options customized to meet  
your facility's needs



## Maintain a pest-free environment with **HealthcareProtect<sup>SM</sup>**

We emphasize inspection, monitoring and non-chemical solutions  
whenever possible to **maximize** efficacy and patient safety

### Your Service Specialist will:



#### Ants

Inspect for ant activity and make a targeted product application, as needed, to eliminate the activity



#### Cockroaches

Inspect your facility, quickly treat for cockroaches and key harborages to help prevent cockroaches from returning



#### Rodents

Identify structural issues and strategically place proprietary equipment to keep rodents out of your facility



#### Occasional Invaders

Make targeted product applications during regular service visits, as needed, to the entry points of your building(s)



#### Rooms

Should pest activity ever be suspected in patient, staff or procedural rooms, **your Service Specialist can inspect and treat up to 5% of your rooms** during each service visit on an as-needed basis

Service for ants is included on interior only and at time of regularly scheduled service

## Additional Solutions



#### Proactive Ant Program



#### Expanded Large Fly Program



#### Small Fly Service



#### Air Quality Program



#### Bed Bug Service

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# Solutions to help maintain a pest-free environment

## Finito®

Eliminate crawling and flying insects with this sustainable spray product solution; safe for use on food contact surfaces

\* Not available in NY, VA, OH and Canada



## STEALTH® Fly Station

Eliminate large flies before they're able to enter your facility



## Thermal Enclosure™

Save furniture replacement costs by eliminating bed bugs without damaging infested items – available in select markets



## 1 Step Bed Bug Service

Provided by industry's leading bed bug experts, this service reduces room downtime and decreases cost



 **View videos** about our cutting-edge solutions at [video.ecolab.com](http://video.ecolab.com)

## Resources to help you manage your facility

- **Audit-ready** documentation to help you stay in compliance
- **Detailed** records of pest incidents and corrective actions
- **Staff education** and training tools



 **visit [www.bedbugtoolkit.com](http://www.bedbugtoolkit.com)** for information, tips and tricks on avoiding a bed bug outbreak



To learn more, contact your Ecolab Representative or

call 1 800 325 1671



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[www.ecolab.com/healthcareprotect](http://www.ecolab.com/healthcareprotect)

# Comprehensive solutions. **Everywhere It Matters.**

Ecolab has the innovative solutions you need to tackle any pest issue throughout your facility.



## Which pest challenge does your facility have?

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|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ants        | <input type="checkbox"/> Small Flies         | <input type="checkbox"/> Air Quality |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cockroaches | <input type="checkbox"/> Occasional Invaders | <input type="checkbox"/> Exclusion   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Rodents     | <input type="checkbox"/> Bed Bugs            | <input type="checkbox"/> Birds       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Large Flies | <input type="checkbox"/> Termites            |                                      |

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