

# SOFTA-MAN®

# CLEAN HANDS SAVE LIVES

An unusual name for a unique product. "Man" is short for manus, latin for hands; Softa-Man® literally means soft hands. As a clinician, your hands are your primary tool and it makes sense that you protect them, as well as your patients.

"The antimicrobial efficacy of alcohol based hand formulations is superior to that of all other currently available methods of preoperative surgical hand preparation." (WHO Guidelines on Hand Hygiene in Health Care, 2009, p. 56)\*

Enriched with high quality skin protectors (dexpanthenol, allantoin and bisabolol) and moisturisers, Softa-Man® is suitable for frequent and long term use.

It contains hypoallergenic perfumes, is free of colourants and is conveniently available in a liquid and gel solution.

### **BENEFITS**

- Unique two alcohol solution is effective against a broad spectrum of microbes.
  - "Importantly, when testing the same concentration, the results clearly demonstrated that the efficacy range was: N-propanol is the most active, followed by ethanol, then isopropanol." (WHO Guidelines on Hand Hygiene in Health Care, 2009, p. 46)\*
- Protects sensitive skin incorporates emollients designed to make the epidermal layers of the skin softer and more pliable.
- Inline with the WHO Global Patient Safety campaign.
- Can be used anywhere in the clinical environment, from Reception through to Surgery.







# APPLICATION / EXPOSURE TIMES

- Hygienic hand disinfection = 30 seconds
- Surgical hand disinfection = 90 seconds

Conforms to
Hygienic Hand
Disinfection
EN1500, Surgical
Hand Disinfection
EN12791.





# SAVE TIME PROTECT YOUR HANDS PROTECT YOUR PATIENT

Description	Туре	Size	Code	Best use
Softa-Man® Liquid	Flip Cap	100ml	19699	Patient to patient – attach to staff belt with clip
Softa-Man® Liquid	Pump Pack	500ml	19700	Ward wall mounted or Surgical Prep area
Softa-Man® Liquid	Pump Pack	1000ml	19844	Ward wall mounted or Surgical Prep area
Softa-Man® Gel	Flip Cap	100ml	19701	Patient to patient – attach to staff belt with clip
Softa-Man® Gel	Pump Pack	500ml	19702	Ward wall mounted or Surgical Prep area
Softa-Man® Gel	Pump Pack	1000ml	19846	Ward wall mounted or Surgical Prep area

<sup>\*</sup> Reference Studies: World Health Organisation. (2009). WHO Guidelines on Hand Hygiene in Health Care; First Global Patient Safety Challenge Clean Care is Safer Care. Geneva, Switzerland. World Health Organisation Press.