



**Cleaning and disinfecting the exterior surface of your Accu-Chek Inform II meter is, at a minimum, daily recommended for dedicated patient devices.\***





## Acceptable cleaning and disinfection products include:

- **Clorox<sup>®</sup> Germicidal Wipes** (Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) registration number (Reg. No.) 67619-12 Premoistened disinfecting cloths (active ingredient 1% (or less) solution of sodium hypochlorite in water)
- **Clorox<sup>®</sup> Bathroom Wipes with Bleach** (EPA Reg. No. 67619-12-5813)
- **Clorox<sup>®</sup> Bleach Wipes** (EPA Reg. No. 67619-12-5813)
- **Clorox<sup>®</sup> Clean-Up Wipes with Bleach** (EPA Reg. No. 67619-12-5813)
- **Clorox<sup>®</sup> Disinfecting Bleach Wipes** (EPA Reg. No. 67619-12-5813)
- **Clorox<sup>®</sup> Disinfecting Wipes with Bleach** (EPA Reg. No. 67619-12-5813)
- **Super Sani-Cloth<sup>®</sup> Germicidal Disposable Wipes** (EPA Reg. No. 9480-4)  
Pre-moistened disinfecting cloths (active ingredient 0.5% quaternary ammonium chlorides and up to 60% isopropanol)
- **Asepti-Wipe +** (EPA Reg. No. 9480-4-1677)
- **Maxiwipe Germicidal Cloth** (EPA Reg. No. 9480-4-10597)

## Cleaning meter process

-  1 Prior to cleaning, place meter on level surface. Power off meter.
-  2 Using approved wipe, clean by gently wiping:
  - a. Outside of meter
  - b. Carefully around test strip port
-  3 Dry meter thoroughly after cleaning.

## Disinfecting meter process

-  1 Prior to cleaning, place meter on level surface. Power off meter.
-  2 Using approved wipe, disinfect by gently wiping:
  - a. Outside of meter three times horizontally then three times vertically, and;
  - b. Carefully around test strip port
-  3 Allow meter surface to remain damp for entire contact time with recommended disinfection solution for:
  - a. 1-minute contact time with Clorox Germicidal Wipes
  - b. 2-minutes contact time with Super Sani-Cloth Germicidal Disposable Wipes
-  4 Dry meter thoroughly after disinfecting.



**After cleaning or disinfecting be sure the meter is dry and remember to replace the meter in the base unit to charge.**

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For questions, please call Accu-Chek Customer Care, 1-800-440-3638



## WARNING



**Avoid getting liquid into test strip port!** Failure to follow these instructions may damage the meter.



**DO** squeeze excess cleaning solution from pre-moistened wipe or blot on paper towel to remove excess cleaning solution.



**DO NOT** clean or disinfect the meter while performing a blood glucose or control test.

**DO NOT** get any moisture in the test strip port.

**DO NOT** spray anything onto the meter.

**DO NOT** immerse the meter in liquid.

1 FDA Safety Notification: Use of Fingertick Devices on More than One Person Poses Risk for Transmitting Bloodborne Pathogens: Initial Communication: Update (2010). Retrieved 6/2/2016 from: <http://www.fda.gov/MedicalDevices/Safety/AlertsandNotices/ucm224025.htm>

2 CDC Injection Safety: Infection Prevention during Blood Glucose Monitoring and Insulin Administration. Retrieved 4/11/2016 from: <http://www.cdc.gov/injectionsafety/blood-glucose-monitoring.html>

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*\*Meters used with multiple patients may require more frequent cleaning and disinfecting*

*\*Prior to cleaning and disinfection, follow FDA, CDC, and CMC recommendations along with your institution's policies and procedures for infection control<sup>1,2</sup> and the use of personal protective equipment (PPE) and handling of blood glucose testing equipment.*