

## End User Cleaning & Instructions For Use

Thank you for choosing to use Shields Up to protect your frontline staff. These items have been disinfected prior to being sent out to prevent any potential spread of biological contaminants.

The shields are comprised of three parts:

- Plastic visor (single patient use)
- Main shield component
- Elastic backstrap

The plastic visor is single patient use and must be disposed of between cases.

The main shield component, and elastic backstrap are reusable.

Cleaning between cases:

Discard the visor. Wipe down shield components with 70% isopropyl alcohol wipes. If your facility does not have 70% isopropyl alcohol wipes, then it is acceptable to use a paper towel laden with 70% isopropyl alcohol.

End of day cleaning:

Fill a sink with 10L of warm water and add 30mL of cleaning solution such as Matrix® or Sonidet®. Clean shield components fully submerged with a soft cloth. Rinse off with cold water then wipe off excess water with a lint free cloth or paper towel. Leave elastic back strap to air dry overnight. Use a 70% isopropyl alcohol wipe to remove any remaining water and allow to stand overnight.

Exposure to temperatures greater than 70 degrees Celsius will lead to degradation and potential failure of the shields. DO NOT machine wash, hand wash ONLY.

Shields Up NZ is not responsible for any damage/harm to property or persons as a result of not complying with these IFU's.

For any questions please contact:  
[dominic@shieldsup.org.nz](mailto:dominic@shieldsup.org.nz)