

## Carpet Care

## **General Maintenance Requirements**

- **1.** Always maintain entryways to prevent soils from being tracked into building onto carpet.
  - Frequently vacuum entryway mats.
  - Frequently dust mop resilient floors.
- 2. Use entry mats to capture soils and moisture from shoes.
- **3.** Ensure that all equipment functions appropriately, especially extraction equipment.
- **4.** Increase ventilation to dry carpets quickly. The goal should be to completely dry carpet in 24 hours.

**Note:** It is preferable to use vacuum cleaners that meet the Carpet & Rug Institute's Green Label Program requirements.

