

Checklist Today, Greener Tomorrow

Switch to alcohol-based hand rub for surgical decontamination.



- ✓ Alcohol-based hand rub is a liquid agent for surgical hand disinfection containing 60–80% alcohol and is approved by

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- ✓ A traditional water based surgical scrub can use up to **18 litres** of water per person!
- ✓ There are no differences in SSI with ABHR versus formal scrubbing and it has been found to be better tolerated by surgeons.
- ✓ A quarter of the worlds populations are now living in countries faced with extreme water stress.

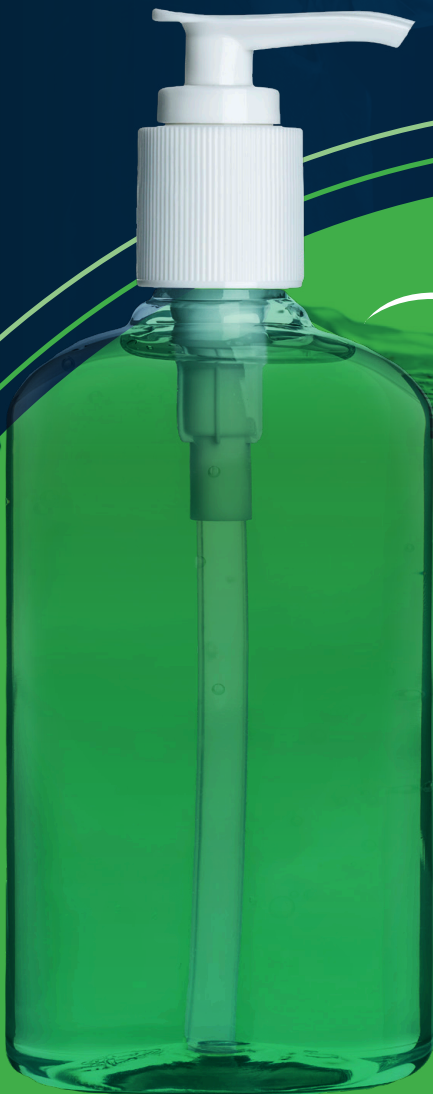


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