U QUARTZ

Care & Maintenance

Routine Cleaning: uQuartz surfaces do not require sealers or special cleaning solutions. Simply clean your uQuartz surface with warm water and a mild detergent applied by a soft rag. Avoid using chemical cleaners which include bleach or oxidizers, and avoid cleaning your uQuartz surface with abrasive sponges. Always dry the surface after cleaning.



Tough Stains: Although uQuartz surfaces are non-porous and do not allow stains to penetrate the exterior- certain agents like dyes, markers, and other chemicals can permanently discolor the quartz surface. If your surface comes into contact with one of these agents or you encounter a stubborn stain, always clean these areas as soon as you notice them. For heavy duty spot cleaning, try the following method:

- **1.** Apply *OxiClean*[™] Laundry Stain Remover *Spray* (Do not use the OxiClean powder form).
- 2. Let the spray sit and soak into the stain for 4-5 minutes, then wipe it off using a small amount of water.
- 3. Repeat step two, 4-5 times until stain is removed. Use pressure but do not rub the area TOO hard when wiping off the spray.
- 4. Once the stain is no longer visible, use a standard 'Stone countertop cleaner' to help re-polish the surface. This will ensure that there is no loss of shine or polish in the area where you applied the spray.

Things to Avoid:

-Avoid placing hot pans/skillets/crock pots directly on uQuartz surfaces

-Do not expose uQuartz surfaces to chemicals which include: bleach/high pH/acids/oxidizers

-Do not expose uQuartz to: paint removers, pipe cleaners, oil soaps, dishwasher detergents

-Do not use wire brushes, harsh sponges, or abrasive scrub pads on uQuartz surfaces

-Avoid using sharp utensils directly on uQuartz surfaces, cutting board is recommended