



Care & Use

Congratulations on the purchase of your Emerstone Quartz countertop. Emerstone Quartz is a beautiful, durable and resilient countertop surface that will provide you with many years of trouble free performance. Maintaining your Emerstone Quartz is simple and easy.

For every day cleaning use a soft sponge or dishcloth with warm water.

Wherever food is consumed, hygiene must be optimal, not optional. Quartz is nonporous, durable, easy-to-clean and NSF/ANSI Standard 51 Certified for food contact, making it ideal for use where food is prepared and served. It is also tough, withstanding the daily knocks and spills common in food service environments.

Emerstone is Beautiful, Yet so much more:

- Durable, easy-to-clean and maintain.
- NSF/ANSI Standard 51 Certified for food contact.
- With many color aesthetics to choose from you can create a consistent, warm, and inviting ambience and a positive brand experience at one or many locations.
- Will not support the growth of mold and mildew when properly cleaned.
- Stain resistant (stains cannot permeate and minor surface discoloration is easily removed).
- GREENGUARD Certified® as a low VOC-emitting material.
- Available in a wide range of colors and styles.

For stubborn or greasy clean-ups use a gentle liquid cleaner like Mr. Clean, 409, Simple Green, Fantastic etc. or ordinary dish washing detergent e.g. Palmolive with warm water and a "White Scotch Brite"

Never use red or green Scotch Brite on Emerstone Quartz as they contain aluminum oxide (the same abrasive in sand paper) and may dull Emerstone Quartz's finish.

Do not use abrasive cleaning agents such as regular Comet and Ajax. If needed, Bon Ami and Bar keepers friend are both approved non-abrasive cleaning powders that will clean without effecting Emerstone Quartz's finish.

Though most common household cleaners have no effect of Emerstone Quartz, never allow your Emerstone Quartz countertop to come in contact with drain cleaners, paint strippers or products containing Hydrofluoric acid, Methylene chloride, Trichloroethylene or any product with a very high or very low PH. These types of chemicals may etch or discolor the surface of Emerstone Quartz.

There is no need to seal your Emerstone Quartz countertop. Sealers cannot penetrate Emerstone Quartz and remain on the surface. Eventually the sealer will start to wear off unevenly in high use areas causing the polish to appear inconsistent.

Emerstone Quartz is scorch resistant and under normal conditions is not affected. The maximum heat level should not exceed 300 degrees, on close proximity to the

surface. Always use a trivet or hot pad between Emerstone Quartz and any heat generating device including but not limited to crock pots, deep fryers, hot pots and pans or electric skillets. Sudden or rapid change of temperature or sustained heating especially near edges and cut outs, may create enough thermal expansion energy to cause your countertop to crack. Damage caused by thermal expansion is not covered under the Emerstone Quartz warranty.

Follow these simple care and use guidelines and your Emerstone Quartz countertop will provide you with many years of trouble free use. Contact Emerstone for further information by calling 732-730-6820 or by visiting our website at www.emerstone.com