

3 Steps to Safe Water

Protecting Your Patients & Practice

The latest waterline research shows that every effective waterline maintenance protocol includes these 3 steps. Follow this guide closely to be in compliance with CDC Guidelines and ensure your patients and practice are safe.

ONE: SHOCK FIRST

Often mistaken as unnecessary, shocking your dental unit waterlines is required for every water treatment protocol to be effective. Shocking utilizes a stronger chemical to completely rid your lines of contaminants and enables daily (or continuous) low-level antimicrobial products to work most effectively. *See back page for a link to ProEdge's Shocking Tutorial video.*

When Should You Shock:

- › Before first beginning a treatment protocol or when changing treatment products
- › At least every quarter (90 days)
- › When your waterline test reveals a contamination level of 200 CFU/mL or more
- › For more information, visit ProEdgeDental.com/Shock

After completing the shock treatment, continue your daily treatment product. To find out which treatments are most effective, annual cost, and tips for success, visit ProEdgeDental.com/Treatment-Guide.

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TWO: DAILY TREATMENT

Daily, or continuous, waterline treatments are specially formulated to *continuously* control contamination in dental unit waterlines by reducing and inhibiting re-growth of bacteria. They are designed to be safe enough for direct patient contact and strong enough to maintain safe waterlines.

How To Use a Daily Treatment:

- › Add a daily tablet, like BluTab, at every water bottle refill, or if using a straw or cartridge, install & monitor iodine output
- › Follow each treatment product's instructions very carefully to ensure proper use
- › Using distilled water alone is not sufficient for waterline maintenance (CDC, ADA)
- › Reverse osmosis units or filter systems are not recommended as a waterline treatment by themselves

Flush your water & air lines for 20–30 seconds in between each patient. Be alert to signs that may indicate biofilm formation including musty odor, cloudiness or particulates in the water, and clogging of lines.



Thank You
for protecting what matters most

THREE: TEST QUARTERLY

Quarterly clinical monitoring of your waterline safety is the only way to ensure that treatment procedures are performed correctly and that your water exceeds the standard for safety (≤ 500 CFU/mL).

If a line fails during testing, initiate an immediate shock, confirm that maintenance procedures are being followed, and retest as soon as possible. If your test shows microbial counts in the caution range (200 to 500 CFU/mL), shock within one week and continue quarterly testing.

How often should I test?

- › Test your waterlines every month
- › Once passing results are consistent, test quarterly
- › Test your waterlines after completing any remedial action to correct a failed test to ensure remedial action was effective



Learn How to Shock Your Waterlines

The lab at ProEdge has found that diluted bleach is the most consistent, efficient, and economical shocking option for dentistry. If your office or unit manufacturer is uncomfortable with bleach, Liquid Ultra™ made by Crosstex is also routinely effective.

Watch our How to Shock tutorial at the link below:

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