## **XPF FLOORING MAINTENANCE GUIDE**

## **Basic Maintenance**

- Use a damp cloth to blot up spills as soon as they happen to prevent stains.
- Sweep, dust, or vacuum with the hard surface attachment regularly to prevent dirt and debris from
  - accumulating-this can scratch or dull your floor's finish
- Damp mop as needed with clean water and nonabrasive floor cleaner
- Every so often, clean the floor with product specifically made for vinyl/wpc floors by lightly spray ing the product on to a terry cloth or microfiber mop.

## What to Avoid

- Do not vacuum with a beater bar as it may scratch or dent your floor
- Never use soap, wax, or oilbased detergentsthey may dull the finish or leave a greasy film making the floors slippery and harder to clean.
- Do not use abrasive cleaners, steel wool, or strong ammoniated or chlorinated cleaners
- Do not use Magic Sponge or buffing/polishing machines.

## Things to take note of

Protect your floor against direct sunlight or any intense source of artificial light, over time excessive light may discolor the floors. Block heat & fade - causing UV rays with protective window coverings and rearrange rugs and furniture periodically to help your floor age evenly.

Invest in quality floor mats to help trap grit and absorb moisture at entry points. Mats should also be placed in high traffic areas as way to reduce wear.

Protective mats must be used for furniture or chairs with castors. Add non - staining protective pads to all furniture and chair legs for an extra layer of defense against indentations and scratches, replace them once they are worn or dirty. Generally, the heavier the object, the wider the floor protector - never slide furniture across the floor

Keep your pet's nails trimmed to prevent them from scratching the floor

Maintain a normal indoor temperature throughout the year