

# IHS NEWSLETTER

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## National Handwashing Awareness Week

Did you know that hand washing can reduce the risk of illness by up to 40%?

This National Handwashing Awareness Week (Dec 1-7), we're celebrating one of the simplest yet most effective ways to stop the spread of germs. At IHS, health and safety are always our top priorities.

Let's all take a moment to wash our hands often and stay healthy together!



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A word  
from our  
CEO

Happy Holidays!

Congratulations on making it halfway through the school year.

Our newsletter this month features our beloved Zono™ Disinfecting and Sanitizing Cabinet. We have included some important reminders as well as tips and tricks for usage. We are also offering yearly onsite maintenance programs and training opportunities.

Thank you to everyone who trusted us by purchasing our products this year. All of us certainly appreciate your commitment to providing the best learning environments for your children and staff!

# Upcoming Conferences

We're thrilled to announce that IHS will be exhibiting at two upcoming conferences: the FHSA Conference (Dec 10-13) and the AELC Training Camp (Jan 15-17)! Be sure to stop by and meet Tyler Hess ([tyler@ihcsolutionsusa.com](mailto:tyler@ihcsolutionsusa.com)), who is eager to showcase our innovative products and answer any health and safety-related questions. At IHS, we're proud to be your partner in health and safety, and we can't wait to connect with you.

See you there!

# GROSS!



One germ can become 8,000,000 in a single day!

A person's hands have between 10,000 - 10 million bacteria and can spread 1000x more germs when they are damp

Norovirus can live on surfaces like doorknobs for 12 days to even months if not disinfected!

A teacher's desk can have up to 17,800 germs per square inch.



# The IHS Store

Be sure to check out our shop located on our website!

Check out our Germ Guardian! A new, easy way to replace the distilled water in your ZONO™.

As we get into the winter season, illnesses like the flu, colds, RSV, and covid peak.



# Zono™ Ozone Cabinet



 **38**  
minute Cycle

 **100%**

Lice and bed bugs killed with heat cycle

 **99.9%**

Common viruses and bacteria\* killed

 **Non-toxic**

No need for rinsing items before returning them to classrooms

## ZONO Maintenance Contract & Training

We're excited to announce two valuable programs for our ZONO™ customers!

Maintenance Plan: ensure your units stay at peak efficiency with yearly quality checks at each of your locations, maintaining the highest level of unit performance.

Training Plan: provide ongoing, year-round opportunities for pre-service training, addressing staff turnover, and connecting with a product expert to overcome any workflow challenges.

Talk about either with an expert today!

## ZONO Tips & Tricks

- Anything that fits can go in the cabinet except those adorable children!
- Utilize ZONO™ several times throughout the day, not just at the end of a long day or weekly
- Remember sanitized items can go right back in the classroom without rinsing or drying
- Imagine your staff and teachers NOT having to smell liquid cleaners, stinky shoes or smoky clothes!
- ZONO™ will beep if the doors are not locked
- Remove the tray before the heat cycle

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\*Norovirus on non-porous surfaces. Staphylococcus aureus, Methicillin-Resistant Staphylococcus aureus, Escherichia coli, Streptococcus pneumoniae, Streptococcus pyogenes, Shigella dysenteriae, Salmonella enteritidis, and Pseudomonas aeruginosa on non-porous, semi-porous, and porous surfaces.