

## 7. Cleaning and Decontamination Overview

The practice maintains a structured cleaning schedule that includes:

- Daily cleaning of all clinical rooms
- Daily cleaning of high-touch surfaces
- Weekly deep cleaning schedule
- Monthly environmental review
- Colour-coded cleaning equipment
- Appropriate use of chlorine-based or approved disinfectants

Clinical equipment is:

- Decontaminated between patients
- Serviced and validated in accordance with manufacturer guidance
- Subject to routine maintenance checks

Cleaning is carried out by: Greenmachine & DartFM

External contracted cleaning service Greenmachine & Dart FM

Cleaning standards are monitored through regular audits.

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## 8. Policies and Procedures

The practice maintains up-to-date IPC policies covering:

- Hand hygiene
- Personal protective equipment (PPE)
- Waste disposal
- Sharps management
- Needle stick injuries
- Blood and body fluid spillages
- Decontamination of equipment
- Management of infectious patients

Policies are reviewed annually or sooner if guidance changes.

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## 9. Review and Approval

This Annual IPC Statement was reviewed and approved by:

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Date: 27/4/26

Practice Manager Vicki Cole



Signature

Date: 27/04/2026