

## Allsteel Products Meeting the Healthy Interiors Goal



Most Allsteel products can meet the Safer Chemicals Challenge of the Healthier Hospitals Healthy Interiors Goal version 2.0 (November 2015). Our customers can easily select options for their product preferences by using the clarifying suggestions on the second page of this document. For additional information, please contact Courtney Moline at [molinec@allsteeloffice.com](mailto:molinec@allsteeloffice.com).

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Clarity® Seating	Mimeo™ Seating	Stride® Workstations	

Furniture described herein meets the Healthy Interiors goal of the Safer Chemicals Challenge according to the manufacturer. Practice Greenhealth has not verified this information. Additional information regarding the Safer Chemicals Challenge may be found online at [www.HealthierHospitals.org](http://www.HealthierHospitals.org).

*Please refer to the back of this document for clarification when selecting products to be certain that your selections meet the HH guidance. Customer choices can impact product content.*

# Allsteel Product Selection Guidance

As of May 2016, Allsteel products can meet the Safer Chemicals Challenge of the Healthier Hospitals Healthy Interiors Goal version 2.0 (November 2015) by using the following guidance. Customer choice plays an important role in avoiding undesired chemicals and treatments. Furniture and options specified must meet all criteria below.

## 1. **Formaldehyde\***

Allsteel furniture that is Indoor Advantage Gold certified qualifies. Certificates are publicly available at [www.allsteeloffice.com/About-Us/Sustainability/Downloads](http://www.allsteeloffice.com/About-Us/Sustainability/Downloads).

The certificates clarify any exceptions, such as the use of some veneer finishes or specific settings.

## 2. **Perfluorinated Compounds (PFCs)\***

PFC-free fabrics are available. Customers must be responsible for Customer's Own Material (COM) fabric content.

## 3. **Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC)\***

To avoid PVC, order any flat edge worksurface that is rectangular or square in shape. Flat edge worksurfaces with curved shapes (other than Stride) usually require PVC. Vinyl upholstery must be avoided.

PVC edges make up less than 1% of the weight of a worksurface or table so could still be accepted in an HH project. Electrical components are exempt from HH guidance, but Allsteel offers a non-PVC option for electrical components that must be specifically ordered with an up-charge.

## 4. **Antimicrobials\***

Antimicrobial-free fabrics are available. Customers must be responsible for the COM fabric content.

## 5. **Flame Retardants\***

All products qualify unless specifically ordered to meet CAL133 and the City of Boston fire code. Some fabrics may contain flame retardants, so customers must select flame retardant free fabrics. Vinyl upholstery, some polyurethanes, and most high-performance textiles must be avoided. Customers must be responsible for COM fabric content.

*\*Please note that it is not feasible to provide laboratory testing data for every variation of product and material.*

*Allsteel has worked with our suppliers to determine whether the chemicals and treatments listed are included in products above the guideline threshold limits.*

*Customers are responsible for the chemical content of COM fabrics.*

*Allsteel reserves the right to change materials without notice but will continue to meet HH goals. Please confirm conformance to Healthy Interiors 2.0 goal at time of specification. For additional information, please contact Allsteel Customer Support at [ASITeamCS@allsteeloffice.com](mailto:ASITeamCS@allsteeloffice.com).*



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