

# Interim Carpet Maintenance Frequencies

Factors influencing carpet appearance and maintenance schedules:



Foot traffic patterns



Geography/weather



Carpet color/design



Pet policies



Carpet type / Carpet & Rug Institute rating

Conduct interim maintenance using a low-moisture encapsulation system as follows:



## Every other month

Sleeping areas and special use spaces like formal conference rooms that see up to **5,000 footfalls** over a given time period.



## 2x per month

Offices, examination rooms and areas that have about **5,000 to 10,000 footfalls** and carpet.



## Weekly

Entrance ways, corridors, classrooms and libraries that see **10,000 to 15,000 footfalls** over a specified time period and feature carpet.



## Daily or 3x per week

Airports, elevators, stairs and multipurpose areas that experience more than **15,000 footfalls** over an allotted time period.