MIXING BLEACH
Bleach concentration is now stronger (8.25%)

READ THE LABEL AND TAKE THE FOLLOWING STEPS TO ENSURE SAFETY IN YOUR CHILD CARE FACILITY

1 IDENTIFY BLEACH CONCENTRATION
- Find the sodium hypochlorite % on the bottle.
- Do not purchase scented or splash-less bleaches.

2 MIX
- Mix fresh solutions daily.
- Use room temperature water.
- Add bleach to water (rather than water to bleach) to reduce fumes.
- Refer to the chart below for mixing instructions. Measure carefully.
- Never mix bleach with other cleaning products, disinfectants and/or ammonia. Mixing these chemicals may release poisonous gases into the air.

3 CLEAN
- Clean surfaces with soap and warm water. Rinse.
- Always clean surfaces to remove visible dirt and contamination before using bleach solution.

4 SANITIZE, DISINFECT OR SPECIAL CLEAN UP
- Wet entire surface.
- Leave solution on surface for 2 minutes. (5 minute contact time for vomit & diarrhea.)
- Let air dry. If needed sooner, wait 2 minutes and wipe dry. (5 minutes for vomit & diarrhea.)

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<td>1/4 teaspoon bleach / quart water</td>
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USE AS DIRECTED

CLEAN & SANITIZE AFTER EACH USE:
- Children’s mouthed toys
- Food service areas, dishes

SANITIZE DAILY OR WHEN SOILED:
- Common surfaces (other than in bathrooms), floors, mats, tables, countertops and hard surfaces

CLEAN & DISINFECT AFTER EACH USE:
- Diaper changing surfaces

DISINFECT DAILY OR WHEN SOILED:
- Bathrooms
- Doorknobs

FOR VOMIT & DIARRHEA
- Mix Solution when needed.
- Wear gloves and masks to protect yourself.

For more information on bleach solutions or to request a health consultation visit and bleach pumps for mixing bleach safely, contact 402-441-6220 or healthychildcare@lincoln.ne.gov

Information adapted from Oregon Health Authority.