

Privacy Plus® Partitions

with DuPont[™] Corian[®] solid surface

PRODUCT COMPARISON

While there are similarities in restroom partitions in terms of hardware, mounting, engineering and basic privacy standards, only Privacy Plus® Partition Systems with DuPont™ Corian® solid surface offer a patented design that translates into easy installation, lower labor and shipping costs, as well as clean and maintain features that facility managers love. In fact, Privacy Plus® can work equally well in settings that range from basic facilities to high-end restroom settings.

Here's how Privacy Plus[®] Partitions compare to other available partition offerings:

Privacy Plus® Partitions

Privacy Plus® Partitions with DuPont™ Corian® are a durable solution with resistance to chips, cracks and scratches. Privacy Plus® offers both form and function and is aesthetically beautiful with a full range of design possibilities. Privacy Plus® Partitions with DuPont™ Corian® are available in a wide array of beautiful styles and colors, and can be shaped into unique door configurations.

Care is simple since Corian is easy to maintain, and when properly cleaned resists the growth of mold, mildew and bacteria. In addition, Corian® resists staining from uric acid. Privacy Plus® Partition Systems offer the best overall life cycle cost since the system is fully renewable and is a solid system built to last. Plus it comes with a 20-year limited warranty, making Privacy Plus® a great choice.

All colors and thicknesses of Corian® solid surfaces carry the highest "Interior Finishes" rating, Class I (Class A), of the principal USA building codes:

- Life Safety Code, NFPA 101 Section 10.2.3 Interior Wall or Ceiling Finish Testing and Classification
- Uniform Building Code (UBC) (issued by ICBO) Section 4204, Table 42-A
- Basic Building Code (issued by BOCA)
 Section 922.5.3
- Standard Building Code (issued by SBCCI)
 Section 704 Restrictions on Interior Finishes
- HUD Section 405-8.2 and Section 405-8.3 or Table 4-5.4

Plastic laminate

While plastic laminate offers unlimited colors and patterns, most restrooms using plastic laminate feature very neutral color schemes. Plastic laminate scratches, chips, and can delaminate. The panel color and pattern can wear off from excessive use and is prone to staining from uric acid, so it's not a sanitary option. Plastic laminate is not fire resistant and requires a heat sink. Plastic laminate panel damage (or vandalism) is not repairable or renewable. Partitions made from plastic laminate tend to be institutional in appearance.

Phenolic

Phenolic is prone to scratching, and the color and pattern can wear off from excessive use. Phenolic is not a sanitary option since it can stain from uric acid. Phenolic requires a heat sink since it is not fire retardant. Phenolic panel damage is not repairable or renewable.

Painted metal

Painted metal is a popular option with an attractive price point but is prone to scratches, dents, and is easily vandalized. The finish is subject to wear, and can rust and corrode. Painted metal is prone to stains from uric acid and not germ free. Painted metal finish is flammable and requires a heat sink. Painted metal is not the best choice when overall life cycle cost is considered and offers limited design options. Painted metal offers a highly institutionalized aesthetic.

Stainless steel

Stainless steel is a high-end option for partitions, however stainless is prone to scratches and dents and can be vandalized with graffiti. Once scratched, stainless steel is not a sanitary option. Stainless is not a renewable option.

High density polyethylene (HDPE)

The textured finish of HDPE makes it more difficult to clean. HDPE is prone to scratches and gouges, and these areas can pose a hygiene problem. The surface is not renewable since the factory texture can't be replicated after sanding. HDPE is not fire resistant and requires a heat sink. HDPE is at the high end of the price range among partitions.

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Side-by-side comparison of Privacy Plus° Partitions with DuPont™ Corian° solid surfaces vs. other leading partitions:

	Privacy Plus®	Plastic Laminate	Phenolic	Painted Metal	Stainless Steel	High Density Polyethylene
Will not dent or chip	*					*
Easy to maintain	*				*	*
Class A1 fire rating	*				*	
Renewable: Scratches can be removed	*				· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
Available in a wide range of colors	*	*	*	*		
Resists staining	*				*	*
Surface pattern won't wear off	*				N/A	*
Fully concealed hardware	*					
No mechanical fasteners	*					
No gaps between panels and/or hinge side of door	*					(between panels only)
Solid plate rigid ceiling hung hardware	*					
Design flexibility	*					
20-year warranty	*					

For more information about Privacy Plus® Partitions with DuPont® Corian®, please call 847-760-0543 or visit PrivacyPlusPartitions.com.





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