## PVCIN MEDICAL CARE INNOVATION THAT SAVES LIVES

## REDUCING HEALTHCARE-ASSOCIATED INFECTIONS

PVC is used in dozens of applications and thousands of individual products in hospitals because it is easy to disinfect, reducing the spread of bacteria.





## FIGHTING THE WORLD'S MOST INFECTIOUS DISEASES

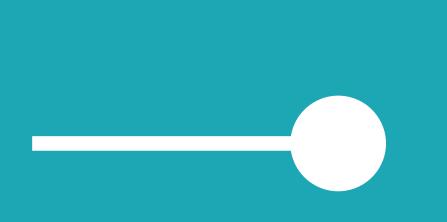
Because PVC is an effective barrier, it is used to combat the transmission of some of the most virulent diseases in the world. PVC is critical for the protection of medical professionals treating Ebola patients in the field and for helping prevent the spread of this disease.



PVC innovations have been responsible for huge improvements in the delivery of medical care. PVC IV bags are much safer and more sanitary than their predecessors. PVC has been safely used for over 50 years in billions of medical devices.







## KEEPING MEDICAL SPACES CLEAN FOR THE LONG HAUL

One of the most common applications for PVC in medical care is in flooring and upholstery. PVC flooring and wall coverings can be easily washed and withstand strong disinfectants. PVC upholstery in waiting rooms and patient rooms is more durable and easier to clean than other materials.