

Anti-social clean up role for GumBusters machines



GumBusters patented anti-gum technology uses pressurised Dry Steam Vapour working in powerful combination with an environmentally friendly bio-degradable detergent that uses hardly any of our precious water resources. 40 litres per day is the maximum. Pressure washer usage can easily exceed that in a minute. GumBusters is therefore the only technology of its kind that can remove chewing gum deposits during the busy daytime period without any obstruction and inconvenience to, or resentment from, the public.

And now, with the disgusting aftermath of widespread binge-drinking creating a serious anti-social blight, with pools of vomit and urine making a stinking mess of shop doorways and public footpaths in town centres all over the country, an important new role is being played out by GumBusters machines – that of killing potentially harmful bacteria and eradicating odours.

The versatility of GumBusters technology had previously manifested itself only in clearing away the results of other well established and highly visible anti-social behaviors, that of 'in your face' graffiti and indiscriminate fly-posting, as well as chewing gum removal. However, vomit and urine can easily carry traces of infectious bacteria, especially if blood is present. Certainly it is the presence of bacteria that causes the foul odours.



Due to the difficulties involved in controlling where intensive pressure washing will drive urine and vomit residues, this method of cleaning up cannot be particularly recommended where drains are present or where the public might pass by. On the other hand, Dry Steam Vapour heated to temperatures in excess of 150°C will destroy bacteria and typically vaporise such filthy deposits so that no trace remains, not even the bad smell.

Dry Steam Vapour is currently being used in hospitals and other healthcare facilities throughout the country and is perceived as being in the vanguard of the battle against healthcare associated infections because it successfully elevates routine cleaning into an effective daily decontamination process.



By utilising similar Dry Steam Vapour technology, but with the optional addition of disinfectants and / or detergents, on a highly mobile platform, GumBusters successfully transfers the decontaminating effect of this technology out from our hospitals and care homes and on to our streets.

As more and more local authorities adopt GumBusters, and cleaning contractors elect to offer them a rapid response service, the results should take us towards a cleaner, more healthy and safer environment for everyone.