Leading "Stretch"

Vinyl Gloves







Superior tactile sensitivity.

# **End Vinyl Glove Worries. Relax with LAVENDER\*.**

KIMBERLY-CLARK\* KC100 LAVENDER\* Nitrile Exam Gloves deliver superior protection, performance, and comfort compared to vinyl. Vinyl exam gloves have never been the best choice for protection or comfort.

- Clinical studies show they fail in use more than one-third of the time.<sup>1</sup>
- They have limited elasticity, tensile strength, and durability.
- They can't be used with many chemicals.
- They cause hand fatigue, they're perceived as hot, and they have less than optimal tactile sensitivity.

However, until now, there hasn't been an economical, better alternative. But now you can replace your vinyl exam gloves with the protection, performance, and comfort of nitrile.

New LAVENDER\* Nitrile Gloves give you protection you can trust and comfort you can feel -- at a more affordable everyday price.

In published, in-use barrier studies, standard vinyl exam gloves had a 373% higher risk of failure than nitrile exam gloves (leakage rates of 35.5% for vinyl, vs. 7.5% for nitrile).<sup>1</sup>

In a use test, over 85% of healthcare professionals significantly preferred Kimberly-Clark's new KC100 LAVENDER\* Nitrile Gloves over two leading "stretch" vinyl exam gloves. Additionally, these healthcare professionals also preferred LAVENDER\* Nitrile Gloves for tactile sensitivity, easier finger and hand movement, less hand fatigue, softness, coolness, and comfort.<sup>2</sup> More comfort leads to greater compliance, which means better protection for staff and patients.

Tell your Kimberly-Clark Sales Representative you want to replace your facility's vinyl gloves with the superior protection, performance, and comfort of new KC100 LAVENDER\* Nitrile Exam Gloves. And relax!









KIMBERLY-CLARK\* KC100 LAVENDER\* Nitrile Exam Gloves are designed for a wide range of tasks.

- Higher count per box saves space and waste
- Powder free
- Ambidextrous
- Beaded cuffs
- Non-sterile
- Textured fingertips
- 1. Kerr LN, Chaput MP, Cash LD, et al. 2004 Sep. Assessment of the Durability of Medical Examination Gloves. Journal of Occupational and Environmental *Hygiene* 1: 607-612. 2. Data on file.

#### The Kimberly-Clark Advantage\*

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www.HAlwatch.com



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| Product Or | dering Information                                |         | SAVES<br>SPACE AI                      |
|------------|---|---------|--|
| Item#      | Description                                       | Size    | Packaging                              |
| 52816      | KC100 LAVENDER* Nitrile<br>Powder-Free Exam Glove | X-Small | 250 eaches/box<br>10 boxes/case        |
| 52817      | KC100 LAVENDER* Nitrile<br>Powder-Free Exam Glove | Small   | <b>250 eaches/box</b><br>10 boxes/case |
| 52818      | KC100 LAVENDER* Nitrile<br>Powder-Free Exam Glove | Medium  | <b>250 eaches/box</b><br>10 boxes/case |
| 52819      | KC100 LAVENDER* Nitrile<br>Powder-Free Exam Glove | Large   | <b>250 eaches/box</b><br>10 boxes/case |
| 52820      | KC100 LAVENDER* Nitrile                           | X-Large | 230 eaches/box                         |

#### **Product Specifications**

| Gauge Thickness<br>Measurements  | ММ                |
|----------------------------------|-------------------|
| Middle Finger:<br>Palm:<br>Cuff: | .07<br>.05<br>.04 |
| Average Length                   | 242               |

Powder-Free Exam Glove

#### **Physical Properties**

| After Aging         |        |  |
|---------------------|--------|--|
| Tensile Strength:   | 24 MPa |  |
| Ultimate Elongation | 550%   |  |

10 boxes/case

### **Barrier Properties Breakthrough** Time - ASTM F739

| Gluteraldyhyde 4%    | >480 mins |
|----------------------|-----------|
| Formaldehyde 10%     | >480 mins |
| Povidone Iodine 10%  | >480 mins |
| Quaternary Detergent | >480 mins |
|                      |           |

## **AQL - ASTM D5151**

| Critical Defects Level | <1.5 AQL <sup>1</sup> |
|------------------------|-----------------------|
|                        |                       |

† Acceptable Quality Level

#### **Quality Standards**

Exceeds current ASTM Standards for critical defects, tensile strength, and puncture resistance.

Biocompatible as measured by Primary Skin Irritation, Repeat Challenge Sensitization, and Hemolysis.

Manufactured in accordance with Quality System ISO 9001.

