



Bleach Alternative Checklist

Using bleach and water as specified in MN Rule 9502.0435 is still recommended product for diapering; however, MN Statutes 245A.148 has allowed the use of alternative products if **ALL** of the following criteria are met. Please use the checklist below **PRIOR** to using any product- all criteria must be met before this product can be used in Licensed Family Child Care Homes.

Please remember that manufacturers change formulas of products frequently-use this checklist **EVERY TIME you purchase your bleach alternative product.*

YES	NO	BLEACH ALTERNATIVE REQUIREMENTS
		The manufacturer's label or instructions state that the product is registered with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.
		The manufacturer's label or instructions state that the disinfectant is effective against Staphylococcus aureus, Salmonella choleraesuis/enterica, Pseudomonas aeruginosa (Must be all 3)
		The manufacturer's label or instructions state that the disinfectant is effective with a ten-minute or less contact time.
		The disinfectant is clearly labeled by the manufacturer with directions for mixing and use.
		The disinfectant is used only in accordance with the manufacturer's directions.
		This product DOES NOT contain Triclosan or derivatives of Triclosan.

If you answered NO to one or more of the above requirements, the Bleach Alternative product cannot be used in a Family Daycare Setting.

Remember it is your responsibility to document that ALL criteria is met for your licensor.