



## **Berco Designs & Healthier Hospitals**

Berco Designs supports the Healthier Hospitals Initiative, and most of the company's products meet the Safer Chemicals Challenge. of the HHI Interiors Goal version 2.0 (November, 2015). Healthcare clients and designers can select from products listed on the following pages for their furniture needs, and additional information is available by contacting [jfrancosky@bercodesigns.com](mailto:jfrancosky@bercodesigns.com).

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# Product Selection Guidance

## TABLES

**Formaldehyde:** Only trace amounts in particle board, plywood, and Formica Color Core laminate. *Certificates available upon request.*

**Perfluorinated Compounds:** None

**PVC:** To avoid PVC, order any flat edge work surface that is rectangular or square in shape. Flat edge work surfaces with curved usually require PVC. PVC edges make up <1% of the weight of a work surface or table, so could still be accepted in an HH project.

**Antimicrobials:** None

**Flame Retardants:** None

AnyWay	iQ Plus	Telesto
Core	Mobi	Titan
Discus	Palisade	Voluma
Encore	Plateau	Vortex
Excalibur	Sense	Voyager
Excalibur Squared	Starfire	

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## SEATING

**Formaldehyde:** Only trace amounts in particle board, plywood, and Formica Color Core laminate.

**Perfluorinated Compounds (PFCs):** PFC-free fabrics available. Products supplied must not use stain- or water-repellant treatments that contain a PFC. Customers are responsible for fabric chemical content and treatments when using Customer's Own Material (COM) fabric.

**Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC):** Vinyl upholstery must be avoided.

**Antimicrobials:** Antimicrobial-free fabrics available. Customers are responsible for fabric content and treatments when using Customer's Own Material (COM) fabric.

**Flame Retardants:** Do not order "fire code" fabrics or materials to meet CAL133. Vinyl, some polyurethanes, and most high-performance textiles must be avoided. Customers are responsible for fabric content and treatments when using Customer's Own Material (COM) fabric.

Core Seating  
Mezzanine  
Platform

Cali Booth  
Kingston Booth  
Marquis Booth



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The furniture listed in this document meets the Healthy Interiors goal of the Safer Chemicals Challenge according to the manufacturer, after working with suppliers to determine whether the products, chemicals, and treatments used in each product meet the guideline threshold limits. Please note that it is not feasible to provide laboratory testing data for every variation of product and material. For more information, email [jfrancosky@bercodesigns.com](mailto:jfrancosky@bercodesigns.com)

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