Do you know the new school rules 2

Providing menstrual care products is becoming the law. We are here to help.



It started with New York and is now the law in a growing list of states from coast to coast, including

# Maryland.

At minimum, these laws are requiring free menstrual care products in school restrooms. Some extend the requirement to restrooms in all public spaces. Entire countries are changing their laws as well. In 2020, Scotland became the first country in the world to make period products free for all. It's all part of a growing trend to make access to menstrual care products a priority.

## What Maryland's law says:

Each county board of education must ensure that public schools provide, at no charge to students, menstrual hygiene products via dispensers in the women's restrooms at the school.

> When it became law: May 30, 2021

## When it went into effect: July 1, 2021



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Section 7-447 Annotated Code of Maryland (2018 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article - Education 7-447.

(A) IN THIS SECTION, "MENSTRUAL HYGIENE PRODUCTS" MEANS SIZE-APPROPRIATE TAMPONS OR SANITARY NAPKINS FOR USE IN CONNECTION WITH THE MENSTRUAL CYCLE.

(B) SUBJECT TO SUBSECTION (C) OF THIS SECTION, EACH COUNTY BOARD SHALL ENSURE THAT EACH PUBLIC SCHOOL PROVIDE, AT NO CHARGE TO STUDENTS, MENSTRUAL HYGIENE PRODUCTS VIA DISPENSERS IN THE <u>WOMEN'S</u> RESTROOMS AT THE SCHOOL.

(C) (1) A PUBLIC MIDDLE OR HIGH SCHOOL SHALL INSTALL MENSTRUAL HYGIENE PRODUCT DISPENSERS IN: - 1

So excited for the passage of this bill. It's taken 3 years, but no longer will girls in Maryland schools have the indignity of having their menstrual cycle treated like an illness. Toiletries belong in bathrooms, like toilet paper and soap.

-Delegate Kirill Reznik

# Will your state be next?

### Menstrual care is part of what constitutes a well-appointed restroom, one that has public health at its core.

We make the change easy for you by offering a complete site analysis for restrooms in your facility — or even district wide. Our simplified product selection guide makes Hospeco Brands Group a single source.

# It's as easy as 1, 2, 3!

# **Choose the required products**

Hospeco Brands Group carries the most complete line of menstrual care products for the "away from home" market, including tampons and pads; product dispensers; and safe, hygienic disposal equipment. Our analysis will outline those products that fall within the scope of the new laws, but will also include recommendations for ancillary products designed to improve the appearance of your restrooms, protect the health of your maintenance staff, and prevent behaviors that could damage the plumbing of your facility.

# **The Optimal System**

Menstrual care solutions are important for public health and are part of what constitutes a well-appointed restroom. They are as necessary as soap, toilet paper, and paper towels. Choosing your Optimal System is as easy as 1-2-3. It consists of dispensers, vended products, and a safe and sanitary method of disposal.



= Recommended Optimal System Products



All **Evogen® FREE vend vendors** include a patented time delay mechanism between vends, discouraging repeat vends. \*Temperature and humidity can affect the time delay setting.

### Safe and sanitary disposal is an important part of a complete personal care solution for public restrooms.



With no safe and sanitary way to dispose of used products, people may wrap them in toilet paper or just throw used products into waste receptacles unwrapped — or worse, flush them down the toilet.

## What do students Say?\*



Flushed products if disposal bins were in poor condition or not provided.

Felt unsafe touching the disposal bin.

\* Survey conducted in 2020

Choose the correct fitting liner bag to follow OSHA expectations.



Scensibles System has worked wonderfully for us and it's one of the best things we've done to improve restroom appearance, odor control, and assurance of proper disposal."

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 Don Sullivan, Manager of Custodial Services, University of Massachusetts at Amherst Tampons and sanitary napkins are required by law to be provided





This issue is common sense. Every bathroom provides toilet paper, soap and paper towels which are expected, while another crucial hygiene necessity is absent. When you use a public restroom, you should have everything you need for proper hygiene.

- WI State Representative Melissa Sargent

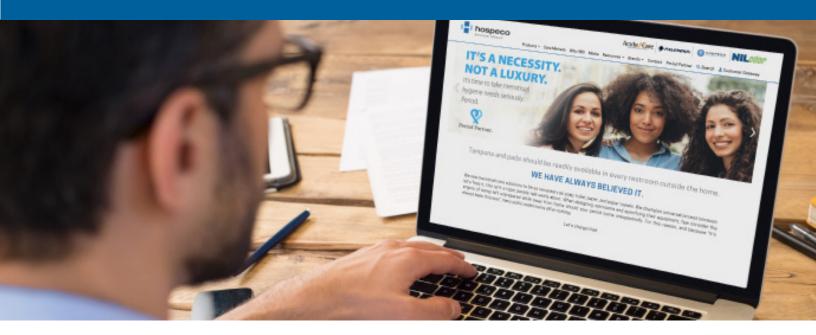
## We will guide you along the way!



Learn more about the movement by visiting hospecobrands.com/periodpartner We see menstrual care solutions to be as necessary as soap, toilet paper, and paper towels. We champion universal access because, let's face it, this isn't a topic people talk easily about. When designing restrooms and specifying their equipment, few consider the stigma of being left unprepared while away from home should your period come unexpectedly. For this reason, and because "it's always been this way," many public washrooms offer nothing.

#### Let's change that.

- case studies/news
- resources that include our School Budget Tool
- media/video
- products



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#### **Dispensers**

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Item #	Description	Size	Color/Material	Selling Unit	Case Pack
EV1-FREE	Dispenses: (14) Size #4 Box Sanitary Napkins & (22) Tampax® Tampons	26" x 14" x 5.625"	White Metal	1 ea	1ea
EV1SS-FREE	Dispenses: (14) Size #4 Box Sanitary Napkins & (22) Tampax® Tampons	26" x 14" x 5.625"	Stainless Steel	1 ea	1ea
EVNT3-W	Dispenses: (16) Size #4 Box Sanitary Napkins & (22) Tampax® Tampons	26.5" x 14" x 6.125"	White ABS Plastic	1 ea	1ea
EVNT3-WM	Dispenses: (16) Size #4 Box Sanitary Napkins & (22) Tampax® Tampons	26.1875" x 13.75" x 6.125"	White Metal	1 ea	1 ea
EVNT3-SS	Dispenses: (16) Size #4 Box Sanitary Napkins & (22) Tampax® Tampons	26.1875" x 13.75" x 6.125"	Stainless Steel	1 ea	1ea
D1	Dispenses: (15) Size #4 Box Sanitary Napkins & (22) Tampax® Tampons	26.25" x 10" x 6.5"	White Metal	1 ea	1 ea
D1-TKN	Token Operated Vendor w/ 50 Tokens, Dispenses: (15) Size #4 Box Sanitary Napkins & (22) Tampax® Tampons, White Metal	26.25" x 10" x 6.5"	White Metal	1ea	1 ea
HS-6166*	Necessities <sup>®</sup> Menstrual Care Courtesy Dispenser Starter Kit: (25) Tampax <sup>®</sup> Tampons, (12) Maxithin <sup>®</sup> Pads, (25) Disposal Bags	16" x 6" x 4.25"	Clear	1 kit	1ea
TMT	Necessities® Menstrual Care Courtesy Dispenser	16" x 6" x 4.25"	Clear	1 ea	1ea
EVNT4	Dispenses: (9) Size #4 Box Sanitary Napkins and (13) Tampax $^{\circ}$ Tampons	17.25" x 10.75" x 6.5"	White Metal	1 ea	1ea
EVNT4-SB	Dispenses: (9) Size #4 Box Sanitary Napkins and (13) Tampax® Tampons	17.25" x 10.75" x 6.5"	Black Metal/Stainless Steel	1 ea	1ea
EVNT4-SS	Dispenses: (9) Size #4 Box Sanitary Napkins and (13) Tampax® Tampons	17.25" x 10.75" x 6.5"	Stainless Steel	1 ea	1ea
EVNT4-SS	Dispenses: (9) Size #4 Box Sanitary Napkins and (13) Tampax® Tampons	17.25" x 10.75" x 6.5"	Stainless Steel	1 ea	

#### **Vended Products**

	Item #	Description	Size	Color	Selling Unit	Case Pack
	MT-4	Maxithins® Maxi Pad	#4 box	-	1 cs	250/cs
	MT-200	Maxithins® Ultra Thin with Wings	#4 box	-	1 cs	200/cs
	147A	Gards® Maxi Pad	#4 box	-	1 cs	250/cs
_	EGP200	Enviro Gards® Organic Maxi with Wings	#4 box	-	1 cs	200/cs
	T500	Tampax <sup>®</sup> Vended Tampons - Regular Absorbency	-	-	1 cs	500/cs

### **Receptacles**

Item #	Description	Size	Color	Selling Unit	Case Pack
EVNT-CWR	Evogen® No-Touch Combination Receptacle, ABS Plastic	11.99" x 9" x 4.75"	White	1 ea	6/cs
CDSS	Scensibles <sup>®</sup> Stainless Steel Combination Receptacle	11" x 8" x 4"	Stainless Steel	1 ea	10/cs
CDWM	Scensibles® White Metal Combination Receptacle	11" x 8" x 4"	White	1 ea	10/cs
CDW	Scensibles® Plastic Combination Receptacle, Removable Rigid Plastic Liner	11.5" x 9.75" x 5.625"	White	1 ea	6/cs
CDB	Scensibles® Plastic Combination Receptacle, Removable Rigid Plastic Liner	11.5" x 9.75" x 5.625"	Black	1ea	6/cs
HS-6140WP	All-In-One Plastic Waste Receptacle, Removable Rigid Plastic Liner	11.5" x 9.75" x 5.625"	White	1 ea	6/cs
250-201W	Plastic Waste Receptacle	10.25" x 8.5" x 4.75"	White	1ea	12/cs
ND-1E	Stainless Steel Receptacle, Hinged Bottom	11" x 8" x 4"	Stainless Steel	1ea	1 ea
ND-1W	Metal Receptacle, Hinged Bottom	11" x 8" x 4"	White	1 ea	1 ea
2201	Swing Type Double Entry Metal Receptacle	9" x 9" x 10.75"	White	1 ea	1ea

## **Receptacle Liner Bags**

	ltem #	Description	Size	Color	Selling Unit	Case Pack
2	LBSF500HD	SecureFit360 <sup>®</sup> Poly Liner Bags, HDPE, .47 mil / 12 micron	12.5" x 23" with 7.5" strap	Frosted Clear	1cs	500/cs
	LBM500HD	Poly Liner Bags, HDPE, .47 mil / 12 micron	10" x 4" x 12"	Frosted Clear	1cs	500/cs
	LBS500HD	Poly Liner Bags, HDPE, .47 mil / 12 micron	9.5" x 3.5" x 12"	Frosted Clear	1cs	500/cs
	KL	Kraft Waxed Liner Bags	7.5" x 10.5" x 3"	Brown	1cs	500/cs
	KL1000	Kraft Waxed Liner Bags	7.5" x 10.5" x 3"	Brown	1 cs	1000/cs
	HS-6141	Kraft Waxed Liner Bags	9.375" x 10.5" x 3.25"	Brown	1 cs	250/cs
	6802W	Kraft Waxed Liner Bags	8" x 8.5" x 7"	Brown	1 cs	500/cs

### Scensibles® Personal Disposal Bag Dispensers and Personal Disposal Bags

	Item #	Description	Size	Color	Selling Unit	Case Pack
2	SDW	Scensibles® Personal Disposal Bag Dispenser, ABS Plastic	3.75" x 5.25" x 1"	White	1 ea	12/cs
	SDSC	Scensibles* Personal Disposal Bag Dispenser, ABS Plastic	3.75" x 5.25" x 1"	Satin Chrome	1 ea	12/cs
	SDBL	Scensibles* Personal Disposal Bag Dispenser, ABS Plastic	3.75" x 5.25" x 1"	Black	1 ea	12/cs
	SDSS	Scensibles <sup>®</sup> Personal Disposal Bag Dispenser, Stainless Steel	3.75" x 6.25" x 1"	Stainless Steel	1 ea	25/cs
2	SBX50	Scensibles® Personal Disposal Bag Refill, 1 mil High Density Polyethylene	Box: 3.5" x 5" x .5" Bag: 3.375" x 9.75" x 2" gusset	Pink	1cs	50 bgs/bx - 24 bx/cs

\* The filled Necessities<sup>®</sup> Menstrual Care Courtesy Dispenser (Item HS-6166) is not available for sale in Canada. The components of the starter kit can be purchased separately in full case lots. Components include: Tampons (Item T500), Sanitary Napkins (Item MT-4 or 147A), Necessities<sup>®</sup> Courtesy Bags (Item NEC-500)



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