

Title Endostat[™] Antimicrobial Treatment

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Aim

To assess the efficacy, safety and cost effectiveness of EndoStat[™] antimicrobial treatment to be used as surface disinfectant in the MOH hospitals and healthcare facilities.

Conclusions and results

There was no retrievable published evidence on the efficacy, safety and cost effectiveness of EndoStatTM antimicrobial treatment or self sanitizing technology. Only limited unpublished evidence provided manufacturer available. Nevertheless was microbiological testing provided demonstrated that EndoStat[™] antimicrobial treatment seemed to be effective against bacteria, fungi and virus. EndoStat™ antimicrobial treatment was also registered with the USEPA (Registration number: 70871-16-23). Quartenary Ammonium compounds, which is the active ingredient of EndoStat™ antimicrobial treatment is low-level disinfectant which can be used in ordinary environmental sanitation of non-critical surfaces, as classified by USCDC.

Recommendations

EndoStat[™] antimicrobial treatment can be used as low level disinfectant on non-critical surfaces.

Methods

Literature were searched through electronic databases which included PubMed, Medline, Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews, Cochrane Database of Controlled Trial, Health Technology Assessment, National Horizon Scanning, other websites; INAHTA, ASERNIP-S, CADTH, FDA, MHRA and general databases such as Google. Additional articles retrieved from reviewing the bibliographies of retrieved articles or contacting the authors. A critical appraisal of all relevant literature was performed using Critical Appraisal Skills Programme (CASP) checklists and the evidence graded according to the US/Canadian Preventive Services Task Force Level of Evidence (2001).

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