



# Health Care Without Harm

After review of the introduction of the Health Care Without Harm Healthy Flooring criteria, both nora® core premium rubber product lines, noraplan® and norament®, meet all Silver level criteria. Products included are as follows:

#### norament®

- 926 round
- arago
- grano
- satura

#### noraplan®

- eco
- environcare
- lona
- sentica
- stone

#### norament® stairtreads

- round
- hammered
- grano
- satura

To access the Healthy Flooring criteria visit:

<https://noharm-uscanada.org/documents/healthy-flooring-guidance-manufacturers>

It is always recommended to use nora wet and dry adhesive systems as they also meet the required Adhesive Installation criteria.

Two important certifications that the above nora flooring have are **Blue Angel** (content and emissions) and **GREENGUARD Gold** (emissions). The Blue Angel certification is verification that nora floorings do not contain any carcinogens and have a particularly low level of emissions of organic substances and formaldehyde. Further criteria for attaining Blue Angel certification are:

- No chlorinated or halogenated organic compounds
- No N-nitrosamines (carcinogenic)
- No raw materials rated as poisonous or very poisonous by EU directives, or the German Toxic Substance Act
- No substances that are carcinogenic, mutagenic, hazardous to reproduction, or embryo toxic
- No phthalates (ortho-phthalates)
- Compliance with the quality requirements of the usability of floor coverings

Developed specifically for highly sensitive environments, GREENGUARD Gold is the most stringent IAQ certification in North America to-date. GREENGUARD Gold uses the test protocol of the State of California's Department of Public Health's CA 01350 standard. In addition to the 35 individual chemicals specified for CA 01350, GREENGUARD Gold tests for an additional 330 chemicals and also has a total VOC (TVOC) limit.

\* Flooring products described herein meet Health Care Without Harm's Healthy Flooring criteria according to the manufacturer. Health Care Without Harm does not verify this information.

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