# **Preventing Healthcare-Associated Infections**

Medline's gloves have three distinguishing characteristics that help prevent cross-contamination and infections in healthcare settings, and protect the wearer and patient.





## **AQL1.0**

- Acceptable Quality Limit (AQL) represents the probability of finding pinholes in a glove
- · Measured by way of a water leakage test
- · Industry standard: AQL 1.5
- · Medline's nitrile glove standard: AQL 1.0
- · Having an AQL equal to or lower than 1.0 helps with preventing the risk of cross-contamination.





# **Skin-friendly product range**

Healthcare professionals are less likely to perform hand hygiene or wear gloves when experiencing discomfort due to allergic or irritant contact dermatitis.

Here are glove options to help when these issues occur:

#### Restore® Sense

- · Colloidal oatmeal inner coating
- Prevents eczema on hands



#### SensiCare® Free

- Accelerator-free
- · Prevents Type IV allergies





## **Smart packaging**

### MicroStop film prevents cross-contamination:

- · Physical barrier to the outside world
- · Prevents particles from entering the box
- · Prevents gloves from falling out of the box

## Flat-layer packaging:

- · Double the number of gloves in a 25% larger box
- · Prevents glove waste
- · Easier to extract 1 glove
- · Prevents healthcare professionals from pocketing additional gloves coming out of the box, thereby, eliminating a common source of cross-contamination



se gloves are class I non-sterile medical devices intended to be used by healthcare professionals Before use, consult instructions and precautions on the corresponding labelling

