Accelerated Hydrogen Peroxide® (AHP®) is approved for use against SARS-CoV-2, the virus that causes COVID-19 under the EPA Emerging Viral Pathogen guidance.

Emerging Pathogen Rule

USA Emerging Viral Pathogen Rule Explained

In cases of emerging viral pathogens like SARS-CoV-2, the virus that causes COVID-19 disease, when there is no test that can be conducted to validate the efficacy of a disinfectant. The EPA utilizes Emerging Viral Pathogen Guidance which determines the expected efficacy of a disinfectant against an emerging virus. In order for disinfectant products to be approved under this guidance, they must be an EPA registered Hospital or Broad-Spectrum disinfectant and have proven efficacy against two small, non-enveloped viruses to be eligible for use against emerging enveloped viruses, large, non-enveloped viruses or emerging small, non-enveloped viruses.

Knowing that emerging viral pathogens are an increasing public health concern, all Accelerated Hydrogen Peroxide® (AHP®) products are designed to ensure they are able to inactivate more than two small, non-enveloped viruses ensuring they meet each of the three levels defined in the EPA’s Emerging Viral Pathogen Guidance. In choosing Accelerated Hydrogen Peroxide® (AHP®) as your daily disinfectants we want to ensure you have the confidence that your choice of using Accelerated Hydrogen Peroxide® (AHP®) means you are covered in the event of any emerging viral pathogen outbreak.