



Dycem Collaborates with Mindful Chef to Enhance their Contamination Control at the Floor Level



INTRODUCTION

Mindful Chef is predominantly a frozen, chilled and ambient picking, packing and distribution operation. They produce a range of healthy recipe boxes and frozen meals, which they distribute across the UK. Their goal is to provide people with an easy way to eat high-quality, healthy food and to reduce food waste.

Mindful Chef were recommended Dycem and decided to get in touch. They were seeking to improve contamination control from foot traffic at their entrances to production.



CHALLENGE

At Mindful Chef it is critical that their production areas remain free of contamination.

Mindful Chef have a high footfall at entry and exit points to production. They found these areas required substantial cleaning and hygiene resources throughout each shift to prevent dirt from travelling into the operation and presenting a potential contamination risk.

This resulted in a significant manpower resource being assigned to clean key entry and exit points. Mindful Chef were looking for a way to effectively capture and control debris, so that this resource could be assigned elsewhere.





SOLUTION

One of Dycem's contamination control specialists visited the Mindful Chef site and recommended areas in which they could place Dycem to help with the collection and retention of debris.

Dycem's CleanZone flooring in green was installed at entry points to production from their office and staff entrances. This resulted in anyone entering production, staff or visitors would have to walk over the Dycem mat.



RESULTS

Using Dycem has resulted in an overall cleaner area. Mindful Chef noticed an improvement in the capture of debris and primarily chose Dycem to provide better contamination control at the floor level.

Dycem products are long-lasting, antimicrobial and washable. Dycem has an average lifespan of 3-5 years. Mindful Chef would recommend Dycem as their chosen solution to control contamination from pedestrian foot traffic.



ABOUT MINDFUL CHEF

Mindful Chef provide healthy recipe boxes and frozen meals using high-quality ingredients. Their approach is healthy, simple and delicious.

Mindful Chef

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“The result was a noticeable improvement in the capture and removal of light debris from shoes in a contained area on the Dycem flooring.”

**- Joanne Sherratt,
Site Technical Compliance Manager
Mindful Chef**

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