

What the Science says...

Disgusting truth about Hand and Jet Air Dryers

Research shows that the surface of Hand & Jet Air Dryers have more contamination than the average toilet seat.

Summary of Key Research Findings

Review scientific summaries of featured studies & research to learn the truth for yourself



Mayo Clinic Proceedings

Paper hand towels dry hands, remove bacteria and cause less contamination than Jet hand dryers. Best for high risk areas.



World Health Organization

Proper hand washing technique is to rinse hands with soap & water & dry with a single-use paper towel



European Tissue Symposium

90% of people prefer paper towels to Jet Air Dryers in washrooms



Journal of Hospital Infection

Microbiological Comparison of Hand-Drying Methods: Single Use Paper Towels spread the fewest microbes while Jet Air dryers spread the most with a high risk of cross contamination.



Journal of Hospital Infection

Part of the study also found potential for contamination in the chest area of the user, as well as on bystanders when using a Jet Air Dryer.



Journal of Applied Microbiology

This study concludes that Jet Air Dryers disperse significantly more microbes a greater distance compared to paper towels

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