Advanced Coatings for Healthcare Facilities

COURSE DESCRIPTION:
Traditionally considered principally in terms of aesthetics, technological advancements in paint and coatings now let them deliver much more to a healthcare environment than a soothing color. In this course, you will learn how innovations in certain coating technologies support critical initiatives in acute-care and long-term care facilities. Whether it’s by battling hospital-acquired infections by helping to prevent the spread of certain bacteria, reducing common indoor odors, or improving indoor air quality by reducing VOC levels from potential sources like insulation, carpet, cabinets, and fabrics, find out more about how paint can take an active role in the health care setting. Examining the cumulative benefits, learn how these advanced coating technologies generate real value for facility managers while enabling architects and designers to specify wall and surface coatings that are visually stimulating and much more.

COURSE OBJECTIVES:
• Learn how microbicidal paint can offer healthcare facilities an important new tool to help combat certain bacteria that can cause hospital-acquired infections (HAIs).
• Understand how formaldehyde-reducing and odor-eliminating technologies help to improve the indoor environment of patient rooms in acute and long-term care facilities.
• Learn how coatings with anti-microbial technology can inhibit the growth of mold or mildew on the paint film in patient bathrooms, food service areas, exam rooms and other areas where moisture is present.
• Consider applications for high-performance coatings that are chemical and abrasion-resistant.
• Understand how strategic color selections can help you enhance the healthcare environment.

COURSE DETAILS:
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