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Antimicrobial Wipe Kleenhanz® Back-to-School Donation

A New, Healthier Way to Keep Students' Hands Germ-Free

San Antonio, Tex., August 5, 2011 – It's no secret that children pass on germs, bacteria and disease and sometimes, hand washing isn't possible. But many people don't know that the popular hand sanitizers used to combat the spread of disease aren't the safest option. That is why the makers of San Antonio-based Keenhanz® are donating 1,800 Travel Packs of a safer alternative —antimicrobial towelettes to the San Antonio Communities in Schools' Stuff the Bus school supplies drive.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) says that clean hands are the best defense against spreading illness.

Recognizing the effectiveness of the hand washing on the go towelettes, San Antonio's Northeast Independent School District (NEISD) recently renewed a district wide contract with Kleenhanz®, effectively continuing Kleenhanz® placement in all NEISD classrooms. The towelettes can be purchased at H-E-B stores and Valero Corner Stores.

Several experts recommend using products that contain antimicrobials, compounds similar to antibiotics that kill or inhibit the growth of micro-organisms, for travel, as well as everyday use. Dr. James P. Chambers, Researcher and Professor of Biotechnology at the University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio, has studied infectious agents for more than 30 years and suggests using a new antimicrobial wipe called Kleenhanz® when soap and water are not readily available.

"Kleenhanz® is a revolutionary product that has already begun making a tremendous impact in the fight against infectious illness," says Chambers. "So many people are under the misconception that hand-sanitizers provide total protection, and this is simply not true."

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Kleenhanz® is an alcohol-free hand cleaning and sanitizing towelette that kills 99.99% of germs and bacteria on contact through the use of antimicrobial and hypoallergenic agents, Benzethonium Chloride and Benzalkonium Chloride, and provides long-lasting germ-killing protection. Alcohol-based hand sanitizers are meant to be used on hands that have already been properly washed and dried. Those who use these products alone after touching high-contact objects like a public toilet or a gas pump may still be at risk for contracting E. coli, Salmonella, or H1N1.

About Kleenhanz

Kleenhanz® is the antimicrobial wellness towelette that cleans, sanitizes and removes germs on hands and hard surface areas. Developed with more than 10 years of research by The Mendoza Group, LLC, Kleenhanz® represents a revolution in consumer germ prevention by killing 99.99% of bacteria and germs, making Kleenhanz® the next best thing to soap and water. Kleenhanz® is alcohol free and uses quaternary compounds, Benzethonium Chloride and Benzalkonium Chloride, to kill and remove germs with long-lasting protection. Kleenhanz® does what alcohol-based sanitizers cannot by effectively cleaning, sanitizing *AND* removing germs from hands and hard surfaces. Kleenhanz® towelettes are used in many schools in South Texas and are the official towelette for the Dallas Cowboys. For more information on Kleenhanz®, visit www.kleenhanz.com.

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