## WHY REUSABLE MEDICAL GOWNS

Currently, the high demand for disposable medical gowns is threatening shortages for the medical first responders who truly need them. A new trend seen in hospitals, nursing and care homes across Europe is the use of reusable medical gowns. But what makes reusable gowns such an interesting alternative to disposable gowns, especially now?



While medical personnel working at the COVID-19 frontlines require certified disposable medical gowns, there are many other healthcare responsibilities which don't necessitate the use of disposables. Disposable medical gowns are an over-engineered solution for non-frontline tasks — not only do they provide unnecessary levels of protection, they're also less comfortable than reusable garments.

For the many essential jobs away from the frontlines, reusable water repellent insulated jackets made of woven fabric offer an excellent alternative, with the following advantages:

#### **COMFORT**

Provides a greater wearer comfort thanks to its breathability and lightweight.

### **COST OF OWNERSHIP**

This solution can be laundered at least 50 times and becomes cheaper than disposables with a one-time use purpose.

## **SUSTAINABLE**

Compared to disposables, this solution is very sustainable thanks to the reusable washing element, its lower eco-footprint, and it minimizes medical waste.

## SECURITY OF SUPPLY

The majority of its supply chain is conducted locally/ regionally and will not be affected by international circumstances. Because of its reusable character, its availability will continue to be there and stock levels are at ease.

# FABRICS FOR REUSABLE MEDICAL GOWNS

Our available fabrics for reusable medical gowns are extreme durable, breathable, comfortable, provide long lasting looks and are suitable for repeated industrial laundering.



DURABLE



**BREATHABLE** 



LONG LASTING LOOKS



INDUSTRIAL LAUNDERABLE

# Quick view of the fabric specifications:

Tecawork™ NB 1043		Tecawork™ KG 27	
Weight:	225 g/m²	Weight:	160 g/m²
Composition:	Polyester/Cotton 80/20%	Composition:	Polyester/Cotton 65/35%
Finish:	Easy-Care for crease recovery; Hydro-Tec -for water repellent	Finish:	Easy-Care for crease recovery; Hydro-Tec -for water repellent
Laundering:	Industrial 75°C & Domestic 60°C	Laundering:	Industrial 75°C & Domestic 60°C
Certifications: Liquid chemicals EN 13034			

Please contact us for specific specifications, available colours or other questions.









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