



Abena Hand Disinfection Gel

The company Abens A/S has requested an evaluation of the product Abena Hand Disinfection Gel by National Center for Infection Control (CEI).

Abena Hand Disinfection Gel is an alcohol-based gel intended for hand disinfection.

The active substance in the product is primarily denatured ethanol. The total alcohol content is approx. 85 (v/v%). The content of isopropanol (2-propanol) is less than 5 (v/v%). The product contain a skin care agent/moisturizer.

CEI concludes that Abena Hand Disinfection Gel fulfills the requirements described in the National Infection Prevention and Control Guidelines for disinfection in Danish health care and the National Infection Prevention and Control Guidelines for hand hygiene regarding antimicrobial efficacy and content of alcohol.

CEI finds the product Abena Hand Disinfection Gel suitable for hand disinfection in Danish health care.

It should be emphasized that hand disinfectants based on gel, as well as other types of hand disinfectants should be used in such an amount as to obtain a contact time of the recommended 30 seconds for hand disinfection as required to achieve sufficient antimicrobial efficacy.