



# Copper Ally™

The Power of Copper:  
Always on Your Side





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**MADE**  
IN THE USA

The only handle  
that cleans itself  
**24/7/365**  
**forever!**

## Antimicrobial Copper Door Handle



### An Ally That Will Never Quit... Ever!

Both handle styles—the **Copper Ally™ 90** and the **Copper Ally™ 128**—are always at work, *forever* maintaining 100% of their antimicrobial properties, giving you and your shoppers peace of mind for years to come. No amount of time, or even tarnish, will make these handles lose their effectiveness in the fight against harmful pathogens.

The Copper Ally™ door handle comes in a soft champagne color that complements any display case and store décor. Because the Copper Ally™ door handle is self-cleaning, you don't have to clean it for it to be effective, but you may want to clean residue and sticky messes from the surface using soapy water or a non-abrasive glass cleaner. Any tarnish that may appear over time can be removed with the Bar Keepers Friend® *Soft Cleanser* followed by a wipe down with glass cleaner.

**Don't just tell your shoppers and employees  
that you are concerned for their safety.  
Prove it with the antimicrobial power of copper!**

**Contact your Zero Zone sales representative at 800-247-4496  
and ask about the Copper Ally™ door handle.**

Testing demonstrates effective antibacterial activity against: Methicillin-Resistant *Staphylococcus aureus* (MRSA), Vancomycin-resistant *Enterococcus faecalis* (VRE), *Staphylococcus aureus*, *Enterobacter aerogenes*, *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*, and *E. coli* O157:H. The use of antimicrobial copper surfaces is a supplement to and not a substitute for standard infection control practices; users must continue to follow all current infection control practices, including those practices related to cleaning and disinfection of environmental surfaces. Antimicrobial copper surfaces have been shown to reduce microbial contamination, but do not necessarily prevent cross-contamination.

When you go shopping, do you worry whether others have touched door handles before you, leaving disease-causing bacteria behind? With the help of the Copper Ally™ door handle from Zero Zone, that concern is a thing of the past.

Copper itself is antimicrobial in nature. In fact, tests prove that antimicrobial copper kills 99% of bacteria within 2 hours of exposure. The Copper Ally™ door handle does not need any extra layers, antimicrobial coatings, or chemical additives that either harm the environment or simply wear off. The bead blast manufacturing process creates a more exposed, textured surface area, increasing the speed of the antimicrobial action.

### A Trusted Source

When the planning of an antimicrobial door handle began, Zero Zone reached out to an expert in manufacturing handles for the medical industry. The Copper Ally™ door handle is manufactured out of EPA-registered antimicrobial copper alloys in FIFRA-listed facilities by a company with nearly a century of handle manufacturing experience. Zero Zone is proud to say that the Copper Ally™ door handle is made in the USA from 94% recycled material.

Zero Zone wanted to partner with the best, and since this copper antimicrobial solution is good enough for the ICU, it is certainly good enough for shoppers. The Copper Ally™ door handle: developed for hospitals, and now available for your supermarket, grocery, or convenience store!



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