

Campus Guidelines:

Powdered latex gloves should never be used on campus.

We strongly recommend that latex-alternative gloves be used universally throughout the campus, including contracted services, unless a significant, scientifically-based rationale compels the use of latex within specific departments.

* Vinyl gloves are an excellent and inexpensive choice for food service workers, childcare workers, certain laboratories, and lower risk medical situations. Vinyl gloves do not, however, offer the same level of protection against HIV as latex gloves.

* Nitrile and neoprene are excellent alternatives to latex gloves. They provide the same degree of protection against HIV and other biological agents.

* Most hospitals and many research facilities have eliminated latex gloves. With careful investigation, alternatives that are just as protective and flexible can be found. Surgeons performing delicate procedures on humans have learned to work with alternatives.

* The University of Connecticut Student Health Services has changed to a latex-safe environment.

Please refer to the below listing for latex alternatives stocked by Central Stores. Current prices are available in the online catalog on the Central Stores website. Prices may change from time to time as stock is replenished.

Description	Manufacturer	Central Stores Number	Size Number
DISPOSABLE			
Non-latex powder-free Maxxim	(Fisher 18-999-442 series)	93962597	small
		93962598	medium
		93962599	large
		93962600	x-large
Nitrile talc-free N-Dex	(Fisher 11-395-19 series)	93961602	small
		93961604	medium
		93961606	large
		93961608	x-large
Nitrile powder-free	(Fisher 19-050-550 series)		small *
		93962593	medium

with aloe	93962594	large x-large *
Nitrile powder-free (Fisher 19-149-863 series) textured	93962591 93962592 95962593	x-small * small medium large x-large *
Vinyl (Fisher 19-041-189 series) powdered latex-free	93962604 93962615 93962624 93962625	small medium large x-large

KITCHEN/CLEANING REUSABLE

Nitrile (Fisher 19-813-38 series) 13" unlined diamond-grip medium weight	12640096 12640109 12640128 12640129	small medium large x-large
Nitrile (Fisher 19-074-19 series) 13" flock-lined diamond-grip medium weight	93962005 93962016 93962023 93962037	small medium large x-large xx-large *

* Special order item available upon request

Disposable gloves are sold in boxes of 100 gloves each. Reusable gloves are sold by the pair. Check the online Central Stores catalog for product availability.