How long

Some pathogens can live on surfaces for hours and months.

- E. COLI 1.5 hours 6 months
- STAPH (including MRSA) 7 days to 7 months.
- HIV more than 7 days
- HPV 48 hours to more than 7 days
- SALMONELLA 3 hours
- INFLUENZA 12 48 hours
- COLD VIRUS 48 hours
- STREP 1 day 6.5 months
- NORO VIRUS 12 28 days
- **TUBERCULOSIS** (spit) up to 6 months
- HBV 2 hours to 60 days
- CANDIDA ALBICANS 1 120 days (Yeast Infection)

