

Kohl's Care Label Policy

**For Apparel & Textile
Accessories**

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Introduction

Vendor/Manufacturer Responsibilities

- Vendors/manufacturers must ensure all products carry **accurate and complete care instructions** that comply with applicable laws.
- They must confirm that their **textile mills can produce fabric** capable of meeting Kohl's care instruction requirements.
- All care instructions require **verification through Kohl's approved third-party testing labs**.

Care Instruction Options

Kohl's provides **three options** for care labeling within each category (fiber content, fabric construction, and garment type):

1. **Option 1:** Standard care instruction – approved for use without additional review.
2. **Option 2:** Practical/reasonable alternative – also permitted without Kohl's approval.
3. **Option 3:** Special/deviation – requires **Kohl's QA-PI approval** before use.

Approval Process

- If a vendor deviates from Options 1 or 2, they must get approval from **Kohl's QA-PI Team**:
Quality.Assurance@kohls.com
- The vendor should include documentation of QA-PI approval with the test submission. Without it, the third-party lab will not proceed.

Care Label Requirements

- Labels must include complete care instructions, covering all required categories:
 - Washing
 - Bleaching
 - Drying
 - Ironing
 - Special instructions (e.g., "wash with like colors")

These are considered Kohl's testing standards for apparel and textile accessories.

Care Instructions by Color

For key item programs, or programs of 200,000 units or more, care label instructions may vary according to colorway and approved Intertek test results. If the program is under 200,000 units, care instructions must be uniform across all colorways and reduced to the lesser care instructions approved by Intertek test results, i.e. use 'Do not bleach' over 'Only non-chlorine bleach when needed'.

FTC Regulations

The U.S. Government Agency, Federal Trade Commission (FTC) is responsible for the Care Labeling of Textile Wearing Apparel Rules 16 CFR 423 and in conjunction with Care Symbol Guidelines from American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM). The guidelines contained in Kohl's Private Brands Guide conform to the regulations established by the FTC and ASTM. It is the vendor's/manufacturer's responsibility to remain with current FTC regulations and changes.

The FTC mandated that instructions for washing, bleaching, drying and ironing or for dry cleaning must be on the care label.

- Care labels provide complete instructions about regular care for the product, or provide warnings if the product cannot be cleaned without harm.
- Care label instructions, if followed, will cause no substantial harm to the product.
- If the harshest form of treatment will harm the product, an appropriate treatment must be specified (i.e.: machine wash warm, no bleach, tumble dry low, warm iron).
- The care labels remain attached and legible throughout the useful life of the product.

The FTC interprets missing or lack of care instructions as a statement that the product will not be harmed by the harshest form of treatment: machine wash hot water, chlorine bleach, tumble dry hot, hot iron.

Standard Care Label Instructions (FTC & ASTM Definitions)

Washing Process

<u>Instruction</u>	<u>Meaning</u>
Machine wash	Use any home-type washing machine. If no temperature is specified, hot water up to 150°F (66°C) may be used.
Machine-wash hot	Initial water temperature 112°–145°F (45°–63°C).
Machine-wash warm	Initial water temperature 87°–112°F (31°–44°C) (hand comfortable).
Machine-wash cold	Initial water temperature up to 85°F (30°C), or same as cold tap water.
Delicate cycle / Gentle cycle	Machine set for slow agitation and reduced time.
Durable / Permanent press cycle	Machine set for cool-down rinse or cold rinse before reduced spinning.
Hand wash	Use water, detergent/soap, gentle hand manipulation.
Wash separately	Launder alone/by itself.
Wash with like colors	Launder with fabrics of similar hue and intensity.

Bleaching Process

Instruction

Meaning

Bleach when needed

Any household laundry bleach may be used when necessary.

Only non-chlorine bleach when needed

Use non-chlorine bleach only. Chlorine bleach must not be used.

Do not bleach

No bleach may be used. The garment is not colorfast or structurally able to withstand bleach.

Drying Process

Instruction

Meaning

Tumble dry

Use machine dryer. If no temperature is specified, hot setting may be regularly used.

Tumble dry medium

Set dryer at medium heat.

Tumble dry low

Set dryer at low heat.

Durable press / Permanent press

Set dryer at permanent press setting.

No heat

Set dryer to air/tumble without heat.

Remove promptly

Remove items immediately when dry to prevent wrinkling.

Drip dry

Hang dripping wet with or without hand shaping/smoothing.

Line dry

After spin/squeeze, hang damp from line or bar indoors/outdoors.

Dry flat

Lay garment horizontally for drying.

Ironing Process

Instruction

Meaning

Iron if needed

Garment may be ironed at any temperature, with or without steam.

Low heat iron / Cool iron

Ironing (steam or dry) at low temperature setting (230°F / 110°C).

Medium heat iron / Warm iron

Ironing (steam or dry) at medium temperature setting (300°F / 150°C).

High heat iron / Iron

Ironing (steam or dry) at high temperature setting (390°F / 200°C).

No steam / Do not steam

Steam may not be used. Dry ironing only at the indicated temperature.

Steam press / Steam iron	Use iron on steam setting at the indicated temperature.
Iron damp	Moisten garments before ironing.
Do not iron	Item must not be smoothed or finished with an iron.

Dry Cleaning Process

<u>Instruction</u>	<u>Meaning</u>
Dry clean	Garment may be dry cleaned with any solvent, any cycle, any moisture, and any heat. May include organic solvents (petroleum, fluorocarbon, perchlorethylene), moisture up to 75% RH, tumble drying up to 160°F (71°C), and finishing by steam press/steam-air.
Short cycle	Reduced or minimum cleaning time (depends on solvent used).
Minimum extraction	Use the least possible extraction time.
Reduce moisture / Low moisture	Lower relative humidity during cleaning.
No tumble / Do not tumble	Do not tumble dry during the dry cleaning process.
Tumble warm	Tumble dry up to 120°F (49°C).
Tumble cool	Tumble dry at room temperature.
Steam only	Use no-contact pressing with steam only.
No steam / Do not steam	Do not use steam during pressing and finishing.
Dry clean, low heat	Dry with reduced drying temperature.
Do not dry clean	Garment may not be commercially dry-cleaned.
Dry clean only	Garment may not be machine washed; must be professionally dry cleaned.
Professional leather clean / Suede leather clean	Must be cleaned by a specialist cleaner with leather-care methods.
Professionally dry clean	Indicates the normal dry cleaning process must be modified to safely clean the product. Must be accompanied by specific modification instructions (e.g., "low moisture," "short cycle"). Alone, it is not an adequate instruction.

Supplemental Labeling

The following may be added or changed in Option 1 and 2 Care Instructions without Kohl's Approval, if appropriate, based on garment end product:

Wash

- Machine Wash Cold
- Machine Wash Warm
- Gentle Cycle
- Delicate Cycle

Dry

- Tumble Dry Low
- Tumble Dry Medium

Iron

- Cool Iron
- Warm Iron
- Steam Iron if Needed
- Do Not Iron
- Do Not Iron Decoration
- Iron on Reverse Side Only

Special (could be added wherever needed)

- Wash Inside Out
- Wash and Dry Inside Out
- Do Not Wring or Twist
- Remove Promptly
- Turn Garment Inside Out
- Reshape

For all Over-dyed Fabrics AND Garments, **Wash inside out before wearing** must be added wherever needed to the standard care instructions:

For all Garments with Removable Accessories (ex. Belt, jewelry, faux fur, and padding), **Remove belt (jewelry, etc.) before washing OR dry-cleaning** must be added to the beginning of the standard care instructions:

For all Screen Printed, Decorated/Embellished Garments (embellishments or embroidered appliqués), the below must be added wherever needed to the standard care instructions:

Wash inside out before wearing
Gentle cycle
Do not iron decoration

Knits:

Fabric Types: Jersey, Interlock, Rib, Pique, Fleece, French Terry, Waffle, Raschel, Tricot, etc.

Fiber Content	Option 1	Option 2	Option 3 (Requires Kohl's QA-PI Approval)
100% Cotton	Wash before wearing. Machine wash warm with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low, Warm iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low, Warm iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Flat dry Warm iron if needed
Cotton/Synthetic Blends	Wash before wearing. Machine wash warm with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low, Warm iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low, Warm iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Flat dry Warm iron if needed
Cotton/Spandex Blends	Wash before wearing. Machine wash warm with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low, Remove promptly, Cool iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low, Remove promptly, Cool iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Flat dry Cool iron if needed
Synthetics (100% or blends)	Wash before wearing. Machine wash warm with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low, Remove promptly Cool iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low, Remove promptly Cool iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Flat dry Cool iron if needed
100% Rayon *Flat Dry can be replaced with Line Dry when appropriate*	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Gentle cycle, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Flat Dry, Cool Iron If Needed OR Steam Iron if Needed	Wash before wearing. Hand Wash Cold Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Flat dry, Cool iron if needed OR Steam Iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Flat dry Cool iron if needed OR Steam Iron if Needed For best results, Dry Clean
Rayon Blends with Synthetics	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Gentle cycle, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low, Remove promptly Cool iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Gentle cycle, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Flat dry, Cool iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Flat dry Cool iron if needed
100% Silk or Silk Blends (washable)	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Gentle cycle, Do not bleach, Dry flat, Cool iron if needed. For best results, dry clean	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold, Do not bleach, Line dry, Cool iron if needed, For best results, dry clean	Dry Clean Only
100% Silk or Silk Blends (non-washable)	Dry Clean	N/A	N/A

Knits, continued....

Fiber Content	Option 1	Option 2	Option 3 (Requires Kohl's QA-PI Approval)
100% Wool and Wool Blends (washable)	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Gentle cycle, Do not bleach, Dry flat, Steam iron if needed, For best results, dry clean	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold, Do not bleach, Line dry, Warm iron if needed, Do not steam	Dry Clean Only
100% Wool (not washable), Cashmere	Dry clean preferred	N/A	N/A
Velvet / Velveteen and Velour	Wash before wearing. Machine wash warm with like colors, Gentle cycle, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low, Remove promptly, Lightly steam iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Gentle cycle, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low, Remove promptly, Lightly steam iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Flat dry Lightly steam iron if needed
Pigment dyed, pigment print, garment dyed, sulfur dyed, indigo dyed, stonewashed, sand washed, enzyme washed etc.	Wash before wearing. Wash inside out Machine wash cold with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low, Warm or Cool iron if needed (choose appropriate iron temperature based on fiber content/print)	N/A	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Flat dry Warm or Cool iron if needed (choose appropriate iron temperature based on fiber content/print)

NOTE- Ironing instruction: Can be low heat (cool), medium heat (warm) or high heat (hot); with steam or no steam (dry) and must be one that best restores the appearance of fabric/garment to the original state. Typically, for cotton, linen, rayon, and ramie, a warm iron would be appropriate, for polyester, nylon, silk, and wool, a cool iron would be appropriate.

Wovens:

Fabric Types: Plain Weave, Sheeting, Sateen, Satin, Twill, etc.

Fiber Content	Option 1	Option 2	Option 3 (Requires Kohl's Approval)
100% Cotton	Wash before wearing. Machine wash warm with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low, Warm iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low, Warm iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Flat dry Warm iron if needed
100% Cotton Madras	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low, Warm iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Line dry, Warm iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Flat dry Warm iron if needed
Cotton/Synthetic Blends	Wash before wearing. Machine wash warm with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low, Warm iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low, Warm iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Flat dry Warm iron if needed
Cotton/Spandex Blends	Wash before wearing. Machine wash warm with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low, Remove promptly, Cool iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low, Remove promptly, Cool iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Flat dry Cool iron if needed
Synthetic Fiber (100% or Blends)	Wash before wearing. Machine wash warm with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low, Remove promptly Cool iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low, Remove promptly Cool iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Flat dry Cool iron if needed
100% Rayon	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Gentle Cycle Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Flat Dry, Cool Iron if Needed OR Steam Iron If Needed	**For Fabrics Such As: Crinkle, Gauze, etc., please use this care, unless Option 3 is required per Kohl's: Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Line dry, Cool iron if needed OR Steam Iron If Needed	Wash before wearing Hand wash cold Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Flat dry Steam Iron if Needed OR Cool Iron If Needed For Best Results Dry Clean
Rayon Blends with Synthetics	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low, Remove promptly Cool iron if needed	**For Fabrics Such As: Crinkle, Gauze, etc., please use this care, unless Option 3 is required per Kohl's: Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Line dry, Steam iron if needed	Wash before wearing Hand wash cold Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Flat dry Cool iron if needed

Fiber Content	Option 1	Option 2	Option 3 (Requires Kohl's Approval)
Nylon or Polyester with Coating	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Gentle cycle, Do not bleach, Tumble dry low, Remove promptly, Do not iron	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold Do not bleach Flat dry Do not iron	Dry Clean (if coating is not damaged by dry cleaning process)
100% Linen or Linen Blends	Wash before wearing. Machine wash warm with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low, Remove promptly, Warm iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low, Remove promptly Warm iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Flat dry Cool iron if needed
100% Silk or Silk Blends (washable)	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Delicate cycle Do not bleach, Line dry, Steam iron if needed, For best results, dry clean	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold, Do not bleach, Line dry, Steam iron if needed, For best results, dry clean	Dry Clean Only
100% Silk or Silk Blends (non-washable)	Dry Clean	N/A	N/A
100% Wool and Wool Blends (washable)	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Gentle cycle, Do not bleach, Line dry, Steam iron if needed For best results, dry clean	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold, Do not bleach, Line dry, Steam iron if needed For best results, dry clean	Dry Clean Only
100% Wool / Cashmere (non-washable)	Dry Clean	N/A	N/A
Pigment dyed, pigment print, garment dyed, sulfur dyed, indigo dyed, stonewashed, sand washed, enzyme washed etc.	Wash before wearing. Wash inside out Machine wash cold with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low, Warm or Cool iron if needed (choose appropriate iron temperature based on fiber content/print)	N/A	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Flat dry Warm or Cool iron if needed (choose appropriate iron temperature based on fiber content/print)

NOTE- Ironing instruction: Can be low heat (cool), medium heat (warm) or high heat (hot); with steam or no steam (dry) and must be one that best restores the appearance of fabric/garment to the original state. Typically, for cotton, linen, rayon, and ramie, a warm iron would be appropriate, for polyester, nylon, silk, and wool, a cool iron would be appropriate.

Sweaters:

Fiber Content	Option 1	Option 2	Option 3 (Requires Kohl's Approval)
100% Cotton	Wash before wearing. Wash inside out Machine wash warm with like colors, Gentle cycle, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Dry flat, Warm iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Wash inside out Machine wash cold with like colors, Gentle cycle, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Dry Flat, Warm iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Wash inside out Hand wash cold Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Dry Flat Cool iron if needed
Cotton Blends	Wash before wearing. Wash inside out Machine wash cold with like colors, Gentle cycle, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low, Cool iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Wash inside out Machine wash cold with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Do not wring or twist, Reshape, Dry flat, Cool iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Dry Flat Cool iron if needed / Dry Clean Only
100% Wool and Wool Blends (washable)	Wash before wearing. Wash inside out Machine wash cold with like colors Gentle cycle, Do not bleach, Do not wring or twist, Reshape, Dry flat, Steam iron if needed, For best results, dry clean	Wash before wearing. Wash inside out Hand wash cold, Do not bleach, Do not wring or twist, Reshape, Dry flat, Steam iron if needed, For best results, dry clean	Dry Clean Only
100% Wool and Wool Blends (non-washable)	Dry Clean	N/A	N/A
100% Synthetics or Synthetic Blends	Wash before wearing. Wash inside out Machine wash cold with like colors, Gentle cycle, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low,, Cool iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Wash inside out Machine wash cold with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Do not wring or twist, Reshape, Dry flat, Cool iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Dry Flat Cool iron if needed / Dry Clean Only
100% Silk and Silk Blends	Wash before wearing. Wash inside out Hand wash cold, Do not bleach, Do not wring or twist, Reshape, Dry flat, Steam iron if needed, For best results, dry clean	Dry Clean	N/A
100% Cashmere/ Cashmere Blends	Wash before wearing. Wash inside out Hand wash cold, Do not bleach, Do not wring or twist, Reshape, Dry flat, Steam iron if needed, For best results, dry clean	Dry Clean	N/A

NOTE- Ironing instruction: Can be low heat (cool), medium heat (warm) or high heat (hot); with steam or no steam (dry) and must be one that best restores the appearance of fabric/garment to the original state. Typically, for cotton, linen, rayon, and ramie, a warm iron would be appropriate, for polyester, nylon, silk, and wool, a cool iron would be appropriate.

Swimwear: bathing suits, trunks, wraps, board shorts, etc.

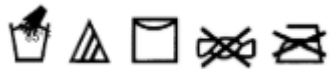
*****To be applied in both fabric and garment end use***

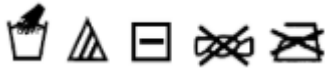
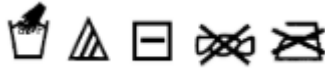
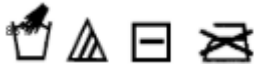
Fiber Content	Option 1	Option 2	Option 3 (Requires Kohl's Approval)
Bathing Suits (ALL FIBERS)	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Line dry, Do not iron	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Line dry, Do not iron	N/A
Bathing Suits – Tops with bra cups (ALL FIBERS)	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Do not wring or twist, Line dry, Do not iron	N/A	N/A
Swimwear w/sequins, beads, delicate embellishments, screen prints or similar applications	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Do not wring or twist, Line dry, Do not iron	N/A	N/A
Trunks/Board Shorts/Wraps	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble Dry Low, Warm or Cool iron if needed (ironing instruction depends of fiber content)	N/A	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Line dry, Warm or Cool iron if needed (ironing instruction depends of fiber content)

NOTE- Ironing instruction: Can be low heat (cool), medium heat (warm) or high heat (hot); with steam or no steam (dry) and must be one that best restores the appearance of fabric/garment to the original state. Typically, for cotton, linen, rayon, and ramie, a warm iron would be appropriate, for polyester, nylon, silk, and wool, a cool iron would be appropriate.

Intimates & Foundations

*****To be applied in both fabric and garment end use***

Fiber Content	Option 1	Option 2
Bras without Padding – All Fibers & Fabrications	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Gentle cycle, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Line dry, Do not wring or twist Do not iron 	Wash before wearing Hand wash cold Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Line dry Do not wring or twist Do not iron 

Fiber Content	Option 1	Option 2
Bras with Padding - All Fibers & Fabrications	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Line dry Do not wring or twist Do not iron 	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Line dry Do not wring or twist Do not iron Remove pads before washing 
Underwear/Panties - Wool & Silk All Fabrications	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Gentle cycle, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Reshape, Dry flat Do not wring or twist Do not iron 	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Reshape, Dry flat Do not wring or twist Do not iron 
Underwear/Panties - All Other Fibers & Fabrications	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Gentle cycle Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low Do not iron 	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Reshape, Dry flat Do not wring or twist Do not iron 
Baby Dolls	Wash before wearing. Machine Wash Cold with like colors Gentle Cycle Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Tumble Dry Low Do Not Iron 	Wash before wearing Hand Wash Cold Only non chlorine bleach when needed Flat Dry Do not iron 

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Accessories

****To be applied in both fabric and garment end use**

Fiber Content	Option 1	Option 2	Option 3 (Requires Kohl's Approval)
Pantyhose & Tights (all fiber types)	Wash before wearing Hand wash cold, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Line dry	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Drip dry	N/A
Socks (all fiber types except wool & blends)	Wash before wearing. Machine wash warm with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low Warm or Cool iron if needed (choose appropriate iron temperature based on fiber content/print)	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low Warm or Cool iron if needed (choose appropriate iron temperature based on fiber content/print)	N/A
Socks (wool and wool blends)	Wash before wearing Machine wash cold with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low Warm or Cool iron if needed (choose appropriate iron temperature based on fiber content/print)	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Dry flat Warm or Cool iron if needed (choose appropriate iron temperature based on fiber content/print)	N/A
Gloves/Mittens (all fiber types)	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low Do not iron	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Dry flat Do not iron	Dry Clean Only
Gloves with Leather Trims	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold, Do not bleach, Dry flat, Do not iron, Do not dry clean	N/A	N/A
Scarves/Wraps/Ponchos (all fiber types)	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low Warm or Cool iron if needed (choose appropriate iron temperature based on fiber content/print)	Wash before wearing Hand wash cold, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed,	Dry Clean Only
Hats and Caps – Machine washable	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low Do not iron	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Dry flat Do not iron	N/A
Hats and Caps – Non-washable	Spot clean with damp cloth or sponge	N/A	N/A

Outerwear: Coats & Jackets

****To be applied in both fabric and garment end use**

Fiber Content	Option 1	Option 2	Option 3 (Requires Kohl's Approval)
Coats and Jackets with all fibers and fabrications **Except those listed below	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble Dry Low Cool iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Machine Wash Cold with Like Colors Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Lay flat to dry Cool iron if needed, or for best results; dry clean	Dry Clean Only -Or- Professional Dry Clean
100 % Wool and Wool Blends	Dry Clean	Dry Clean Only	N/A
Leather/Suede	Professional Leather Clean	Dry Clean	N/A
Faux Leather	Spot Clean with damp cloth or sponge	Dry Clean	Dry Clean Only -Or- Professional Leather Clean
Down and Feather filled	Wash before wearing. Machine wash warm, Do not bleach, Tumble dry medium with clean tennis balls until completely dry, Remove promptly, Do not iron, or for best results; dry clean	Dry clean	N/A
Non-Detachable Trim (faux fur hood, cuffs, etc.)	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Tumble dry low Cool iron if needed Do not iron trim	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Lay flat to dry Cool iron if needed, or for best results; dry clean Do not iron trim	Dry Clean

Miscellaneous Garment Type/Features : *May be applied in both fabric & garment end use*

Fiber Content	Option 1	Option 2	Option 3 (Requires Kohl's Approval)
"Crinkle Effect" (e.g. broom stick skirts)	Wash before wearing. Machine wash warm with like colors, Gentle cycle, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, While wet hold both ends, Twist tightly and knot, Leave until dry, Do not iron	Wash before wearing. Hand wash with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, While wet hold both ends, Twist tightly and knot, Leave until dry, Do not iron	N/A
Highly Delicate Embellished Garments (Adults Only)	Wash before wearing Wash inside out Hand wash cold mild detergent Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Dry flat Do not wring or twist Steam iron if needed Do not iron decoration	N/A	N/A
Easy Care / Wrinkle Resistant Garments	Wash before wearing. Machine wash warm with like colors Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Tumble Dry Low Remove Promptly Cool Iron if needed	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Tumble Dry Low Remove Promptly Cool Iron if needed	N/A
Non-Iron Garments	Wash before wearing. Machine wash warm with like colors Permanent press cycle Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Tumble Dry Permanent Press Cycle Remove Promptly Touch up cool iron as needed	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors Permanent press cycle Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Tumble Dry Permanent Press Cycle Remove Promptly Touch up cool iron as needed	N/A
Down or Feather Filled Garments	Wash before wearing. Machine wash warm, Do not bleach, Tumble dry medium with clean tennis balls until completely dry, Remove promptly, Do not iron	Dry clean	N/A
Leather / Suede	Professional Leather Clean	N/A	N/A
Suiting/Tailored/ Structural Garments with Lining	Dry Clean	N/A	Dry Clean Only
Faux Suede	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold separately, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low, Remove promptly Cool iron if needed	N/A	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold separately Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Line dry Cool iron if needed
Children's Sleepwear (Robes, Pajamas)	Wash before wearing. Machine wash warm with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low, Cool iron if needed, Do not use fabric softener on this product	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors, Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Tumble dry low, Cool iron if needed, Do not use fabric softener on this product	N/A

Fiber Content	Option 1	Option 2	Option 3 (Requires Kohl's Approval)
Faux Fur / Shearling	Dry Clean	Spot clean with damp cloth or sponge	N/A
Magnetic Closure or Hook & Loop Garments (Garment ONLY)	Close all fasteners prior to wash Wash before wearing Machine wash cold Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Lay flat to dry	Close all fasteners prior to wash Wash before wearing Machine wash warm Only non-chlorine bleach when needed, Lay flat to dry	Spot Clean
Color Block Garments	Wash before wearing. Machine wash warm with like colors Remove Promptly Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Tumble dry low Warm or Cool iron if needed (ironing instruction depends on fiber content)	Wash before wearing. Machine wash cold with like colors Remove Promptly Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Tumble dry low Warm or Cool iron if needed (ironing instruction depends on fiber content)	Wash before wearing. Hand wash cold Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Line dry Cool iron if needed
Vinyl & Synthetic Leather Apparel	Spot Clean with Damp Cloth or Sponge	Spot Clean with Damp Cloth	N/A
Burnout & Garment Dyed Apparel	Wash before wearing Machine wash warm with like colors Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Tumble dry low Cool iron if needed	Wash before wearing Machine wash cold with like colors Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Tumble dry low Cool iron if needed	Wash before wearing Machine wash cold with like colors Only non-chlorine bleach when needed Line Dry Cool Iron if needed

Adaptive Garments:

Fiber Content	Option 1 (with magnets)	Option 2 (with hook and loop)	Option 3 (without magnets or hook and loop)
100% Cotton	Close All Fasteners Prior To Wash Wash Before Wearing Machine Wash Cold With Like Colors Gentle Cycle Only Non-Chlorine Bleach When Needed Lay Flat To Dry Warm Iron If Needed Do Not Iron On Magnets	Close All Fasteners Prior To Wash Wash Before Wearing Machine Wash Cold With Like Colors Only Non-Chlorine Bleach When Needed Tumble Dry Low Remove Promptly Warm Iron If Needed Do Not Iron On Hook and Loop	Adaptive styles without magnetic or hook and loop closures can follow standard care instructions.
Cotton/Synthetic Blends	Close All Fasteners Prior To Wash Wash Before Wearing Machine Wash Cold With Like Colors Gentle Cycle Only Non-Chlorine Bleach When Needed Lay Flat To Dry Warm Iron If Needed Do Not Iron On Magnets	Close All Fasteners Prior To Wash Wash Before Wearing Machine Wash Cold With Like Colors Gentle Cycle Only Non-Chlorine Bleach When Needed Tumble Dry Low Remove Promptly Warm Iron If Needed Do Not Iron On Hook and Loop	Adaptive styles without magnetic or hook and loop closures can follow standard care instructions.
Cotton/Spandex Blends	Close All Fasteners Prior To Wash Wash Before Wearing Machine Wash Cold With Like Colors Gentle Cycle Only Non-Chlorine Bleach When Needed Lay Flat To Dry Cool iron if needed Do Not Iron On Magnets	Close All Fasteners Prior To Wash Wash Before Wearing Machine Wash Cold With Like Colors Gentle Cycle Only Non-Chlorine Bleach When Needed Tumble Dry Low Remove Promptly Cool Iron If Needed Do Not Iron On Hook and Loop	Adaptive styles without magnetic or hook and loop closures can follow standard care instructions.

Adaptive Garments, Continued:

Fiber Content	Option 1 (with magnets)	Option 2 (with hook and loop)	Option 3 (without magnets or hook and loop)
Synthetics (100% or Blends)	Close All Fasteners Prior To Wash Wash Before Wearing Machine Wash Cold With Like Colors Gentle Cycle Only Non-Chlorine Bleach When Needed Lay Flat To Dry Cool Iron If Needed Do Not Iron On Magnets	Close All Fasteners Prior To Wash Wash Before Wearing Machine Wash Cold With Like Colors Gentle Cycle Only Non-Chlorine Bleach When Needed Tumble Dry Low Remove Promptly Cool Iron If Needed Do Not Iron On Hook and Loop	Adaptive styles without magnetic or hook and loop closures can follow standard care instructions.
100% Rayon ** Flat Dry can be replaced with Line Dry when appropriate**	Close All Fasteners Prior To Wash Wash Before Wearing Machine Wash Cold With Like Colors Gentle Cycle Only Non-Chlorine Bleach When Needed Lay Flat To Dry Cool Iron If Needed Do Not Iron On Magnets	Close All Fasteners Prior To Wash Wash Before Wearing Machine Wash Cold Gentle Cycle With Like Colors Only Non-Chlorine Bleach When Needed Lay Flat To Dry Cool Iron If Needed Do Not Iron On Hook and Loop	Adaptive styles without magnetic or hook and loop closures can follow standard care instructions.
Rayon/Synthetic Blends	Close All Fasteners Prior To Wash Wash Before Wearing Machine Wash Cold With Like Colors Gentle Cycle Only Non-Chlorine Bleach When Needed Lay Flat To Dry Cool Iron If Needed Do Not Iron On Magnets	Close All Fasteners Prior To Wash Wash Before Wearing Machine Wash Cold With Like Colors Gentle Cycle Only Non-Chlorine Bleach When Needed Tumble Dry Low Remove Promptly Cool Iron If Needed Do Not Iron On Hook and Loop	Adaptive styles without magnetic or hook and loop closures can follow standard care instructions.

Revisions

4/2/21 – Added Magnetic Closure garments care instructions

11/21 - Added Velcro/ hook and loop closure garments care instructions

12/21- Added updates to Steam Iron If Needed to Supplemental Labeling options & adjusted 100% Rayon fabrics to include “Steam Iron if Needed” to the Options 1,2,3.

1/7 - Added “or” to 100% Rayon fabrics that can be cool iron if needed or steam iron if needed

2/22 - Updated 100% Rayon fabrics to have steam iron included as an option

7/22 - Added care label policy for adaptive garments

10/2025- Updated document to make everything more cohesive and charts more organized.

Care Symbols approved by FTC & ASTM

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CARING FOR YOUR CLOTHES

WASH					
MACHINE WASH CYCLE			WARNING SIGNS		
 Normal	 Permanent Press/ wrinkle resistant	 Gentle/ delicate			
WATER TEMPERATURE					
 Hot (50°C/120°F)			 Warm (40°C/105°F)	 Cold/cool (30°C/85°F)	 Do not wring
 Hand wash			 Do not wash		

BLEACH	
BLEACH SYMBOLS	
 Any bleach (when needed)	 Only non-chlorine bleach (when needed)
 Do not bleach	

IRON			
IRON — DRY OR STEAM			
 Iron	 High	 Medium	 Low
 Do not iron			
 No steam			

DRY			
TUMBLE DRY CYCLE			
 Dry	 Normal	 Permanent Press/ wrinkle resistant	 Gentle/ delicate
 Do not tumble dry			
HEAT SETTING			
 High	 Medium	 Low	 No heat/air
 Do not dry (used with do not wash)			
SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS			
 Line dry/ hang to dry	 Drip dry	 Dry flat	 In the shade

DRYCLEAN			
DRYCLEAN — NORMAL CYCLE			
 Dryclean	 Any solvent	 Any solvent except trichloroethylene	 Petroleum solvent only
 Do not dryclean			
PROFESSIONALLY DRYCLEAN			
 Reduce moisture	 Short cycle	 No steam finishing	 Low heat

NOTE: As a minimum, laundering instructions include, in order, four symbols: washing, bleaching, drying and ironing. Drycleaning instructions include one symbol. Additional symbols or words or both may be used to clarify the instructions. The water temperatures listed above are provided as a guideline. Actual water temperatures obtained in the home depend on the washing machine settings (hot, warm, cold), regional water supply temperatures, and water heater settings.

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