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## **Crown Mats Gives Matting Quiz**

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FREMONT, OH -- Many cleaning professionals are still unaware of the valuable role matting systems can play in keeping facilities clean and healthy. That's why Crown Mats and Matting has developed the following matting quiz.

This quiz should help you better understand the value of effective matting systems. Correct answers are listed below.

1. If 100 people enter a facility that does not have proper matting, about how many pounds of soil will they "walk in" on their shoes?

1. 100 pounds
2. 50 pounds
3. 30 pounds
4. 20 pounds

2. If 1,500 people walk into a facility with no matting, about what percentage of the floor finish will be removed within the first six feet of the entrance?

1. 20 percent
2. 30 percent
3. 40 percent
4. 60 percent

3. What is "The Rule of 15?"

1. Effective matting systems include 15 feet of matting both inside and outside each entrance.
2. Rental matting systems should be replaced every 15 days.
3. Effective matting systems are composed of five feet of scrapper matting, five feet of combination wiper/scrapper matting, and five feet of wiper matting.
4. Rental mats should not be used more than 15 times.
5. Both 1 and 3.
6. Both 2 and 4.

4. Some mats have bi-level construction. This means:

1. One level of the mat captures dry soil and another level traps moisture.
2. The mat has the capacity to keep soil and moisture from reattaching to foot traffic, preventing it from being carried into the building.
3. The top level of the mat is made of a carpet material, while the bottom is rubber.
4. All of the above.

5. Some manufacturers say their mats are "high performance" matting systems. What does the term high performance mean?

1. The mat outperforms conventional matting systems.
2. The mat has a warranty that guarantees its performance for a year or more.
3. The mat is designed for use with Green cleaning.
4. The mat is a bi-level mat.

6. Which costs more, buying or renting a mat?

1. Buying
2. Renting

Answers

1. 3

2. 3  
3. 5  
4. 2  
5. 2  
6. 2