

Need another word that means the same as "hygiene"? Find 9 synonyms and 30 related words for "hygiene" in this overview.

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The synonyms of "Hygiene" are: hygienics, cleanliness, personal hygiene, personal cleanliness, purity, sterility, disinfection, sanitation, sanitariness

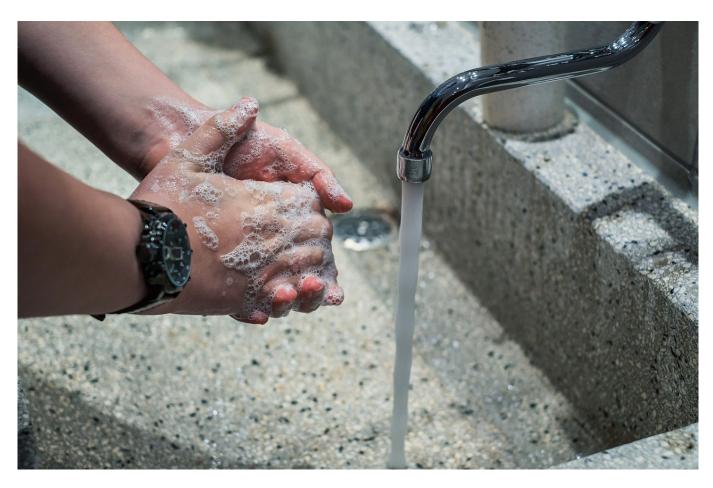
# Hygiene as a Noun

#### Definitions of "Hygiene" as a noun

According to the <u>Oxford Dictionary of English</u>, "hygiene" as a noun can have the following definitions:

- Conditions or practices conducive to maintaining health and preventing disease, especially through cleanliness.
- A condition promoting sanitary practices.
- The science concerned with the prevention of illness and maintenance of health.





### Synonyms of "Hygiene" as a noun (9 Words)

The state or quality of being clean or being kept clean.

**cleanliness** She had an obsession with personal **cleanliness** and spent much of

her time in the bathroom.

The process of cleaning something, especially with a chemical, in

**disinfection** order to destroy bacteria.

*Instruments must undergo high level disinfection before reuse.* 

hygienics The science concerned with the prevention of illness and

maintenance of health.

**personal cleanliness** A short newspaper article about a particular person or group.

**personal hygiene** A short newspaper article about a particular person or group.

The state of being unsullied by sin or moral wrong; lacking a

**purity** knowledge of evil.

White roses represent **purity** and innocence.

**sanitariness** The state of being conducive to health.



The state of being clean and conducive to health.

**sanitation** They could afford to erect new dwellings with a reasonable standard

of construction and sanitation.

(of non-living objects) the state of being free of pathogenic

**sterility** organisms.

The **sterility** of debate in the party.



# Usage Examples of "Hygiene" as a noun

- Poor standards of food hygiene.
- Personal hygiene.





# Associations of "Hygiene" (30 Words)

**ablution** An act of washing oneself.

The women performed their **ablution**s.

**antiseptic** An antiseptic compound or preparation. *The inappropriate use of antiseptics.* 

Free from contamination caused by harmful bacteria, viruses, or other

**aseptic** microorganisms; surgically sterile or sterilized.

**Aseptic** surgical instruments.

clean Make clean remove dirt marks or stains from.

I **clean** forgot her birthday.

**cleanliness** The state or quality of being clean or being kept clean.

Standards of **cleanliness** have been criticized by patients and visitors.

**diaper** Decorate (a surface) with a repeating geometrical or floral pattern.

disinfect Clean (something), especially with a chemical, in order to destroy bacteria.

Chlorine has been used to **disinfect** water in pools for many years.



**disinfectant** A chemical liquid that destroys bacteria.

Cleansing and disinfectant products.

The process of cleaning something, especially with a chemical, in order to

disinfection destroy bacteria.

Instruments must undergo high level **disinfection** before reuse.

disposable Free or available for use or disposition.

**Disposable** paper cups.

Treat with fumes, expose to fumes, especially with the aim of disinfecting or

**fumigate** eradicating pests.

We got sulphur candles to **fumigate** the house.

**germicide** An agent (as heat or radiation or a chemical) that destroys microorganisms

that might carry disease.

healthy Indicating or promoting good health.

The **healthy** attitude of French laws.

Conducive to maintaining health and preventing disease, especially by being

**hygienic** clean; sanitary.

**Hygienic** conditions.

insecticide A chemical used to kill insects.

The timber can be treated with **insecticide**.

laundry

A company washing and ironing clothes and linen commercially.

Cooking and **laundry** were undertaken by domestic staff.

laxative A medicine which has a laxative effect.

He may prescribe a **laxative** to ease the congestion.

**pesticide** A chemical used to kill pests (as rodents or insects.

**preservative** Acting to preserve something.

The jams contain no artificial colours or **preservative**s.

Freedom from immorality, especially of a sexual nature.

White roses represent **purity** and innocence.

**restroom** A room in a public building for people to relax or recover in.

Relating to the conditions that affect hygiene and health, especially the

**sanitary** supply of sewage facilities and clean drinking water.

A **sanitary** washroom.

Conditions relating to public health, especially the provision of clean

drinking water and adequate sewage disposal.

**sanitation**They could afford to erect new dwellings with a reasonable standard of

construction and **sanitation**.



The process of making something free from bacteria or other living

**sterilization** microorganisms.

*In the years preceding the case the number of sterilizations performed* 

there rose dramatically.

sterilize Make free from bacteria.

A Scandinavian lake has been **sterilize**d by rain made acid.

Assist or supervise someone especially an infant or invalid in using a toilet.

Pensions are in the **toilet**.

virus An infection or disease caused by a virus.

Bigotry is a **virus** that must not be allowed to spread.

wash

Be capable of being washed.

Charm won t **wash** with this crew.

washing

The action of washing oneself or laundering clothes bed linen etc.

Her arms were red to the elbow from doing other people s washing.

wound
Inflict a wound on.
A knife wound.

