

PROTECTION AT A HIGHER LEVEL®

GET THE BEST OUT OF YOUR VEST

STORING YOUR VEST

Proper storage and frequent inspection of your vest can help you maintain the life of your armor. Once the armor is removed from its packaging, care should be taken to store it flat — either on a shelf or other flat surface. When this is not practical, suspending it on a clothes hanger is the next best method. **Your body armor should never be stored folded, compressed or stood on its edge.** This improper storage will create “excessive permanent creases” in your body armor and may cause curling at the edges.

Store your body armor at room temperature as often as possible. **Never store your armor in places where temperatures exceed 130-150°F,** like a trunk of a vehicle. Excessive temperatures may compromise the ballistic integrity of your body armor and its performance specifications.

It is important to note that improper storage of your vest may void the warranty.

CLEANING YOUR VEST

Clean each component of your RISE Armor System separately and NEVER as a complete system.

CLEANING RISE ARMOR PANELS

Remove the front and rear armor panels from carrier before cleaning. Gently wipe with a damp sponge or microfiber cloth using cold water and a mild laundry detergent if necessary. Lay flat and wipe dry. The shoulder straps may be cleaned in a similar manner.

ARMOR PANEL LAUNDRY TIPS

	DO NOT IMERGE IN LIQUID		DO NOT MACHINE WASH
	DO NOT USE BLEACH		DO NOT TUMBLE DRY
	DO NOT DRY CLEAN		DO NOT EXPOSE TO EXTREME HEAT

CLEANING RISE ARMOR CARRIERS

Remove the armor panels and/or hard armor plates from the carrier before cleaning. Spot Clean the carrier for normal dirt & dust using a soft, clean sponge or microfiber cloth using cold water and a mild laundry detergent if necessary. To treat tough spots on the carrier's exterior use a soft brush with mild soap and cold water. Wipe off excess soap with a clean, damp microfiber cloth. Place carrier on a hanger and allow to air dry indoors. Ensure the carrier is completely dry before reinserting armor panels. The belt may be cleaned in a similar manner.

CARRIER LAUNDRY TIPS

	DO NOT USE CITRUS BASED CLEANERS		DO NOT IRON
	DO NOT USE BLEACH		DO NOT TUMBLE DRY
	DO NOT DRY CLEAN		DO NOT WASH WITH HOT WATER