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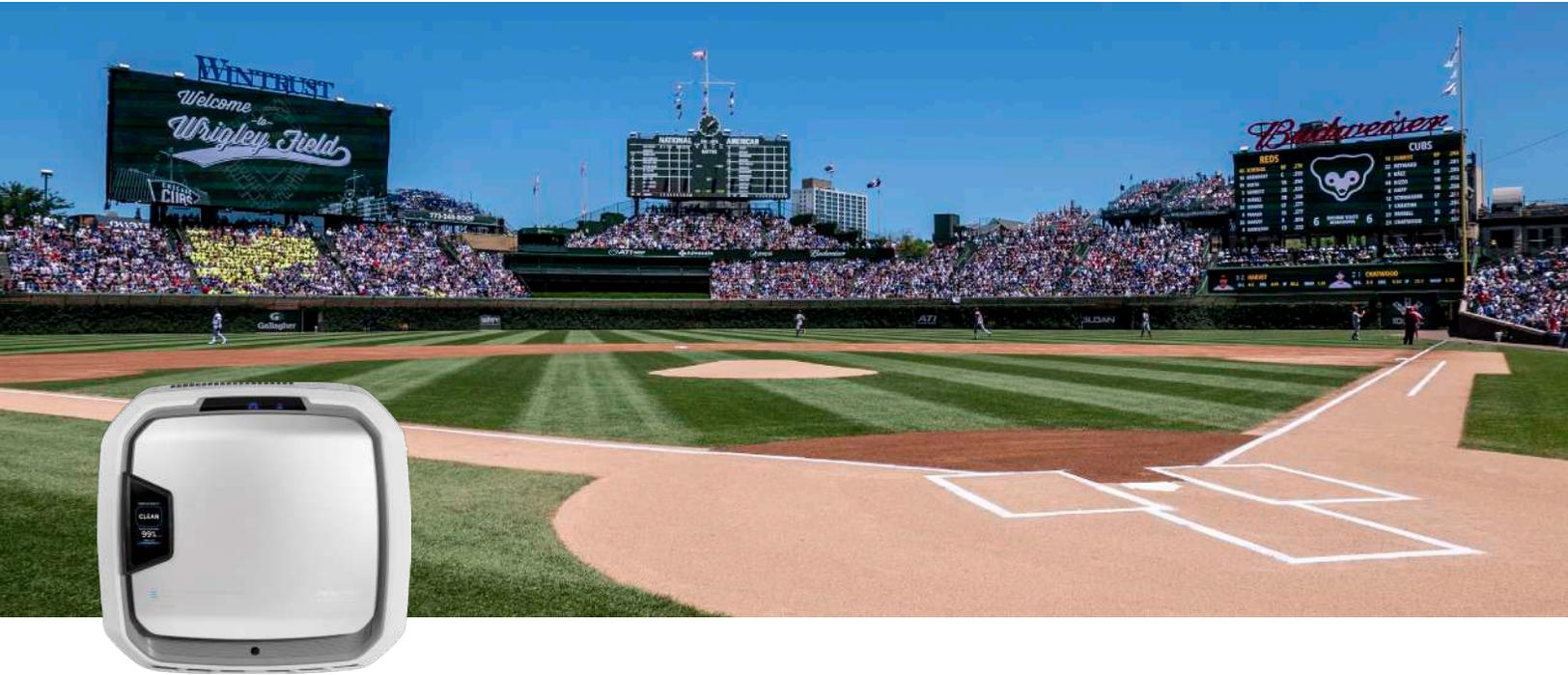
# AERAMAX AIR PURIFIERS

## Case Studies

## CASE STUDY

CLIENT: The Chicago Cubs

LOCATION: Chicago, Illinois



### The Challenge

The Chicago Cubs are always looking for an edge to keep players and personnel in peak condition and sought out a way to continue to ensure their health was top of mind.

“When you have so many players and staff in these tight spaces before, during and after games, the air tends to get stale pretty quickly,” said David Cromwell, Senior Vice President of Ballpark Operations, Chicago Cubs. “Germs can also spread quickly so having a quality clean air system was key in keeping our players and staff safe while at the ballpark.”

### The Solution

Fellowes personnel assessed the indoor spaces at Wrigley Field, noting areas where concentrations of players and staff gathered. As a result, the Cubs installed a variety of AeraMax Professional 3 and 4 units which are commercial-grade air purifiers that remove up to 99.97 percent of airborne contaminants, such

as viruses, germs, allergens, dust and odors, from indoor air.

“What’s more, the units were equipped with AeraMax Professional’s patented PureView™ and EnviroSmart™ technologies, which use laser scanners to “read” the air in a room, adjusting the performance of the units to ensure effortless air cleaning.

Digital displays provide a readout of particles entering the unit and the clean air returning, so everyone could see the effectiveness. Soon, the Cubs were enjoying cleaner and fresher air thanks to a four-stage, hospital-like filtration system in the AeraMax Professional units.

“We were lucky that we had the foresight to make cleaning the air part of our overall facility maintenance early on, even before COVID-19 hit,” said Cromwell. “Because we already had AeraMax Professional units installed, they became another important part of our cleaning routine at Wrigley Field, alongside diligent hand washing and surface cleaning.”

### The Results

With studies showing that the COVID-19 virus is transmitted via aerosolized droplets in the air, the Cubs were poised to better protect their personnel in the indoor spaces at the ballpark, given that the AeraMax Professional units were so effective at removing contaminants from the enclosed air. When Major League Baseball resumed play after the initial postponement of the 2020 regular season, the Cubs were in a better position to ensure the safety of all players and staff at the ballpark.

“By installing AeraMax Professional at Wrigley Field, we were able to assure the players and staff that all necessary steps were taken to protect their health and safety while at the ballpark,” said Cromwell.

Sounds like—dare we say it—a grand slam for Fellowes AeraMax Professional.



Shows the status of the current room air quality including percentage of particles captured and removed from the air.



Dual self-regulating laser particle counters, VOC, audio and motion sensors.

## CASE STUDY

CLIENT: Homestead Elementary School

LOCATION: Aurora, Illinois



### The Challenge

Taking a proactive approach to providing a healthier learning environment Homestead Elementary School in Aurora, IL decided to take a proactive approach to wellness focusing on the nurse's office. Often the scene of runny noses and phlegmy, coughing children, the school nurse's office was perhaps the one place with the highest concentration of germs and bacteria. So, it made sense to purify the air and remove airborne contaminants so healthy kids remain healthy.

"We were looking for a solution to go above just cleaning surfaces and our hands" said Andrea Erb, Assistant Principal for Homestead. "AeraMax was the ideal solution to help protect the staff and students who use the nurse's office."

### The Solution

The school installed an AeraMax Professional 3 with PureView Technology. The AeraMax unit removes airborne contaminants from enclosed spaces up to 700 square feet, using a four-stage system featuring True HEPA filtration.

The AeraMax Professional can remove up to 99.97 percent of particulate as small as 0.3 microns<sup>1</sup>.

"You could feel an immediate difference," Andrea Erb said. "You can also visually see "CLEAN" on the screen" and what's being captured in the filters, too."



1. Based on IBR Laboratories independent testing  
(Filter Efficiency per IEST RP CC001.5)

## CASE STUDY

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### The Challenge

Evergreen Health Services was founded in 1983 to foster healthy communities across western New York, helping underserved and marginalized individuals dealing with chronic diseases such as HIV/AIDS, diabetes and heart diseases, as well as people challenged by substance abuse or mental health issues.

With a significant number of clients that are homeless or near homeless and have compromised immune systems, it was vital to provide a clean and welcoming environment. Unfortunately, high volume traffic resulted in complaints about odors, which also pointed to the presence of germs and bacteria. Gary Williams, Associate Vice President of Facilities, knew that masking odors with air fresheners wouldn't solve the problem.

### The Solution

Williams installed AeraMax® Professional 3 units in the restrooms. Because the units can

clean spaces from 300 to 700 square feet, they were the perfect size to tackle the tough problem of odors in these confined spaces. And, because the units use a four-stage filtration system with True HEPA filtration, allergens, germs and viruses were also removed from the air.

### The Result

"I had been receiving complaints through the human resources department from staff and received direct complaints from clients...from people who had used the restrooms or even had to pass by the restrooms," Williams said. "Since installing the AeraMax Professional units, those complaints have been removed—almost immediately. The air quality in those restrooms and around those restrooms has improved tremendously. I can't believe how well they worked!"



Because AeraMax Professional has worked so well, he is going to install units in the waiting area, to reduce the exposure of people with compromised immune systems to airborne germs, pathogens and allergens.

And, as Evergreen expands its footprint by creating new locations to serve the western region of New York state, AeraMax Professional will be an integral part of the design and development, ensuring that the mission to provide a warm, safe and welcoming environment is kept.

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## CASE STUDY

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### The Challenge

Centennial College in Toronto, Canada is the oldest publicly funded college in Ontario, and has a long history of serving its communities with more than 150 educational programs. As part of its offering, the college features a host of health sciences certificate and degree programs, as well as ten science laboratories for everything from paramedic studies and nursing to health simulations, pharmacy sciences and occupational/physical therapy.

Students in lab settings at Centennial College are required by law to be fitted with N95 respiratory masks, and the school uses a simple technique to determine if the masks fit properly. A staff member sprays a bitter aerosol called Bitrex into the air around the student wearing the mask. If the student tastes bitterness, the mask doesn't fit.

Unfortunately, over the course of several days of testing, the Bitrex spray lingers in the air. Then, all people coming into contact with the indoor environment tastes the same bitterness, leaving some people nauseous. Linda Ramage, the manager of health studies labs at the college, needed a way to permanently eliminate the effects of the spray.

### The Solution

Ramage installed an AeraMax® Pro 3 unit with a stand in the mask fitting room. Since the unit features a sophisticated four-stage filtration system, trapping odors and virtually eliminating germs, viruses and allergens from indoor air, Ramage was assured the unit would solve the problem.

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As part of the filtration system, the air purifier has a standalone carbon filter that efficiently and effectively absorbs odors. complexity of the project, FRI knew they couldn't just bring in any manufacturer to help.

### **The Result**

Ramage was surprised at how quickly the problem was solved. "Within two days, the particle distribution dropped and the 'aroma' disappeared," she said.

And, because the unit is portable, it can be moved to other targeted areas as needed to eliminate odors...which presented a different kind of problem. "Our mask fitter almost cried when she heard the AeraMax Professional unit might be relocated somewhere else," Ramage said with a laugh.

An added bonus: "The carbon filters are easy to change and they last a long time, which surprised us because with the system we had in the past, you're changing the filters more frequently," Ramage said.

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*"I'd absolutely recommend it. We have a fragrance-free environment in the college and the AeraMax Professional system goes a long way in eliminating various odors."*

*–Linda Ramage*

*Manager of Health Studies Labs  
Centennial College*