## CoastSmart: Harmful Chemicals in Cleaning Supplies List

## **Try To Avoid:**

- 1. Ammonia compounds
- 2. 2-Butoxyethanol
- 3. Chlorine and bleach
- 4. 1,4-Dioxane: (ethoxylated alcohol), sodium Laureth sulfate (SLS/ SLES)
- 5. Formaldehyde
- 6. Methylisothiazolinone (MI)
- 7. Monoethanolamine
- 8. Nitrogen
- 9. Nonylphenol ethoxylates (NPEs)
- 10. Perchloroethylene (PERC)
- 11. Phosphorus and Phosphates
- 12. Phthalates
- 13. Polyethylene glycol (PEG) compounds
- 14. Quaternary Ammonium Compounds (QUATs or QACs)
- 15. Sodium Hydroxide
- 16. Triclosan
- 17. Artificial fragrances

## Resources on Cleaning Brands that We Recommend:

- 1. EWG's Guide on Healthy Cleaning with Product Recommendations
- 2. AspenClean Products
- 3. EPA Website: Identifying Greener Cleaning Products