Hadley

Clothing

Treating Stains

Adding just a few steps to your routine can help with household chores…no matter your level of vision. Here are a few tips that can make treating stains a little easier.

First, before using any type of stain remover, read the manufacturer’s cleaning label. Not all products are meant for all fabrics. Now those labels are often written in tiny print. So it may help to use a magnifier, ones with lights built in can be especially helpful here.

Once you’ve got that all down, for clothes with special care instructions, attach those instructions to the hanger using a large print card, an audio label or braille card. Remember to keep the card and clothing on that same hanger.

Now onto the question of “how do I find that stain I know must be there.” Some stains stiffen the fabric once they dry which will help you locate the stain later by touch.

Ed Haines: Now that you've had a chance to learn a bit with us, we'd like to learn more about you: your name, email address, how you heard about Hadley, and your relationship to vision loss. Learning more will give us a better understanding of how to personalize Hadley just for you. And don't worry. Everything you share with us online will be kept safe and secure. Of course if you prefer to talk through these questions, we're just a phone call away at 800-323-4238. Taking these few steps saves your preferences so you can continue right where you left off, and track your progress every time you log on. Plus it connects you to the Hadley community. And helps sustain our funding to keep Hadley free of charge. And last but not least, it gives you direct access to experts like me. Now where were we?