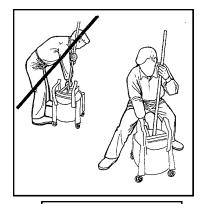


Instead of mopping, using the figure 8 sweep of the mop, try standing with both feet at a 45 degree angle to the line you are mopping. Then, by rocking back and forth on both feet, with slightly bent knees, you will find your legs can <u>push and pull</u> the mop rather than your back. If mopping in a straight line motion, such as when mopping under a table, stand at a 45 degree angle to the handle of the mop and with a wide stance, use your legs to push the mop back and forth, rather than your back.



Wringing Out the Wet Mop: Never wring from the side of the bucket. This produces a bend/twist motion in your back. Rather, face the bucket, taking the mop handle in your left hand, with the wringer handle in your right hand, then with a wide stance, use your legs to lower your body weight into the wringer handle.



Emptying Mop Buckets: Stand at a 45 degree angle to the sink, with your legs over the mop bucket. POWERLIFT $_{\odot}$ the bucket up, then teeter the bucket on the edge of the sink, and dump the contents.

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