

# Medical Minute

## Helpful Info

Here are some domestic superheroes'. There they sit, minding their own business under your sink, in your fridge, or in that "junk" drawer. They look so ordinary, so innocent. Yet once you discover their powers, they will save you unwanted trips to the store, expensive visits from the handyman, and a Prozac pill.

1. If you are the sick type of person ( oh, sorry, I mean healthy minded), that keeps fruits and vegetables in the crisper drawer, you should line it with paper towels. They will absorb moisture that causes your fruits and veggies to rot. Also, easily replaceable.
2. TV and computer screens are electrically charged, so they attract dust. So does my treadmill, but I don't think that's the reason. Solution: Use fabric softener sheets to clean them and that helps them stay that way. Wonderful, anything that promotes less dusting!
3. If you unfortunately have a cork that breaks apart when you open a bottle of wine, don't cry. Get a coffee filter and pour the wine through that. It will catch all those cork pieces. Perfect, I hate lumpy, chewy wine.
4. I have not had to try this, so if you do, let me know if it works! If you have a shallow scratch on your phone screen, clean it with a fresh lint-free-cloth dipped in water. Dry it with a second lint-free cloth, or the dry end of the one you are already using, THEN rub the scratch lightly with a clean, soft, pencil eraser in the direction of the scratch. Repeat until the scratch disappears. Also, let me know how you figure out which direction a scratch is in.
5. If you are in need of an emergency funnel for a liquid, and seriously, who hasn't been? Nope, can't think of a single time. It is easy to make one out of that household staple, aluminum foil. Clever, but I doubt I will remember this if the time ever comes that I need one.

I have more of these, so in a future Medical Minute, I will enthrall and amaze you with my vast knowledge of useful, helpful information. Stay tuned.