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A photograph of a purple plant with heart-shaped leaves in a white, textured ceramic vase. The vase sits on a white countertop against a teal wall. A wooden window frame is visible on the right side of the image.

# FiboNews

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## Fall is upon us

We are welcoming autumn with a brand new design in our popular Marcato Collection. April 1st 2021, they will be followed by more exciting design news – in both wall panels and kitchen boards.

This newsletter provides a sneak preview of what is in the pipeline along with some useful installation tips. You can also read about why Lyngdal health centre and other healthcare institutions are choosing Fibo's wall system.



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*Fibo Wall Panel elevated 6-8 cm above floor, and replaced with vinyl membrane or floor membrane and tiles.*

## New Sintef calculations for fire and acoustics

Revised documentation and a dedicated product manual are now available at [Fibosystem.com](https://fibosystem.com).



- These are completely new calculations that do not exist in SINTEF Buildingdetails yet. Emphasis has also been placed on distinguishing between the type of plaster used, as there are so many different qualities on the market, says product development manager Elise Almås in Fibo.

The new calculations of fire and sound resistance relate to Fibo wall panels on walls with double or single solid timber studs.

We have also produced a dedicated product manual as a guide to the more technical issues that our standard fitting instructions do not cover, e.g. fitting panels in basements and how best to prepare the wall for Fibo wall panels and skirting, Elise says.

Look up the manual on [fibosystem.com](https://fibosystem.com).

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## There is hygiene in these walls

The new health centre in Lyngdal saved a great deal of time by opting for the Fibo wall system – a system that is increasingly popular in healthcare facilities because of its hygienic surfaces.

The health centre opened in spring and has 56 short and long-term beds along with a casualty ward. It also provides a range of associated services such as physiotherapy, occupational therapy, dental services, hair salon and fitness studio.

Fibo has supplied wall panels in the Denver White and Hanoi designs in rooms such as the kitchens and disinfection room.

“We saved a lot of time by using Fibo’s wall system since it’s much quicker to install than tiles,” says construction manager Øystein Barøy, who also cites the benefits of avoiding building dust and tile adhesive.

Marketing director Kevin Hægeland at Fibo says the company is seeing rapid growth within the healthcare sector, partly because healthcare facilities require strict hygiene solutions.

“The Fibo wall system can withstand heavy use and is easy to clean due to its smooth surfaces. The Colour Collection also offers contrasting colours, which is sometimes specified to help people with impaired vision navigate in the bathroom,” Hægeland says.



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## Tips & tricks: Tapping Tool

The Fibo Tapping Tool is used as a tapping block when fitting 2-part corner profiles.

The short end of the block is rounded to fit the block's radius, making the job easier and reducing the risk of scratches on designs such as Dark Anthracite.



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