



BED BUGS PRE-TREATMENT



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FOLLOW THESE STEPS IN PREPARATION FOR BED BUG SERVICE

Bed bug service requires a certain amount of preparation prior to the technician's arrival to make sure your home or apartment can be properly serviced. Simply follow the steps listed below for the best results.

BEDROOMS

- All sheets, bedding materials and items stored under bed (except store bought bed bug cover sheets), should be removed from the beds and sealed in plastic trash bags in preparation of cleaning (see next step). This helps prevent spreading bed bugs to other rooms. Sheets, pillows, drapes and clothes can be washed in soap and hot water. Bed spreads, covers and other items that cannot be washed should be dried in the dryer at a high temperature for 30 minutes.
- Please read washing instructions on clothing items to ensure they will not be damaged.**
- Clothes need to be removed from closets and drawers, placed in bags and washed and/or dried at a high temperature in a clothes dryer for 30 minutes.

OTHER ROOMS

- Treatment occurs around and/or near all furniture in the area. Remove all stored items from under furniture and place in a sealed bag or container. Upholstered furniture in other rooms will need to be thoroughly inspected and possibly treated.
- Any blankets, throw pillows, etc. should be bagged and dried at a high temperature for at least 30 minutes.
- Vacuum carpeting and floor thoroughly, especially along the baseboards with a crack and crevice attachment. Keeping all floors decluttered during treatment is essential. Dispose of the vacuum bag immediately in a sealed plastic bag in an outdoor trash receptacle.
- Remove all items off of the wall as the wall is included in treatment for bed bugs. Ex: picture frames, ornamental items, clocks, calendars, and etc.
- Do not place area rugs in sealed plastic bags as these will need to be treated as well.

PETS

- Aquariums should have the air pump disconnected and the top covered by a damp towel. Saltwater tanks may need to be removed from the premises as the air pump cannot be disconnected.
- Birds, dogs, cats, and other pets should be taken to another location until after the treatments have had time to dry.

AFTER THE SERVICE

- Upon arrival, the technician will do a brief walk thru of the area to ensure it has been properly prepped for treatment. Please be prepared to leave for 3-4 hours immediately following treatment. All bagged items should be kept in the bathroom or kitchen areas as these areas are not treated as aggressively as other areas of the house.

Following these steps is essential to ensure the complete control of any bed bug infestations. It may take several weeks to gain effective control of bed bugs, so your patience and help are greatly appreciated.

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