



Bed Bug Treatment Preparation Instructions

Proper preparation is essential for successful treatment. Please complete as many steps as you are physically able before your appointment.

Prior to technician arrival:

- Strip all beds completely.
- Empty items from dressers, night stands, end tables, and similar furniture.
- Remove all items found on the floor and underneath the beds.
- Remove and wash all pet bedding.
- Bedding, linens, clothing, and other dryer-safe items can be placed in a clothes dryer on high heat before running through a normal wash cycle then place them in a sealable plastic bag or tightly secured garbage bag.
- Other items can be placed in a sealable plastic or tightly secured garbage bag. Remove as many items as possible for an effective treatment.
- Clear everything from on, under, and behind furniture. Place items on tables or desks - not chairs.
- Place all sealed or secured plastic bags in an area that will not restrict access to infested rooms.
- Remove wall switch and outlet plates so these areas can be treated.
- Cover fish tanks and turn off aerators.
- Remove or seal all exposed food.
- New mattresses or furniture should NOT be purchased until after the infestation has been eliminated.

During and After Treatment

- Everyone, including pets, must leave during treatment and remain out for **at least 4 hours afterward**, unless your technician gives different instructions.
- **After treatment, continue sleeping in the same area where you slept before treatment.** This helps draw bed bugs out of hiding and prevents them from spreading to other areas.

Follow-Up Treatments

Bed bug infestations may require multiple treatments. The customer is responsible for scheduling follow-up appointments. If bed bug activity remains 14 days after treatment, an additional treatment will be required and charged separately.

Your preparation and cooperation are essential for complete elimination.