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Bedbug Preparation Notice

Date and time of application:

Bystanders and animals must not be present during application.

In order for our technician to carry out a successful application we require that you carry out the following instructions before the technician arrives.

1. **All** Linen and clothing should be completely emptied from all closets, laundry hampers, dressers, floor etc. and put into tightly tied plastic bags or sealed totes. **Do not use cardboard boxes**, as bedbugs prefer to nest and lay eggs in cardboard and wood.
2. Remove all items from all closets and storage areas in the home. Remove all items from shelves books, records, decorations etc. Inspect and place these items into tightly sealed bags or totes as well. Dispose of or inspect cardboard boxes for bed bugs.
3. **Stuffed animals and Children's toys** any clothes toys or stuff animals should be run through a washing and drying cycle on the hot settings. Toys should be picked up and placed in tightly plastic bags or totes.
4. **Suitcases** should be emptied so they can be inspected/treated inside and out.
5. **Furniture** should be moved 18-24 inches from all walls to allow baseboard access. **Do Not Pile** any items on couches, beds, chairs, or upholstered furniture.
6. **Mattresses** should be left untouched and unbothered the morning of your treatment. Torn, ripped, or heavily infested mattresses may have to be removed from the home. Bedbugs sometimes lay eggs in these which will cause reoccurring problems.
7. **Pets** must be removed from the home with the exception of fish. Fish tanks must be covered with plastic and must have the pump unplugged.
8. **Curtains** should be removed and placed in tightly tied plastic bags or totes and washed and dried on hot settings.
9. **Food** and food handling equipment must be covered or removed from the area to be treated or equipment may be thoroughly washed after the treatment.

Re-Entry

You cannot return to the home until 6 hours after the application. The time the application was finished will be posted on your door.

Once you have returned home you will need to:

1. Wash and dry all clothes, linens, curtains, and stuffed animals on hot settings. Transport them to the washing machine in the sealed bags/totes and put them directly from the bags/totes into the machine then promptly dispose of the plastic bags in an outside garbage or wash out the tote. If any bugs or eggs are in the totes/bags you leave yourself open to re-infesting.
2. Vacuum all sofas, mattresses and carpets. Dispose of your vacuum bag in an outside garbage after you are finished.
3. Monitor your home over the next few weeks for anymore activity and report any findings to your pest control technician, building manager, or landlord.

Ernst Exterminators is not responsible for lost or broken items or damages done to any furniture by the treatment.

The following adverse effects have been reported following re-entry into treated areas.

The following adverse effects such as cough, sore throat or shortness of breath.

- nausea
- dizziness
- eye irritation

If you experience any effects, leave the area and ventilate the area further. For more information in these cases call **1-800-331-3148**. If you experience effects that do not resolve rapidly or become worrisome, contact your health care professional.

For more information pertaining to this application please contact **Ernst Exterminators** at **1-780-478-8886**