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## **Bed Bug Prep Sheet**

Remove all items from closets and dresser drawers. Nothing on the floors. Launder any cloth item in hot water, or at least dry on timed dryer cycle on HIGH heat for 1 hour, all cloth that can be put in the dryer, must be dried. Launder all curtains & drapes. Remember, if it can go in the dryer, dry it on HIGH heat for 1 hour. IMMEDIATELY put items from dryer into thick garbage bags and seal up. Use duct tape to tape up the hole at the top of the bag. You may keep a couple of days' worth of clothes separate to wear during prepping. (keep in garbage bag) If you open a bag for any reason, everything MUST be dried again on HIGH heat. Remove ALL items from under beds, couches and any other furniture. Remove all linen & plastic covers from mattresses. Wash and dry on HIGH heat for 1 hour.

## YOU MUST PREP ALL LEVELS OF THE HOME!! BASEMENT INCLUDED.

Anything you DO NOT want wet from the chemical, needs to go into either garbage bags or in plastic totes.

## DO NOT USE CARDBOARD BOXES!!!

THOROUGHLY vacuum every room, (even hardwood and vinyl flooring) including on and <u>under</u> couches, chairs, <u>under</u> beds, etc. and remove vacuum bag from vacuum and put in a garbage bag. Seal and toss in OUTSIDE trash can. (for bagless vacuums dump in garbage bag and remove bag from home to outside garbage can).

DO NOT stack items on bed or furniture. Remove all items away from walls (2 feet). Furniture can stay where it is.

Be ready to vacate people and pets for 2-4 hours.

Any live bugs found after 3 weeks will require a 2nd treatment. Retreatments are half price for 6 months. It is recommended not to unpack items for a good 2 to 3 week period to ensure no more bugs are present.

Upon returning home put mattress covers (bed bug approved) on all mattresses and box springs.

This is a chemical treatment and the chemical will leave a white film behind when dry. Leave alone for at least 2 weeks. After 2 weeks a damp rag can be used to wipe it off. Do not use cleaner because it will make the chemical inactive.

\*\* THERE IS A \$50 RESCHEDULING FEE IF PREP IS NOT COMPLETE AT ARRIVAL!

Please call once prep is complete for us to schedule treatment.